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Guilford County 4-H News & Events

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Events At A Glance...

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

September 2nd - Labor Day Holiday - 4-H Office Closed

<u>3rd - VLA and County Council Meetings</u> 6:30 PM at the 4-H Office

October <u>1st - VLA and County Council Meetings</u> 6:30 PM at the 4-H Office

17th - 27th - NC State Fair

Want to see whats coming up in Guilford County in November? <u>Click Here</u> for our 4-H Calendar in real-time!



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.

<u>Click here</u> to learn more about VLA and County Council

June VLA Meeting Minutes



Guilford County 4-H Member Lillian McNeal (left) joins Pulitzer Prize winning author and keynote speaker Doris Kearns Goodwin (right) on the NCACC podcast.

10th Annual NCACC Youth Conference

Lillian McNeal attended the tenth annual North Carolina Association of County Commissioners (NCACC) Youth Summit to represent Guilford County 4-H. In addition, Lillian was chosen from among the attendees to join Pulitzer Prize winning author and keynote speaker, Doris Kearns Goodwin on the NCACC podcast. The event is sponsored and supported by the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners.

The North Carolina Association of County Commissioners (NCACC) Youth Summit, was held in Greensboro, North Carolina August 23-24, 2019. North Carolina 4-H and the North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service collaborated for the tenth year with the NCACC on a multi-year initiative to increase youth involvement in county government. This initiative helps youth learn more about county government as well as how to become more involved in local decision-making.

Interested in attending next year for Guilford county? Contact the 4-H office to learn how!



When: Saturday, November 9, 2019 Where: Piedmont Community College, Yanceyville, NC Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

More details coming soon!



Save the Date: 2020 Volunteer Leaders' State Conference

January 31 - February 2 in Durham, NC <u>Click here</u> for more information. Additional details and registration to come later.

Volunteer Conference of Southern States



September 26-29, Eatonton, GA

This is a great opportunity to share and learn with volunteers and 4-H staff members from around the country. Great workshops, awesome people, and a beautiful setting - it's a great way to spend a fall weekend. Visit the website at <u>www.4hvcoss.com</u> to get all the details and access the registration form.



4-H Horse Program Information

Interested in horses? Get more information about 4-H Equine Programs in NC <u>here</u>.



Youth in Action Awards Scholarship

Do you have a great story to tell and a passion for Agriculture, Civic Engagement, Healthy Living, or STEM? Apply to win a \$5,000 scholarship and all-expenses paid trip to Washington, DC through the 2020 4-H Youth in Action Awards. Application is open August 1 - October 21. More Information



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.

If you have news or events you would like us to include, please send them to Lauren at Irallen@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

Read more 4-H youth development news»



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NC State University and N.C. A&T State University work in tandem, along with federal, state and local governments, to form a strategic partnership called N.C. Cooperative Extension.

Extension's 4-H program is the largest youth development organization in North Carolina. We help over 247,000 young people grow into active, contributing citizens each year.