



2021 Summer Fun Madison County 4-H



4-H is the youth development program of North Carolina Cooperative Extension. Madison County 4-H offers Summer Fun – a series of educational camps designed to build *life skills* through shared experiences and hands-on learning. **Youth must be 5 to 18 years of age as of January 1, 2021.** Follow the **3** easy steps to register:

4-H Summer Fun Registration

The following are required, *without exception*, for 4-H Summer Fun Registration

- 1. Before Camp Registration:** Enroll as 4-H member at **v2.4honline.com** (includes health form, emergency contact, program liability waiver, and photo release, which covers 4-H membership for the rest of the year).
- 2. Register for camps beginning Friday, May 7th from 5:00-6:30pm**, in-person at the Madison County Cooperative Extension Center. Registration will be first-come, first-served and will continue during normal office hours from 8:00-4:30 on weekdays from May 10 - June 1 or until camps are full.
- 3. Please bring cash or check payable to *Madison County 4-H*.** Payment for camp fees is due in full at time of registration to cover insurance and supplies. Waitlists do not require payment up front, but will be due if a space opens and you accept.

See Registration Policies and Additional Information on Registration Form.

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4-H Junior Master Gardeners

Fridays this Summer | Ages 8-13 | \$50

Planting: May 21, 4:00-6:00pm
 June 11, 9:00am-12:00pm
 June 18, 9:00am-12:00pm
 June 25, 9:00am-12:00pm
 (Week off for Holiday)

July 9, 9:00am-12:00pm
 July 16, 9:00am-12:00pm
 July 23, 9:00am-12:00pm
 July 30, 9:00am-12:00pm
 August 6, 9:00am-12:00pm



The Junior Master Gardener program engages children in novel, hands-on learning experiences that instill a love of gardening, an appreciation for the environment, and experiences with growing, harvesting, preparing and cooking foods with produce from the garden. It even includes a few local field trips! All sessions are led by Extension Master Gardener Volunteers and Extension Staff. Registration fee includes Junior Master Gardener Handbook and all supplies and snacks for 9 week program.



Cloverbud STEM Camp

June 7-10 (Mon-Thurs) | 9:00am-12:00pm | Ages 5-8 | \$40

Location: Madison County Extension Center

Launch into summer with the most exciting reactions of science! Our youngest campers will have fun discovering the wonders of biology, chemistry, and physics with common household items. Morning snacks provided.

Junior STEM Camp

June 14-18 (Mon-Thurs) | 9:00am-12:00pm | Ages 9-13 | \$40

Location: Madison County Extension Center

This week, we're exploring all the gooey, exploding, electrifying, and suprising science that we can get our hands on! Participants will learn basic biology, chemistry, physics, and engineering using a variety of common household items and some specialty kits too. Are you ready to be amazed?! Morning snacks provided.

Animal Science Institute

June 21-24 (Mon-Thurs) | 9:00am-12:00pm | Ages 11-18 | \$40

Location: Madison County Extension Center

Designed for our older 4-H'ers, this week provides an in-depth look at animal science! You will have hands-on opportunities to learn about animal health, anatomy, and nutrition. You will also get to explore careers and take field trips to experience different aspects of the livestock industry both on and off the farm.

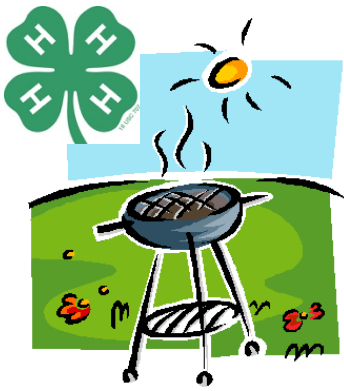


Residential 4-H Camp at Betsy-Jeff Penn

June 20-25 | Ages 8-12 | \$450*



Participants travel to Betsy-Jeff Penn 4-H Educational Center in Reidsville to spend the week learning about and enjoying the outdoors! Activities include swimming, canoeing, hiking, horseback riding, archery, climbing wall, and ropes course. The county's Extension 4-H Agent attends with campers to provide a seamless experience – especially for the first time camper! Transportation, meals, lodging, snacks, souvenir t-shirt, instruction, and insurance is provided in the cost. *Payment can be made in installments.



Grilling 101

June 29-30 (Tues-Wed) | 9:00am-1:00pm | Ages 11-18 | \$30

Location: Madison County Extension Center

Learn how to grill all your favorite summertime fare! Youth will get to learn on charcoal and gas grills, and practice selecting and preparing different cuts of meat and seasonal veggies. Participants will learn grill safety and food safety. Wear comfortable clothes for being outside and closed-toe shoes, such as sneakers (NO crocs).



Explore Outdoors

July 6-8 (Tues-Thurs) | 9:00am-12:00pm | Ages 8-13 | \$20

Location: Drop off & Pick up at Madison County Extension Center; Educational programs off-site

Join us on an expedition through the woods and water as we take a closer look at the habitats and wildlife that make the southern Appalachians a biological "hot spot." Wear comfortable clothes and closed-toe shoes for being outside.



Kids as Chefs

July 12-15 (Mon-Thurs) | 9:00am-1:00pm | Ages 9-13 | \$40

Location: Madison County Extension Center

From farm to table, participants will learn about local foods while honing their culinary skills! We'll explore foods that are grown locally by making farm visits and talking with growers, then using fresh produce to prepare lunch together! Kids will get to make their own lunch each day, practicing a variety of our chefs' favorite techniques!

Cloverbud Chefs

July 19-22 | 9:00am-12:00pm | Ages 5-8 | \$40

Location: Madison County Extension Center

Learn your way around the kitchen as you are introduced to food safety, knife safety, and kitchen tools. We'll learn how to prepare yummy fruits and veggies that are grown locally. Participants will learn to read and follow recipes while preparing their own lunch each day.

NC 4-H Congress

July 19-22 | Times TBD | Ages 13-18 | \$100*

Location: TBD (Local activities in-person; State activities via Zoom).

NC 4-H Congress is a week full of service, learning, and fun! At the state level, participants will get to attend workshops, elect new State Council Officers, and be part of special honor and recognition programs virtually. Here in Madison County, we will have a variety of professional development workshops and recreational outings in-person, possibly even meeting with neighboring counties one day! *4-H'ers who participate in the Presentation Program will be given registration priority, and may receive a discount if funding is available.* *NC 4-H will open registration for NC 4-H Congress on May 27, and payment will be due at that point. We will plan our local program around the state schedule. Stay tuned for details!



Put it Up!

July 26-28 (Mon-Wed) | 9:00am-12:00pm | Ages 10-18 | \$40

Location: Madison County Extension Center

Do you love eating fruit and veggies all year long? Have you noticed how most fruits and veggies don't keep very long when they're fresh? Problem solved – you're going to learn all about preparing preserving some of your favorite fruits and veggies so you can keep them to enjoy later. In this camp, you'll practice three food preservation methods: freezing, drying, and canning. You'll get to take a sample home to share with your family.



2021 4-H Summer Fun Registration Form



Child's Name: _____ Age as of January 1, 2021: _____
First Name Last Name

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Best Phone Number: () _____

Emergency Contact Name/Phone: _____ () _____

Valid Email Address to Receive Camp Reminders: _____

How did you hear about 4-H Summer Fun? _____

Select	Summer Fun Camp	Date	Time	Ages	Cost
	Junior Master Gardeners	Fridays May 21, June 11-Aug 6		8-13	\$50
	Cloverbud STEM Camp	June 7-10	Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-12:00pm	5-8	\$40
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	Animal Science Institute	June 21-24	Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-12:00pm	11-18	\$40
	Residential Camp at Betsy-Jeff Penn	June 20-25	Sunday-Friday, Overnight	8-12	\$450*
	Grilling 101	June 29-30	Tues-Wed: 9:00am-1:00pm	11-18	\$30
	Explore Outdoors	July 6-8	Tues-Thurs: 9:00am-12:00pm	8-13	\$20
	Kids as Chefs	July 12-15	Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-1:00pm	9-13	\$60
	Cloverbud Chefs	July 19-22	Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-12:00pm	5-8	\$40
	NC 4-H Congress	July 19-22	Mon-Thurs, TBD	13-18	\$100*
	Put it Up!	July 26-28	Mon-Wed: 9:00am-12:00pm	10-18	\$40
	TOTAL DUE				

*Can pay in installments/pay when registration opens.

Registration Policies:

- NO phone, email, fax, or mail-in registration will be accepted.
- All registration fees are *non-refundable*, unless a class is cancelled.
- Camp spaces will *not* be held without member enrollment at v2.4honline.com.
- Camp spaces will *not* be held without payment.
- Returned checks result in \$30 charge.
- If your child is placed on a waitlist, payment will be due if a space opens and you accept.

Additional Information:

- Space is limited, so once enrolled, your child is expected to attend and participate. If your child can no longer attend, please contact the 4-H Office as soon as possible so we can offer the space to the waitlist.
- Please keep track of which camps your child has registered for. You may receive an email the week before the camp begins, containing additional reminders. Do not rely on this as a reminder.
- Please arrive on time and pick up your children on time. We are unable to wait for late campers when departing for "away" trips, due to schedules established with our volunteers and partnering organizations.
- Due to NC law, 4-H staff are not allowed to supply or install car seats. If a car seat or booster seat is needed, please provide one and place it in the County van. Your child's safety is very important to us!
- If your child will be taking any medication (prescription or over-the-counter) during a 4-H camp, please advise the 4-H staff and supply medication in a labeled container for the leader to be responsible for.

For office use only:

Date: _____ Cash: _____ Check #: _____ Receipt by: _____ Total Paid: _____

4-H Online Verified: _____ Notes: _____