



# September

MONTHLY  
LOUGHDOWN



# Adult Volunteers Still Needed!

We are still actively looking for Adult Volunteers to help out with various programs:

- ~ Shooting Sports Instructors
  - ~ Special Events Volunteers
  - ~ Community Garden Volunteers
    - ~ Livestock Volunteers
    - ~ Fishing Volunteers
    - ~ and many more!
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## CLUB Meetings

### **Tom Cowden 4-H Youth Shooting Sports:**

Will be having their meetings on Saturday, September 10, from 10 - Noon;  
and Tuesday, September 27, from 6:30 - 8:30 pm

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## *New Address*

We are now at:

**642 Wilkesboro Street  
Suite 100**

Behind Alex's

**Stop by and say Hi!**

# Egg-cellent Egg Contest

Don't miss out on this EGG-CITING Opportunity!!!

The EGG-cellent Egg Contest is coming up!

This contest is for 4-H'ers with a flock of chickens that are currently laying eggs. Participants can submit up to 2 dozen eggs to be evaluated in both internal and external quality.

There are categories for PeeWee eggs (15 oz/dozen) up to Jumbot eggs (30 oz/dozen).

The cost to enter eggs will be \$15 per participant and registration can be found here: <https://go.ncsu.edu/2022eggcontestregistration>

Registration ends on SEPT. 9 and eggs need to be submitted to our office by NOV. 1. Along with submitting eggs to be judged, there will be supplemental zoom trainings to increase youth knowledge of the program and poultry. If you have any questions, contact Danny.





# 4-H FOR ADULTS

This fall, 4-H isn't just going to be for youth! Join N.C. Cooperative Extension and Davie County 4-H for interactive and hands-on workshops introducing you to our 4-H Curriculum and youth development through hands-on learning! A wide range of topics will be covered from hands-on science curriculum to how to start a school garden.

All workshops are FREE unless otherwise listed. They are geared towards adults that regularly work with youth.

**Each workshop is two hours and counts for 0.2 CEU credits for NC educators.**



If you have any questions or would like to know more about Davie County 4-H, please reach out to Danny Lough.

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## WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

- September 1st: Discover 4-H!
- September 12th: Creating an Inclusive Environment for Youth with Disabilities
- September 22nd: Soil Conservation at Home
- October 13th: Vermicomposting Curriculum
- October 18th: Starting a School Garden
- November 8th: Ages & Stages/ Learning Preferences
- November 10th: Electricity Curriculum
- November 17th: High School Microbes Curriculum
- November 19th: Ages & Stages/ Learning Preferences
- December 12th: 2nd Grade Butterfly Curriculum

## Registration on Eventbrite



**Scan the QR Code above to find out more information and to register for the workshops!**

# 4-H Christmas Ornament Decorating Contest

We are excited to announce that  
we got a Christmas Tree at the Carolina Classic Fair!

However we need our 4-Hers help to create decorations for the tree!  
Each 4-H youth is allowed to create up to TEN (10) ornaments and submit  
them to the contest. ALL ornaments will be used on the tree!

Winners will receive a cool award in the following age groups:

- ~ Cloverbud (5-7 year old)
- ~ Junior (8-13 year old)
- ~ Senior (14-18 year old)

All ornaments should be brought to our Davie County Center (642  
Wilkesboro St.) by Thursday, Sept. 16 by 5 pm.

If you have any questions reach out to Danny by email or calling the office.





## OPPORTUNITY 4 ALL 4-H CLUB

We are excited to announce the formation of the NEW Opportunity 4 All 4-H Club led by 4-H Volunteer Lola Baker! The club will focus on teaching youth ages 8-18 years old about different opportunities and programs available to them across Davie County.

Some potential activities include:

- ~ River Ecology
- ~ Goal Setting
- ~ Robotics
- ~ College Readiness and Scholarships
- ~ Healthy Living

The club will be based in Cooleemee and meetings (weather permitting) will be at the River Park at Cooleemee Falls aka "The Bull Hole"!

If you are interested in attending a meeting or would like more information about the club please fill out this short survey: [New Club Survey](#).

If you have question about the club please reach out to Danny.



# Congratulations!

To our Tom Cowden 4-H Youth Shooting Sports teams and youth that competed in the Central Region Shooting Sports Tournament! 17 of 18 qualified to attend and participate in the State Tournament in October!

- ~ First Place - Senior Team - Smallbore Pistol, Air Pistol, and Muzzleloader - Charles Whisenhunt, Ethan Durham, Rebekah Walker, Timothy Walker
  - ~ 2 HOA finishes by Rebekah Walker
  - ~ 2 Second Place by Ethan Durham - Air Pistol and Smallbore Pistol
- ~ First Place - DC Junior Blazers - Open Sight, Rifle, and Muzzleloader - Riley Barnes, Brantlee Evans, Connor Mathis, Tyler Nichols and Levi Williams
- ~ Second Place - DC Junior Blazers - Compound Sporter Archery - Riley Barnes, Brantlee Evans, Connor Mathis, Tyler Nichols and Levi Williams
- ~ Third Place - DC Junior Blazers - Telescopic Rifle - Riley Barnes, Brantlee Evans, Connor Mathis, Tyler Nichols and Levi Williams
  - ~ Levi Williams - Second HOA in Shotgun, HOA in Muzzleloader
- ~ Second Place - DC Junior Crushers - Muzzleloader, Air Rifle - Ryan Bullins, Cameron White, Christopher Lyons, Levi White, Kenzey Smith
- ~ DC Junior Hole Punchers - Evan Durham, Saul Hardy, Oliver Filmore, Lacie Tesnar
  - ~ Second Place and Second HOA - Evan Durham - Air Pistol
- ~ Second Place - Sporter Recurve Archery - Lacie Tesnar, Saul Hardy, Oliver Filmore

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~ Alivia Shaw, Caleb Shaw, Kaleigh Shaw, Elizabeth Sanner, Olivia Sanner for showing lambs at the Yadkin-Davie Livestock Show

- ~ Elizabeth Sanner - Grand Champion - Breeding Ewe
- ~ Olivia Sanner - Grand Champion Reserve - Breeding Ewe

# Tell Me Something Good!

We want to hear about our  
4-Her accomplishments!

This includes, but not limited to:  
awards, scholarships, community  
service, etc. Email Danny to get  
a highlight spot in the next  
Loughdown!



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