

# Macon County 4-H

**March 2020**

## March Club Dates

- 9 EPICS Youth Council – 6:30
- 11 4-H Stitchers 3:45 – 5:30
- 17 Top Chef – 3:45
- 18 Budding Chefs – 3:45
- 19 Crafty Crafters – 3:45
- 26 Market Steers 6:00
- 30 Chess Club 3:45 – 5:00
- 31 Sharp Shooters 7:00

## 2020 Market Lambs

It's time to sign up for lambs. Our orientation meeting will be on Tuesday April 23rd. Please make sure you have completed your enrollment form before you sign up for a lamb. We are planning on receiving lambs around the first weekend in June.

## Bluebird Monitoring Project



We are still accepting participant in the bluebird project. We will install bluebird houses this month on the Greenway. Please join us on Tuesday March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4:00 to learn all about our local bluebird population and what is being done to help them. Mr. George Kay will be our speaker.

## Electric Workshop

Do you want to know how circuits, wires and bulbs work together to give us light? In April, we will have an Electric Project and make a soil moisture monitor. Our class will be on April 7th from 3:45-5:45. This class is for youth 9-19 and it is free. Space is limited so please sign up by March 31st. Two Macon 4-Hers will be selected from this group for a free 3-day electric summer camp. Call Tammara for more info.

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## **Archery** **Age 9-12**

Macon Archers will take the month of March off and will start shooting again in April. Watch your email and text for information about a range clean up day. We will hit the ground running in April.

*(Picture note: Katelyn Garcia with her "Robin Hood" arrows on February 27<sup>th</sup>.)*



## **Budding Chefs** **Age 5-8**

In February, we created lemon volcanos and learned to make overnight oats. Budding Chefs members can now fix our own breakfast! Our next meeting will be on Wednesday March 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:45.



## **Top Chefs** **Age 9-18**

Last month the Chefs made strawberry cupcakes. They may be ready for spring. Top Chefs will be working with a great new 4-H program called "Cooking Up Confidence" starting in March. This month we will be working with fresh fruit. Our next meeting will be Tuesday March 17<sup>th</sup> at 3:45.

## **Chess Club** **Age 5-18**

Do you want to learn how to play chess? This group is a great way to learn. No matter your level, we have someone for you to play with and learn from. Next meeting: Monday March 30<sup>th</sup> at 3:45.

## **EPICS Youth Council** **Age 13 – 18**

EPICS member Alisa Campbell helped with the first 4-H radio spot this month. 4-H will be on the radio the second Saturday of each month at 8:00am. EPICS Youth Council is for youth ages 13-18 that are interested in community service and learning wonderful leadership skills. This group travels, does community service projects and meets high achieving 4-H youth from all over North Carolina. We will attend the West District Teen Retreat on March 14<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>. Our next meeting will be on Monday March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30.



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## **4-H Steer Club**

**Age 10 -18**

Our group is already washing, grooming and walking our show animals. Some members have already been to their first show of the year and our whole group will attend the Spring Fling in April.

## **Crafty Crafters**

**Age 5-18**

In February, we made Valentines hearts pillows. This month we will weave a bowl. Our next meeting is on Thursday March 19<sup>th</sup> at 3:45. Please sign up by March 17<sup>th</sup> so that we have craft materials for you.

## **Macon Mountain Goats 4-H**

**Age 5-18**

We will participate in the Small Ruminant Workshop on March 21<sup>st</sup>. Please wear your t-shirt and come learn all about goat health.

## **Macon Sharp Shooters**

**Age 9-19**

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday March 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30pm.

## **Sassy Stitchers**

**Age 8-18**

In March, we will make a project for our sewing box. Our meeting will be on a different week this month. We will meet on Wednesday March 11<sup>th</sup> from 3:45 – 5:30. Please bring your sewing box and materials.

## **Small Ruminant Workshop**

**Come learn all about how to care for lambs and goats at the Small Ruminant Workshop.**

**Things you can learn:**

**Nutrition – Parasite Control – How to Care for Your Pasture – Reproduction – And more...**


**Saturday March 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:00am. Attendance is free but you must register.**

**Call Joe Deal for more information 828-349-2046**

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## 4-H Calendar - March 2020

	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Bluebird Project 4:00pm				
8	9		11	12	13	14
	EPICS 6:30		4-H Stitchers 3:45			Teen Retreat
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Teen Retreat		Top Chef 3:45	Budding Chefs 3:45	Crafty Crafters 3:45		Lamb and Goat Workshop 9:00
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
				Steer Club 6:00pm		
29	30	31				
	Chess Club 3:45	Sharp Shooters 7:00				

Please Remember: If school is canceled due to weather, our 4-H meetings are also canceled. **Parents, please do not bring sick or feverish children to 4-H due to the number of youth that can potentially be made sick. Thank you.**