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MAKING THE BEST BETTER

Randolph County 4-H Newsletter



WHAT'S THE SCOOP?

Monthly Recap

Randolph County 4-H has been busy staying active, learning new things, and exploring new places this summer! From exploring the underground tunnels at historic Reed Gold Mine to developing team strategy at Kersey Valley Laser Tag, these 4-H'ers have had an action packed month filled with enriching experiences. Each adventure brought new friendships, valuable lessons, and unforgettable memories. Here's to a summer of learning, fun, and growth with 4-H!

Club Highlight

In July, Randolph County 4-H Robotics Club held their first meeting since the 2024 officer elections. Officers were introduced to the club and congratulated by their fellow club members. They were also given their very first sworn-in officer duties, list of responsibilities, and scripts for leading an official 4-H club meeting while following parliamentary procedure. Randolph County 4-H is excited to see what these young leaders accomplish during their time as club officers. Way to go!

Contact The Editor

Have questions about the newsletter or its contents? Want to highlight your 4-H club or 4-H'er? We love to hear from you!

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Left to right: A 4-H'er enjoys showing off his fresh catch at the 4-H Fishing Tournament; a 4-H'er pans for gold at Reed Gold Mine and successfully strikes it rich; Randolph County 4-H'ers participate in the Greensboro Jr. District Dairy Show.

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TWO COMMITTED ADULTS

Chat with 4-H staff and select your club's main interest! Club leaders and volunteers will need to pass a background check and volunteer training.

02

RECRUIT CLUB MEMBERS

Clubs must have membership of at least 5 youth members from 3 different families.

03

ENROLL IN 4-H ONLINE

This easy to use online enrollment system streamlines the enrollment process for families. Best of all - it's FREE!

04

SET YOUR MEETING SCHEDULE

Find a convenient meeting location and get started! First goals are consistent meeting dates and times and creating a 6 month plan of work.

05

STAY TOGETHER

Stay focused and stay together! A club that stays consistent in meetings will grow in members and volunteers.



JOIN NOW 

INTERESTED IN JOINING AN EXISTING CLUB?



Visit our website and view Randolph County's existing clubs.



Contact the club leader using the contact information provided on the website. Ask for meeting dates and location so you can join a meeting and see if that club is for you!



Enroll in [4-HOnline](#) and become an official club member.

4-H IN SCHOOLS

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL

Randolph County 4-H loves to partner with local schools, academies, homeschool coops, and youth development organizations. With a nation-wide curriculum library filled with university research-based resources, Randolph County 4-H is dedicated to providing enriching and experiential positive youth development opportunities to all youth in Randolph County.

WAYS TO CONNECT

Randolph County 4-H offers three different ways that schools can get involved with 4-H and provide students with fun and educational 4-H programs:

Teacher-Led School Enrichment

Educators partner with Randolph County 4-H staff to provide 4-H programs to students in this teacher-led program opportunity. 4-H staff will provide needed resources and training, and teachers will autonomously lead the program. Some teacher-led 4-H school enrichment programs are offered during predetermined weeks of the school year with registration deadlines, while other teacher-led 4-H school enrichment programs can be offered and provided flexibly at the teachers discretion at any point during the school year. View our Opportunities page and/or the Grab 'n' Go section below to learn more.

Randolph County 4-H Led In-School Enrichment

Educators partner with Randolph County 4-H staff to provide 4-H programs to students, with 4-H staff leading and facilitating the in-class program during normal school hours. 4-H staff will provide necessary resources and facilitate this in-class program.

Randolph County 4-H Led After School Enrichment

Does your school offer after school care? Coordinate with our 4-H staff to provide 4-H programs to your on-campus after school students. 4-H staff will provide necessary resources and facilitate this on-campus, after school program.

Homeschool/Alternative School Enrichment

Are you interested in 4-H opportunities outside of the traditional school setting? Reach out to our 4-H staff and discover the various 4-H partnership opportunities -- like clubs, programs, and school enrichment -- that will work best for your youth!

Career Fairs and Parent Night

Is your school hosting a Career Fair, Parent Night, or seasonal festival event? Randolph County 4-H loves attending these events at local schools. Our involvement can be tailored to your event -- we can hand out fliers and resources, set up booths with hands-on activities, facilitate educational demonstrations in an in-formal classroom setting, and more!

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Mark Your Calendars!

Events that are underlined below are hyperlinked to webpages with additional information.

- August 2-4.....State Council Planning Retreat
- August 9-10.....4-H Youth Voice
- August 9-11.....NC Junior Beef Round-Up
- August 16.....NCD 4-H Poultry Show
Registration Due
- September 21.....4-H Forestry Contest
- Oct 1.....National 4-H Food Challenge
- Oct 6-12.....National 4-H Week
- Nov 20-21.....National 4-H Poultry and Egg-
Conference

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SAVE THE DATE!

RANDOLPH COUNTY 4-H
CHICKEN AND RABBIT SHOW

SEPTEMBER 10TH
6PM



REGISTRATION TO FOLLOW



Contact Allison Allen at allison_walker@ncsu.edu for information and details.



North Central District 4-H Poultry Show Q & A Session!



Are you interested in learning about the North Central 4-H Poultry Show? We will provide an overview of the program, what is required, and have time for you to ask questions!

Wednesday, August 7th
6:30-7:30 PM

The whole family is welcome to join!

This is a free session and no commitment is required. Register online [through this link](#), QR Code, or contact your 4-H or Livestock Extension Agent for more information.



Scan this QR Code to register or use this URL to learn more about the 4-H Poultry Show program!



<https://go.ncsu.edu/ncdpoultryrabbitshow>

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