

Clover Clips

Guilford County 4-H News & Events

September, 2018



Notes from the County Office...

Thank you to everyone who came out to the cookout! It was great getting to see everyone!
We've got a lot to offer in September. The VLA and County Council Meetings are back and we have 3 4-H'ers competing at the State Shooting Sports Tournament at the end of the month. Also, don't forget to check out our plant sale, it's a great way to add funds to your scholarship account to help pay for camps, events, etc!



Events At A Glance...

Check out what's coming up and click the links for more information.

September

3rd - Labor Day Holiday
4-H Office is Closed

4th - [VLA and County Council Meetings](#)
6:30 PM at the Extension Office

30th - State Shooting Sports Tournament
Millstone 4-H Camp, Ellerbe, NC
[Click Here](#) for More Information

Want to see what's coming up in Guilford County in September?

[Click Here](#) for our 4-H Calendar in real-time!



Don't Forget!

If you have not entered your 2018 4-H enrollment on 4-H Online, please do so as soon as you can. It only takes a few minutes to complete. Once you enter your information the first time, it is easy to re-enroll each year by updating anything that has changed. [Click here](#) for enrollment instructions. Ready to start? [Click here](#) to access the 4-H Online system.

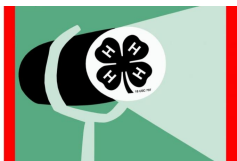
If you have any club members and/or parents that are not getting the newsletter and would like to join our email list, have them email Lauren at lrallen@ncsu.edu and request to be added.



Upcoming Volunteer Leaders Association (VLA) and County Council Meetings

VLA and County Council meetings are held the first Tuesday of the month (unless otherwise noted) at the Guilford County Extension Office at **6:30PM. Unless otherwise noted.**

[Click here](#) to learn more about VLA and County Council



Club Spotlight

This month's spotlight club is the Northeast McLeansville club.

[Click here](#) to learn more about their activities this summer.



Fall Plant Sale

Fall is the time to plant fruit plants and trees so stock up now! Our fall sale has started. All orders and payment are due in the 4-H office by 5:00 PM on Wednesday, October 31st. Plant pick-up will be at the Guilford County Cooperative Extension Office:

November 8th 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

November 9th 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

[Click here](#) to learn how to sell plants and add to your scholarship fund!

[Click here](#) to download the sale forms

[Click here](#) for a single-page flyer. Don't forget to write in your name and club name!



New Leader for Shooting Sports Club Needed

After 13 years, Jeff Woodward has decided his time as the Shooting Sports Leader has come to an end as of the conclusion of the State Shooting Sports tournament at the end of this month. We appreciate Jeff sharing his passion of Shooting Sports with the youth of Guilford County for the past 13 years.

We need help identifying 1-2 adults to take over leadership of this club to allow it to continue to meet. If you have anyone interested, contact Peggie on her cell phone at 336-420-3852.



Central District Shooting Sports Competition

Three 4-H'ers from Guilford County competed at the Central District Shooting Sports Competition and all three qualified for the State Tournament!

[Click Here](#) to read more.



14th Annual Southern Region Teen Leadership Conference

September 20-23, 2018

Clyde M York 4-H Center

Crossville, TN

This event is open to senior 4-H members (ages 14 - 18) from across the south. SLTRC is an outstanding opportunity to help youth develop leadership skills, citizenship skills and help them find opportunities to put those skills to use in their community. The registration fee for this conference is \$225.00 which includes lodging,

partial transportation, meals and a t-shirt.
Registration is first come, first served and limited.
Registration Deadline is September 4th - Contact Peggie
or Lauren if you are interested in attending.



NC 4-H Healthy Habits Ambassadors

The NC 4-H Healthy Living team is currently recruiting counties to participate in the NC 4-H Healthy Habits program. The Healthy Habits Program focuses on developing and enhancing healthy living programs at the community level. The goal is to mobilize teens to implement action plans for nutrition, physical fitness and safety.

Guilford County needs one more teen! If you're interested in becoming a Healthy Living Ambassador, email [Peggie](#) or [Lauren](#).

[Click Here](#) for more information.



Environmental Programs at Kathleen Clay Edwards Library

Kathleen Clay Edwards Library will be playing host to a multitude of environmental programs this fall. Programs are available for youth, adults, and families.
1420 Price Park Drive, Greensboro, NC 27410

[Click Here](#) for a list of programs.



AgYouth Leadership Program

AgYouth Leadership is a program to recognize FFA and 4-H students across our state. If selected as a recipient, the student will receive a certificate and be featured in their local papers, social media, and various Farm Credit communications. Students must submit an online application, and we'll be recognizing students throughout the year. Any student that is selected as a recipient will also be eligible for special scholarships that are dedicated to this program only. Deadline to apply is September 15.

[Click Here](#) for more information and to apply.



D&J Goat Farms Field Day and Sale

September 8th

D&J Goat Farms in Seagrove

Educational field day followed by a goat sale of breeding stock raised by D&J Goat Farms. There will be vendor booths and door prize give-aways! Come out and join in the fun and help celebrate 25 years in business!!

Field day begins at 9AM with rotational educational sessions about various topics relating towards raising goats. Educational sessions focus on the following topics:

Basic Herd Health (Vaccines, Hoof Trimming, etc)

Dewormers and Use

Kidding

AI Demo

Lunch at Noon (purchases required)

Sale will begin at 1 PM

[Click here](#) to register (for a general head count)

Click on the flyer above for more information

If you have news or events you would like us to include, please send them to Lauren at lrallen@ncsu.edu by the 25th of each month. Please put "4-H Newsletter" in the subject line. If you have any comments or suggestions, feel free to pass those along also.

[Guilford County Calendar](#)

[Click Here for a List of the Clubs in Guilford County](#)

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"Kari won't let go of summer, and I end up with sand in my keyboard."

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