



Conference Registration

Maryland 4-H Animal Science Leaders Forum

Saturday, January 29, 2011

9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Patuxent Research Refuge

ATTENDEE INFORMATION

(1 FORM PER PERSON)

Name:

Specify: Adult: _____
Teen Leader (14-18years) _____

County:

Address:

State/Province:

Zip/Postal Code:

Email:

Phone:

REGISTRATION FEES

Conference Fee (\$25/person):

Add \$15 Late fee if after January 7, 2011

(Registration Fee includes morning refreshments, lunch and a notebook of materials presented.)

TOTAL DUE:

PLEASE SPECIFY 1st & 2nd (indicate w/#1 and #2) Choices for EACH Session:
(Descriptions on attached page)

CONCURRENT SESSION 1

- Present without Panic
- Got Animals? Fun Ways to Incorporate Learning Into Your Club Meetings
- 4-H Animal Science Project Resources You Want To Know About

CONCURRENT SESSION II

- Best friends deserve the best care! ...
- Livestock Parasitology 101
- The Real Scoop on Poop

CONCURRENT SESSION III

- Animal Learning Lab Kits: Take a Closer Look
- Mount Up! Finding a Suitable 4-H Project Horse
- Exploring Animal Nutrition
- Maryland Dairy 4-H – Help Shape Its Future

PAYMENT:

- Check payable to: Maryland 4-H Foundation
- Credit Card

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PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR REGISTRATION TO:

Maryland 4-H Center
8020 Greenmead Drive
College Park, MD 20740

Contact: Linda Garner
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Phone: (301) 314-7823

*Cancellations received after the January 7th registration date will not be entitled to a refund.

*Please contact Linda Garner by January 7th if you have any special accomodation needs or food needs/allergies.

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

Present without Panic

Help your 4-Hers meet their project presentation requirements while having fun. This workshop will teach step by step ways to create a visual presentation.

Got Animals? Fun Ways to Incorporate Learning in Your Club Meetings

Trying to make your 4-H meetings both fun and educational can be challenging, especially for clubs with a variety of project members. Come to hear ideas on what has worked for others and to share what works for you in this interactive workshop. We will focus on hands-on educational activities that can be adapted for all ages and species!

4-H Animal Science Project Resources You Want To Know About

Are you looking for resources to help you provide fun, interactive and educational activities for youth enrolled in 4-H animal projects? This session will highlight a variety of materials available to you as a 4-H animal science club leader or volunteer. Additionally, turn the pages of the 4-H animal project leader guides, discuss the various types of activities they feature and explore ways to use them to enhance project learning opportunities you are offering for youth enrolled in animal projects.

Best friends deserve the best care! How to help your pet live a long and healthy life

This workshop will provide an overview of common health problems in cats and dogs and the ways that pet owners can prevent them. Through good nutrition, exercise, preventative health care and knowledge of breed-specific health problems, pet owners can help their best friends have long, happy and healthy lives.

Livestock Parasitology 101

This workshop will give an overview of internal parasites in livestock which includes tools to help you manage internal parasitism in livestock. It will also give you an introduction to fecal egg analysis.

The Real Scoop on Poop

Ever wonder what your vet sees under the microscope when you submit a manure sample? Or, perhaps you wonder if it's really necessary to buy all those wormers and struggle to get them into your horse every 6-8 weeks all year long? Here's your chance! We will examine manure samples under the microscope, identify the most common worms threatening our equines, and discuss the new recommended schedule for controlling them. Bring your own manure samples so you can have a better idea of the infestation levels of your favorite four legged friend or use ours for comparisons.

Animal Learning Lab Kits: Take a Closer Look

Take an up-close and in-depth look inside the Animal Science Learning Lab Kits from Ohio 4-H and explore how they can be a valuable resource to you in providing species-specific, hands-on and interactive learning experiences for your animal project members. Learning Labs are available for Beef, Dairy, Dog, Goat, Horse, Poultry, Rabbit, Sheep and Swine. Each Kit includes posters, charts, diagrams, situation/task statements, instructions and more on various topics including Anatomy, Breeds, Care, Equipment, Handling, Grooming, Nutrition, Quality Assurance, Safety and more. We will explain how you can borrow these great kits for use in your club or county.

Mount Up: Finding a Suitable 4-H Project Horse

So you are looking for a 4-H project horse. What are the considerations for finding that perfect equine partner for your 4-H'er? In this session, we'll take a look at what horse qualities and attributes help to ensure success between 4-H'er and horse. We'll also explore what you need to know before you start shopping for the project horse.

Exploring Livestock Nutrition

Come explore the digestive system of the monogastric and ruminant in this fun, hands-on session. Learn nutrition basics, why animals require different feedstuffs, and what is in your animal's feed.

Maryland Dairy 4-H – Help Shape Its Future (Round Table)

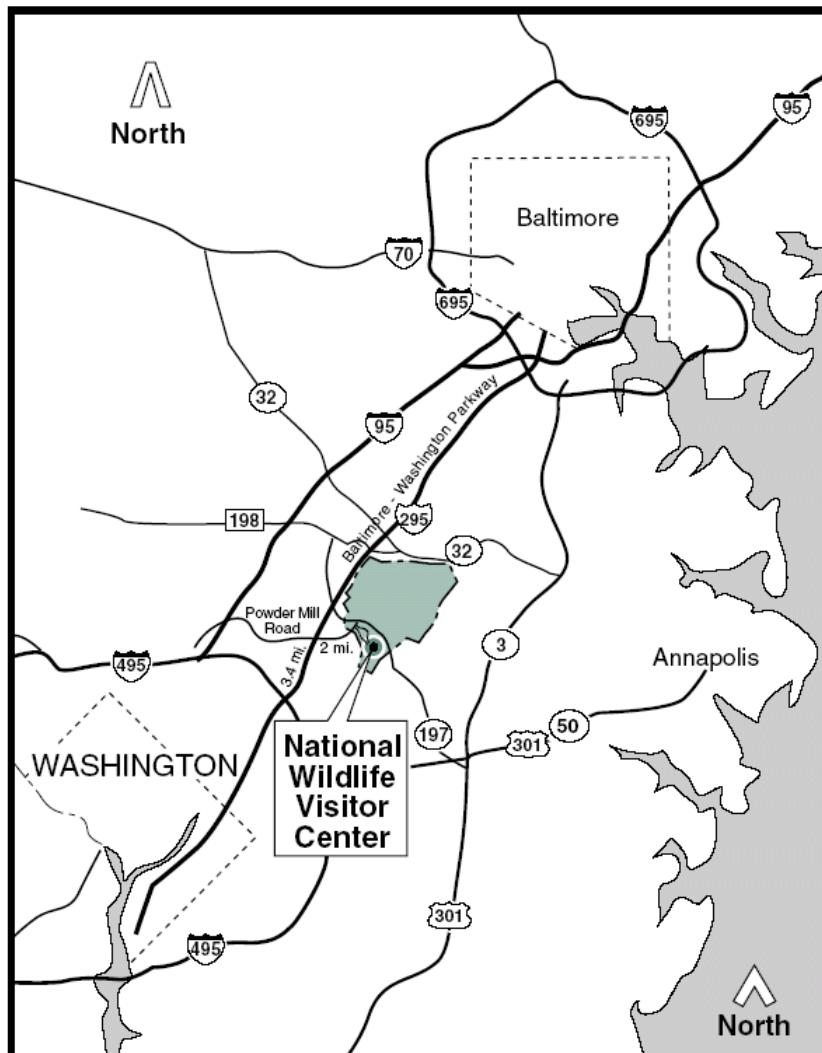
This is your chance to help us keep the dairy program growing in the right direction. Discuss and evaluate the current Maryland 4-H Dairy program. Provide your input and leadership to discuss and plan future activities and events.

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From Baltimore

Take B/W Parkway South to Powder Mill Road exit
Turn Left (East) onto Powder Mill Road
Go 1.9 miles & turn Right into Visitor Center Entrance (Scarlet Tanager Loop)
Go 1.3 miles to parking lot

From Washington, D.C.

Take B/W Parkway North to Powder Mill Road exit
Turn Right (East) onto Powder Mill Road
Go 1.9 miles & turn Right into Visitor Center Entrance (Scarlet Tanager Loop)
Go 1.3 miles to parking lot

From Annapolis

Take US 50/US 301 West and go approx. 12.5 miles to Exit 11. Take the Collington Rd/MD-197N exit (Exit 11) and bear Right. Proceed 8.7 miles to Powder Mill Road intersection (stoplight) & turn Left onto Powder Mill Road. Go .5 miles & turn Left into Visitor Center Entrance (Scarlet Tanager Loop)
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