

Macon County Center

North Carolina Cooperative Extension

193 Thomas Heights Rd Franklin, NC 28734

Macon County 4-H

Congrats to Jadie Norton for having the largest **Pumpkin for 2020 in the Summer Gardening** Project. Her pumpkin weighed 31 lbs!

October 2020

October Club Dates

Macon County 4-H Reopening Plan

We are ready to get back to 4-H business! We have missed you and all of the creative fun you bring to 4-H!

It is important that you and your parents decide when is the best time for you to come back to 4-H activities. Different families will be on different schedules to join face-to-face activities.

Here are some steps we will use to help keep us all healthy and safe:

- 1. Different clubs and club leaders will restart based on their own timing and health decisions.
- 2. We will check temperatures at the door and require masks for all activities
- 3. You will need to sign up ahead of time before a meeting to attend. We cannot have unplanned attendance at this time.
- 4. All participants will be asked to wash hands on entering the building and before going back to your car.
- 5. And of course, we ask that anyone who feels sick to not come to meetings.

Thank you for helping us stay safe and healthy.

Congratulations to our Livestock 4-Hers. Way to show off those goats, lambs and cattle!!

During our livestock show at the end of September, 31 Macon County 4-Hers showed off their hard work this year. Some of these presenters had over a year of work in their show animal. Let's congratulate them on their hard work and achievements!











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Club Pages

Archery Age 9-18

We will meet at the outdoor range on Thursday October 22nd as long as it is not raining. Please email Carol or call and sign up to shoot by Tuesday the 20th. We will email you the day before with instructions about our sign in process.

Top Chefs Age 9-18

This month Top Chefs will make fruit salad with a fruit dip on Tuesday October 20th at 3:45. We are excited to get back to cooking. We need for you to let us know you are coming and sign up to attend by Monday October 19th. This class has a limited number of spaces, please contact us to let us know you are interested.

EPICS Youth Council

Age 13 - 18

We will meet on Monday October 26th for our regular monthly meeting. Come with ideas for our upcoming year and service projects.

Macon Mountain Goats 4-H

Age 5-18

Congratulations to our member that showed at the Macon County livestock show. Watch the Cooperative Extension website for upcoming videos about goats, taught by our members! Many club members will be attending the Jefferson County Goat Show the last weekend of October. Follow the Macon Mountain Goats 4-H club FaceBook group to find out about upcoming meetings and activities.



<u>Organizational Meeting for Hoofprints 4-H Horse Club – Horse Bowl and Horse Judging Teams</u>

During the winter, we practice for upcoming spring horse bowl and horse judging competitions. If you would like to learn more about this exciting competition, please join us for an organizational meeting on Thursday October 22nd at 6:00pm. Learn all about how the competition works, how you will learn all about horses and our practice schedule. For more information call Tammara at 349-2226 or Kara Setser at 342-3967

Macon County 4-H's monthly Newsletter is going online in December. We want to add links, info and areas that can be accessed through our latest information opportunities. We will continue to have a printable calendar to put on the fridge. Watch for our change and give us your opinion..

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Persons with disabilities may request accommodations to participate by contacting the County Extension Director at (828) 349-2046 or fax (828)349-2405, or in person at the Macon County Extension Office at least 10 (ten) days prior to the event.

4-H Calendar - October 2020

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	2	12	Good Luck to our Lamb 4-Hers at the State Fair	26 EPICS Youth Council 6:30
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