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The 4-H Office in Baltimore County will be CLOSED on:
• October 14, 2013

GROW 4-H GROW!
The 4-H program is a great way for youth to gain life skills that will prepare them to be successful adults. Youth learn a variety of skills including leadership, science, citizenship and healthy living. We want to reach at least 2,000 young people ages 5-18 with 4-H in 2013 through clubs, afterschool programs, school enrichment programs, camp, special interest and individual study. We challenge each club and 4-H program to increase their reach in 2013! For promotional ideas, please contact Nia Fields at Nfields@umd.edu.

LET’S GROW OUR 4-H PROGRAM
BALTIMORE COUNTY 4-H FAIR MORE THAN 700 YOUTH TOOK THE TOUR!
Sudeep Mathew invites 4-H group to experience his potato research farm.

Maryland AGsploration Wild and Wooly crime scene investigation lesson.

Baltimore County 4-H All Stars attending standing left to right: Andy Cashman, Janice Coroneos, Dale Wheeler, Leo Wolff Jr., Kelly Wilson, Edward Cashman, Ruth Rye, Susan Coroneos, Joyce Truxel, Fana Wolff, Nancy Greene, Olivia Fox, Marvin Fox, Doris Rye, Jamie Wolff and Leo Wolff III

2013 Inductees to the Maryland 4-H All Stars from Baltimore County seated left to right: Diane Wright, Lisa Wheeler, Laura Wheeler, Shannon Feidler, Melissa Craneos, Renee Wilson, Brooke Cashman, Prudence Preston
I led the JMG seed cookies lesson was wearing this shirt the same day I just happened to wear my Balto.

This summer I had the amazing opportunity to travel to Quetzaltenango, Guatemala for eight weeks and volunteer as an agricultural sciences teacher in the local elementary schools. This trip was part of my Master’s program at Texas A&M University and while there I conducted research for my thesis. I am currently studying Agricultural Leadership, Education, Communications with a focus in International Agricultural Development.

I grew up in Baltimore County 4-H and so have witnessed and experienced first-hand the incredible impacts that 4-H can have on youth development. In addition, a lot of research has been done which suggests that 4-H can have substantial impacts on life-skill development (such as improved communication and leadership skills), healthy-living, and attitudes towards science. Therefore, I was interested to study the impacts of 4-H curriculum on youth in an international setting such as Guatemala.

Many developing countries in Central America have underdeveloped and under supported education systems and so many students, especially impoverished rural indigenous students, are limited in what they can learn and achieve. The rural youth are generally not a high priority group for government policies in developing countries and so tend to receive less education, have fewer opportunities for employment, face more health problems, and are more likely to be involved in civil conflicts (Bennel, 2007). Their potential is stifled by lack of support and as a result so is the country’s overall development. After all, the youth are the future of any country! Programs that support youth development, such as 4-H, ought to be encouraged within developing countries so that the youth can build strong foundations for their futures.

One possibility of a 4-H program that has the potential to have a significant impact on youth is the Junior Master Gardener (JMG) program. The JMG program is an international youth gardening program operated through the University Extension network which uses fun, creative, and interactive lessons designed to teach elementary aged children about horticulture, the environment, service-learning, and life-skill development. Therefore, while in Guatemala this summer I selected and led about 20 JMG lessons from the Junior Master Gardener Level ONE Teacher/Leader Guide and then evaluated the impacts on the students and teachers.

The topics of lessons included plant needs, plant parts, benefits of plants, soil composition, the water cycle, food chain, benefits of insects, food pyramid, pollution, and recycling. Overall, I had a great time with the kids and I think that they really learned a lot too! Some of the teachers that I worked with indicated that they thought that their students showed an increased desire to learn about science, stronger leadership and group work skills, and a better understanding about the importance of taking care of the environment.

For my final lesson, I led a classic JMG activity with the kids in which we created small seed “cookies” out of paper mache. We blended newspaper and water together, put the mixture in cookie cutter molds, and then buried a small vegetable seed within the cookie. Once the cookies had dried, the students were able to take them home, share with their parents about what they learned, and then plant the cookie and watch their vegetable plant grow! My parents came to visit me my last week in Guatemala so of course they jumped right in and got their hands dirty and helped lead this fun activity as well.

The organization that I volunteered with was so impressed by the JMG curriculum that they asked if they could keep the JMG lesson book so that they could give it to other volunteers to use in the future!

I look forward to following up with them within the next few months to see how the JMG program is doing! I am so thankful for everything that I learned during my 12 years in Baltimore County 4-H and I am so honored and thrilled to have had the opportunity to share 4-H with youth around the world! It is my hope that they too can use 4-H to become strong leaders within their schools, communities, country, and world!

Reference:
BALTIMORE COUNTY 4-HERS DO A TERRIFIC JOB AT THE 2013 MARYLAND STATE FAIR
BALTIMORE COUNTY 4-H LIVESTOCK SKILL-A-THON

COVERING BEEF, SHEEP, SWINE, & MEAT GOATS

TOPICS INCLUDE:

★ BREED IDENTIFICATION
★ EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION
★ MEAT ID/ JUDGING
★ PARTS OF THE ANIMAL
★ FEED & GRAIN ID
★ PLANTS AND WEEDS ID
★ HAY ID/ JUDGING
★ ANIMAL HEALTH/ BIOSECURITY
★ AND MUCH MORE!

Weekly practices beginning late September on Wednesdays
Location: Genesee Valley Outdoor Learning Center

**UNLESS PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE WITH A COACH, PARENTS ARE NOT TO BE IN STUDY SESSION**

For information or to sign up contact:
Lisa Wheeler: Littlemiraclebaa@aol.com Or 410-800-5105
4-H REC AND PARKS AND THE LIBRARY STAFF GET FOR 4-H AFTERSCHOOL WITH TRAINING

The Baltimore County Rec & Parks and Library Staff attended a full day training gearing up for 4-H afterschool. Youth will engage in wind power, GIS technology, community leadership and healthy living.

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS & 4-H FAMILIES!

Thank you to all of the parents, 4-Hers, and volunteers who make the 4-H Fair a memorable event!

4TH ANNUAL FAMILY FARM DAY

When: Sunday, September 22, 2013, 10 am to 4:00 pm.

Where: Baltimore County Center for Maryland Agriculture, 1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville, Maryland

Cost: $10 per carload, so load 'em up! All proceeds go towards programs to protect Maryland agriculture.

Kids face painting, pumpkin painting, build a scarecrow, milk a cow, make butter, live animals, relay races, hay pile, 2-legged steeple chase Farm Fresh Bazaar local farm fresh fruits, vegetables, meats, cheeses, ice cream and honey; crafts and collectibles.

Music Great line up of Blue Grass Musicians including Arty Hill and the Long Gone Daddies, Cris Jacobs and the Union Men and the Mayo Family Band.

Food Yummy Yummy. The Smoking Swine Food Truck is confirmed!

Demonstrations bee keeping, beer making, fox hunting, sheep herding, Master Gardeners, alpaca agility, tractor driving, farm tours. Have a farm-related demonstration you would like to share? Email Bronwyn - bronwyn@marylandagriculture.org

Competitions corn shucking, cow pie bingo, silent auction, scarecrow auction, cow milking

For more details, contact the MARC office – Bronwyn@marylandagriculture.org or phone 410-229-0530.

DID YOU KNOW THEY WERE IN 4-H?

Julia Roberts was born in Smyrna, Georgia, and she never thought she would become the most popular actress in America. When she was a young girl she was in 4-H with her brother. She loved animals and thought she would become a veterinarian, but later studied journalism. She decided to try acting after her brother, Eric Roberts, achieved some success in Hollywood.

Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis had a great love of horses and satisfied that love through 4-H. She was an excellent writer before meeting and marrying John F. Kennedy.

PHOTO CONTEST

Send in your photos today for the next month Photo contest to:

4-H Office
1114 Shawan Road, Suite 2
Cockeysville, MD 21030

T-SHIRT SALE

T-Shirts are now on sale in the 4-H office. They are $10 each sizes youth through adult. Please contact the 4-H office if you are interested in some for you or your club at 410-771-1761.

“If YOU NEED ASSISTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN A 4-H ACTIVITY, PLEASE CONTACT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND EXTENSION AT 410-771-1761 AT LEAST TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO THE ACTIVITY DATE.”
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- **6 AGNR Open House - CMREC**
- **7 4-H National Week**
- **8 4-H National Youth Science Day**
- **9 4-H National Week**
- **10 Volunteer Association Meeting**
  - 7:30 pm at the Ag Ctr./4-H Office
- **14 IRS 990-N e-Postcard (Club Tax reporting)**
- **15 Fair Board Meeting**
  - 7:30 p.m. in the Museum Building at the Fairgrounds
- **17 Fair Board and Association Meeting**
  - 7:30 p.m. in the Museum Building at the Fairgrounds
- **21 Volunteer/Teen Forum in Ocean City**
- **24 Volunteer/Teen Forum in Ocean City**
- **25 Thanksgiving Day**
  - 4-H Office Closed

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- **3 Record Book Training**
  - 6:30 p.m. at the 4-H Office
- **6 Record Book Training**
  - 6:30 p.m. at the 4-H Office
- **10 Fair Board Meeting**
  - 7:30 pm in the Museum Building at the Fairgrounds
- **14 Volunteer/Teen Forum in Ocean City**
- **24 Volunteer/Teen Forum in Ocean City**
- **28 Thanksgivings Day**
  - 4-H Office Closed
## 2014 BALTIMORE COUNTY 4-H PROGRAM

### JANUARY
- Beef & Dairy Steer Ownership deadline 1/1/14
- Tagging for Beef and Dairy Steers- 1/1/14 @ 8:00 a.m.  (snow date is 1/18/14)
- Officer’s Training 1/22/14 @ 6:30 p.m.
- Winter Workshop- 1/18/14 Ag Center
- MD 4-H Gala 1/19/14- Carriage Rm., Laurel Park
- MD Horse World Expo and 4-H Art Contest 1/17 – 1/19/14
- MD 4-H Animal Science Volunteer Forum - Patuxent Research Ctr, Laurel, MD TBD
- Record Books, Senior Portfolios and Award Nominations due 2/3/14
- Volunteer Association Mtg./ New parent orientation 2/6/14 @ 7:30 p.m.
- 4-H Day in Annapolis 2/17/14
- Intent to show swine, lamb, goats, Commercial beef heifers, Commercial breeding sheep 4/1/14
- National 4-H Conference- 4/6-4/11/14
- Ag Science Series- Soil Conservation/Agronomy 4/12/14 @ 1pm
- Dairy Bowl- TBD- ANSC Bldg UMCP
- Triple Crown Horse Weekend: Horse Judging/ Hippology/ Bowl TBA
- MD Day- 4/26/14- UMD College Park
- State Communications Contest- 4/26/14
- MD Engineering camp –April TBD
- Public Relation Efforts by Clubs form due 7/1/14
- Quality Assurance due July 1
- Baltimore County Fair 7/6-7/7/14 set up & 7/8-7/13/14 Fair
- MD 4-H Horse Jamboree/Communication Contest Westminster, MD TBD
- MD State Fair 8/22 – 9/1/14
- Club Leader Training & Club Re-enrollment Mtg. 9/20/14 @ 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Club financial report and property inventory form due county office 9/15/14
- State Marksmanship Contest September 6, 2014
- 4-H National Youth Science Day- 10/8/14
- National 4-H week 10/5 – 10/11/14
- State 4-H Dog Bowl Contest TBD
- MD Livestock Skillathon- 3/1/14- Hagerstown, MD
- Ag Science Series Anatomy & Reproduction -3/18/14 @ 1pm
- Hippology Clinic- TBD Carroll County Extension
- Public Speaking Contest & Demonstration Day- 3/14/14 @ 6:30 p.m.
- Achievement Day- Sunday 3/23/14@ 3:00 p.m.(Oregon Ridge-Sequoia Room)
- Member enrollment deadline to show in County Fair 5/1/14
- Volunteer Association Mtg. 5/1/14 @ 7:30 p.m.
- MD Sheep & Wool Festival 5/3-5/4/14
- Sheep and Wool Skillathon 5/4/14
- Ownership date for swine, lamb, goats, Commercial beef heifers, Commercial breeding sheep 5/1/14
- Tagging for swine, lamb, goats, Commercial beef heifers, Commercial breeding sheep- 5/10/14
- Wills Fair, Howard County- 5/17/14
- County Fair Entries, pony and dog ID tags due 6/1/14
- Animal Lease forms due 6/1/14
- Day camp 08/4/14- 08/08/14 Oregon Ridge Park
- County Fair Registration 12/6/14
- Member/Volunteer enrollments, mandatory charter renewal forms, club by-laws, club annual calendar, AA form & club information sheet due 12/31/14

Future dates are tentative. Check for date/time changes and most up to date information in your Newsletter.

Updated 8/29/13
Maryland 4-H
WHEP Weekend!
October 18th-20th, 2013
Camp Misty Mount, Catoctin Mountain Park, Thurmont, MD

What is WHEP?
WHEP stands for Wildlife Habitat Education Program. It’s a National 4-H program which teaches wildlife identification, ecological concepts, and wildlife management practices in a fun, hands-on way. The Maryland WHEP Contest will be in the spring of 2014 with a National Contest held in July, 2014.

Where is the WHEP Weekend?
The camp will be held at Camp Misty Mount, an historic camp with log cabins in the middle of Catoctin Mountain National Park. More information can be found here: http://www.nps.gov/cato/planyourvisit/misty.html

What will I do at the WHEP Weekend?
Activities will include:
- An introduction to WHEP Contest content
- Ecology-based games and lessons
- A service project involving removal of invasive plant species in the park
- A presentation by a Wildlife Management professional who works in the park
- Campfire program
- Hiking/Exploring the outdoors

The Maryland State WHEP Weekend will soon be here!!!

Who can participate?
- Any 4-Her or other youth that was 11-18 as of Jan. 1st, 2013 that has an interest in the outdoors and may want to participate in the 2014 Maryland WHEP Contest.
- Any UME adult volunteer who would be willing to coach or help in another way with the 2014 Maryland WHEP Contest.

What do I need to bring?
- Warm Sleeping bag/blankets
- Pillow
- Warm clothes! We’ll spend a lot of time outside hiking and working. Layers will be important!
- Sturdy hiking boots/shoes
- Toiletries (including towel)
- Flashlight (no electricity in cabins)

What time is pick-up/drop-off?
Friday, Oct. 18th: Arrival begins at 6:30 PM
Sunday, Oct. 20th: Pick-up will be at noon

What happens after I register?
After your registration and payment have been received, you will be sent additional information and forms, including waivers and a health form, that must be completed and returned before October 15th. If necessary, completed forms may be brought to the WHEP Weekend by participants.

WHEP Weekend Registration Form

Name:___________________ Age: ___
Address: ___________________________ City: ___________ State: ___ Zip:______
Telephone: (day)____________ (eve)____________
County/City: _______________________ E-mail:  ___________________________

Individual(s) that participant would like to share a cabin with:

Registration Fee: $50.00 per participant (Fee includes all meals on Saturday and breakfast Sunday morning, plus snacks. NO DINNER will be served Friday evening. Please include payment with registration)

Participant is a(n): (check one)
Adult _____ Youth _____
Male _____ Female _____

*Please send in a separate registration form for each participant*

Make checks payable to: Maryland 4-H Foundation

Please Return By Sept. 27th to:
Jim Serfass
UME- Carroll County Office
700 Agriculture Center
Westminster, MD 21157
jserfass@umd.edu

If you have a disability that requires special assistance for your participation in this program, please contact Jim Serfass 410-386-2760 by September 27th, 2013.
Come join us for a weekend of fun in the outdoors! Learn about the 4-H Wildlife Habitat Education Program! For more information regarding the program and the National WHEP contest visit the 4-H WHEP website: http://www.whep.org/

Directions To Camp Misty Mount

From Baltimore:
Take I-695 beltway to I-70 West to Frederick, MD. Take Route 15 North to Thurmont, MD. Take Route 77 West (the exit sign says Catoctin Mountain Park.) Travel approximately 3 miles west on 77 and turn right onto Park Central Road. Pass the Visitor Center and continue 7/10 of a mile and turn left into Camp Misty Mount.

From DC area:
Take the George Washington Memorial Parkway north to I-495 to I-270 north 27 miles to Frederick, MD. Take Route 15 17 miles north to Thurmont, MD. Take Route 77 West, the exit sign is marked Catoctin Mountain Park. Travel approximately 3 miles west on 77 and turn right onto Park Central Road. Pass the Visitor Center and continue 7/10 of a mile and turn left into Camp Misty Mount.

From Hagerstown, Western MD:
Take I-70 East to Route 66 North for 7 miles. Turn right onto Route 64 (East) for 1 mile then turn right at a traffic light onto Route 77 East for approximately 7 miles. Turn left onto Park Central Road. Pass the Visitor Center and continue for 7/10 of a mile and turn left into Camp Misty Mount.

From East (Annapolis/Bay Bridge) area:
Take 301W/50W, exit onto MD 2 North for 8 miles, keep left to stay on MD 100W for 17.5 miles. Exit onto 29 N, merge onto 170W, and continue for 34 miles. Take Route 15 17 miles north to Thurmont, MD. Take Route 77 West, the exit sign is marked Catoctin Mountain Park. Travel approximately 3 miles west on 77 and turn right onto Park Central Road. Pass the Visitor Center and continue 7/10 of a mile and turn left into Camp Misty Mount.

Maryland 4-H WHEP Weekend!!!
Wildlife Habitat Education Program
October 18th-20th, 2013
At Camp Misty Mount, Catoctin Mountain National Park, Thurmont, MD

For any additional information, please contact Jim Serfass jserfass@umd.edu 410-386-2760
CLUB CORNER

Fair Board and Association:
All meetings are held at the Museum Building at the MD Fairgrounds at 7:30 pm
Sept. 26 FB & A, Oct. 24 FB, Nov. 21 FB & A
University of Maryland Extension
4-H Volunteer Training:
This is for New UME 4-H Volunteers the Webinar is 2 hrs.
A volunteer must have completed all UME Volunteer paperwork before attending the training. Please call 410-771-1761 to register.

4-H Volunteer Association Meeting/New Parent Presentation
February 6, 2014 @ 7:30 pm

Annual Club leader/volunteer training
September 21, 2013 10 am – 3 pm

MANDATORY CLUB LEADER/VOLUNTEER TRAINING

It’s that time of year again for our mandatory club leader training! All club leaders (or a volunteer representative) are expected to attend the training on September 21, 2013 from 10:00 a.m. – 3 p.m. All interested volunteers are also encouraged/welcome to attend as well. Lunch will be provided!

This training will include:
1. 4-H Updates
2. Marketing Opportunities
4. An appreciative inquiry focus group.

The training will be engaging and hands on. Our goal is for every participant to walk away with new and insightful information that will help improve our 4-H clubs and youth development program!

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