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4-H Summer Fun Program Begins!

The 2011 4-H Summer Fun Program will begin with its camps on June 15th and run until August 4th. If you haven’t signed up, come do so as soon as possible at the Extension Center! All the camps aren’t filled yet, but they are getting close!

The following camps still have openings:
- Campout at Medoc Mountain
- Tandem Canoeing
- Horseback Riding Camp
- Cloverbud Horse Camp
- Babysitters Certification
- Hands-On Dog Training
- Healthy Living Day
- Zoo Snooze
- Learning the Law with the Sheriff
- Archery

If you have any questions about the Summer Fun Program, please don’t hesitate to ask. At the time of registration, we need a 4-H enrollment form, registration form, and payment. Do not let cost deter you. See our office for payment plans and scholarships if you are eligible.

County Activity Day—June 3rd!

The Granville County Activity Day will be held on Friday, June 3, at 5:30pm. 4-H members will share presentations on topics of their choice. The deadline to register for County Activity Day was May 15. If you missed the deadline, please come and watch the others or volunteer your time to help run or judge the presentations.

4-H Entertains will also be occurring on County Activity Day. We have one group signed up to play the piano and sing. 4-H Entertains is for those youth that enjoy showcasing their talents by playing instruments, singing, dancing, juggling, etc.

District Activity Day—June 21st!

Participants who receive top honors at County Activity Day will have the opportunity to present at the North Central District 4-H Activity Day in Randolph County on June 21. Scholarship money can be earned at County and District Activity Days to be used towards a trip to the N.C. 4-H Congress in Raleigh, on July 17-21, or for a cool item from the 4-H Mall.

If you are interested in attending County or District Activity Day to watch or volunteer, please let our office know before the event so we can be prepared.

North Carolina State University and North Carolina A&T State University commit themselves to positive action to secure equal opportunity regardless of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, sex, age, disability, or veteran’s status. In addition, the two Universities welcome all person without regard to sexual orientation. North Carolina State University, North Carolina A&T State University, U.S. Department of agriculture, and local governments cooperating.
**District Record Book Winners:**

Monica Woodlief—9-10 yr.—Animal Science—SILVER  
Victoria Hamrick—16-18 yr.—Communication Arts—SILVER  
Victoria Hamrick—16-18 yr.—Science, Tech, and Computers—BRONZE

**District Cumulative Record Book Winners:**

Mollie Melton—13-15 yr.—Family & Consumer Science & Clothing—GOLD  
Victoria Hamrick—16-18 yr.—Expressive Arts—BRONZE

**Victoria Hamrick also submitted a Cumulative Record in the Electric division. Those books are automatically sent to the State level for judging. Good luck!**

**North Central District 4-H Horse Show Results**

The North Central District 4-H horse show was held on May 20-22, in conjunction with the Wake County 4-H horse show. We had seven Granville County 4-Hers participate. This show presents magnificent animals, gifted youth, and outstanding sportsmanship in an unforgettable setting. There will be horses and ponies of many breeds, including Tennessee Walking Horses, Arabians, Quarter Horses, Thoroughbreds, Paints, Connemaras, and Appaloosas. 4-H members from the 17 counties who either own or care for the horses will present them at the show. The 4-H youth, ages 8 to 18, and their horses will compete in a variety of disciplines that include jumping, western, saddleseat and hunt seat riding, games, and dressage. Those youth that place high enough in their classes will be eligible to compete at the State 4-H horse show in Raleigh on July 6-10th. If you get a chance, ride up to the Hunt Horse Complex near the NC Fairgrounds to show your support for our riders this summer. The following were participants of the North Central District 4-H horse show, Wake County 4-H show, and qualified for the State 4-H Show:

- Catlyn Mosely—also brought home a reserve hi-point junior rider recognition  
- Erin Cottrell—also brought home a reserve hi-point senior rider recognition  
- Everette Pendergrast  
- Kathleen Burroughs  
- Madison Drew—also brought home a hi-point junior rider recognition  
- Natalie Wilbourne—also brought home a hi-point senior rider recognition  
- Shannon LaPierre

**Sizzling Summertime...**

Complete the word scramble and turn it in to the Cooperative Extension Center by July 31, 2011. Completed and accurate puzzles will be entered into a drawing to win a 4-H prize!

Send puzzles to:  
Granville County 4-H  
PO Box 926  
Oxford, NC 27565

**Unscramble the words below:**

1. bchae________________
2. usn___________________
3. ihgnisf________________
4. baot___________________
5. olpo_______________
6. reiefbs_______________
7. eracebbu______________
8. ccpiin_______________
9. ctiavano_____________
10. msgmiinw_____________
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PLEASE be aware that youth will be outdoors or in barns and will come in contact with various animals as well as hay so take care to inform us of any allergies. Youth should wear close-toed shoes (NO flip flops/sandals or crocs) and long pants. Transportation can be arranged for the first 8 that let us know they are coming.

Want to be a 4-H Teen Leader this Summer?

The purpose of the program is to promote skills related to employment preparedness, leadership, and personal responsibility. Teen leaders will participate in training before signing up serve in leadership roles in our Summer Fun programs. Teen leaders will earn a minimum of 30 hours of community service (including training time).

If you are interested in applying to be a teen leader this summer, contact the 4-H office at 919-603-1350 to receive the application. This program is targeted to Granville County youth who are rising 8th – 12th graders.

You must apply by June 12th. If this is too much of a commitment, we can work on a part-time teen leader position. Contact the office so we can work with you!

Livestock Extravaganza: June 23rd

Time: 8:30am-2:30pm
Location: Southern Livestock Center
Cost: $5  Bring bag lunch. Snack and bottled water will be provided.
Ages: 5-18

Participants will learn about the species of livestock that are shown during our annual Four County 4-H Livestock Show in the fall. This opportunity allows for youth to get some hands-on experience with different species and breeds as well as information about participating in this year’s show. We will shimmy with sheep, cavort with cattle, giggle with goats, and party with pigs all day long!! PLEASE be aware that youth will be outdoors or in barns and will come in contact with various animals as well as hay so take care to inform us of any allergies. Youth should wear close-toed shoes (NO flip flops/sandals or crocs) and long pants. Transportation can be arranged for the first 8 that let us know they are coming.

RSVP by June 18th, if you are planning to attend. You will need to bring in $5 (exact change, check, or money order) to the Granville County Extension Center.