



THE CLOVER CHRONICLE

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November 2023

4-H CONTEST SCHEDULE

January

4-H Posters (4th-5th grade)
Photo Search (6th-12th grade ONLY)

February

Demonstrations

March

Dairy Posters
Piggy Bank Contest

COUNTY & REGIONAL CONTEST SCHEDULE

January

County Public Speaking

March

SEC Public Speaking
County Demonstrations

May

SEC Achievement Day
Regional 4-H Clover Bowl

Sign up for 4-H Camp!!!



Do you enjoy fishing, canoeing, playing sports, sitting around the campfire and meeting new friends? If you said yes, then 4-H Camp is just for you! The cost for camp includes lodging, meals, transportation, camp t-shirt and special activities.

This year, as we continue to partner with United Way of Rhea County, camp cost has been cut by \$100 per child thanks to the funds provided by this great community organization.

4-H Camp gift certificates make great Christmas gifts!!

WHEN: June 24-28, 2024

WHERE: Clyde M. York 4-H Center in Crossville, TN

WHO: Any 4th-6th grader

COST: \$250.00



4-H Service Project

This year, our 4-H service project will focus on supplying care package items for foster children. Many times, foster children arrive at their new placement homes without any of the basic necessities. A backpack will be given to a child as they transition into their new home containing clothing, hygiene and personal items. Below are suggested donation items. **NEW ITEMS ONLY PLEASE!**



Clothing

- Pajamas for girls - size newborn to adult XL (NO GOWNS OR TANK TOPS)
- Pajamas for boys - size newborn to adult XL (gym shorts and plain t-shirts will work for teens)
- Socks/Underwear - all child and adult sizes

Hygiene Items

deodorant, toothbrush/toothpaste, body wash, shampoo, baby wash, small packages of diapers, baby wipes, feminine hygiene items (small packages)

Other items

coloring books/crayons, journal/pen, stuffed animal, blanket, fidget toys, small lego sets, bottles/sippy cups, small baby toys, backpacks/tote bags/duffle bags



4-H Shooting Sports

If you were unable to attend the informational Shooting Sports meeting on November 3, it isn't too late to sign up. Please call the UT Extension office at (423) 775-7807 for more information. All paperwork must be completed before the first practice which will be held in January.



4-H Public Speaking

Anyone who receives a blue, red or white ribbon in their classroom 4-H Public Speaking contest is invited to attend the 4-H County Public Speaking contest which will be held in January 2024. Keep watching for more information and be on the lookout for your invitation in the mail.

4-H Chick Chain

It's time to start thinking about chickens for the 4-H Chick Chain project. The day-old baby chicks will be distributed in the spring to local 4-Hers who participate in the project. You will need space to build a small pen in the yard to house the chicks. By signing up, you agree to provide food and shelter until the fall. In the fall, you will select 3 of your best pullets to enter into the 4-H Poultry Show & Sale.

