

# Upcoming

## Achievement night

Friday, April 19th at 6-7:30pm Join us for a celebration of Davie county 4-H members and Volunteers! We will provide dinner and refreshments! Please see our flyer in the newsletter for more information.

RSVP by April 10th at

## Club meetings

Tom Cowden Shooting Sports - 4/8 at 6-8pm. 4/13 at 10am & 4/23 at 6-8pm

Tails and Trails Horse Club - 4/15 at 6:00pm

County Council - 4/15 at 5:30-7pm

Opportunity 4 All - 4/25 at 5-6pm

## Farm Animal Day

If you homeschool and would like to sign your students (2nd-4th grade) up for a fun agriculture filled day on April 24th please reach out to [abby\\_williams@ncsu.edu](mailto:abby_williams@ncsu.edu).

Details in Upcoming Events

## Club News

### Tom Cowden Youth Shooting Sports

Regular meetings are back!

Monday, April 8th at 6-8pm &

Tuesday, April 23rd at 6-8pm

At the Tom Cowden Youth Shooting Sports Range

Fun Shoot

Saturday, April 13 at 10am-12pm

Check out their most recent newsletter on facebook!

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## **COUNTY COUNCIL**

Monday's, April 15th at 5:30-7pm

We will finalize Achievement Night plans, discuss upcoming events and have an activity to identify tips and tricks of public speaking! If you are a teen interested in joining this council please reach out! Both meetings will be held at the Davie County Cooperative Extension Office.

## **Opportunity 4 All**

Thursday, April 25 at 5-6pm - Rich Park

This month we will celebrate Arbor day with nature themed activities and walk. If you are interested in joining this club please reach out to us! This club is for ages 8-18 and will cover a variety of topics including exploration of the natural world and art!

## **Tails and Trails Horse Club**

Monday, April 15th at 6 pm

This is a youth horse club open to youth ages 8-18 as of Jan. 1 of the current year. This club focuses on teaching youth about horse husbandry, riding disciplines, and community service. Youth do not ride during meetings, however, there are clinic days. Please reach out to us if you are interested!

## **Upcoming**

### **STEAM at the library**

Tuesday, April 16th starting at 5 pm. Come join our 4-H Agent Abby Williams at the Farmington Community Center to participate in a flower pounding art activity! We will learn about natural dyes while we create unique art pieces from plants to take home! Look out for a link to this activity on our Facebook page "Davie County 4-H"

## **Achievement Night**

Davie County 4-H Achievement Night will be held on April 19th at 6pm!

We want to celebrate everything that you all have done in 2023.

Join us at the Davie County Senior Center for a fun evening of food, friends, and celebrating your accomplishments over the last year. RSVP by Friday, April 12th.

We will be having an art and baking contest as a part of achievement Night. If you are interested in signing up or to RSVP for the night please email [abby\\_williams@ncsu.edu](mailto:abby_williams@ncsu.edu).

## **Farm Animal Day**

Do you homeschool youth in 2nd-4th grade?

We will be having our annual Farm Animal Day on April 24th at the Lone Hickory Arena for all the second graders in Davie County. We would love to include homeschool families that fall near that age to join us in our day full of learning about agriculture!

If you are interested in participating in one of our sessions on the 24th please reach out to me at [abby\\_williams@ncsu.edu](mailto:abby_williams@ncsu.edu) to sign up.

## **Future Events**

### **Presentations**

4-H Presentations are a huge part of North Carolina 4-H.

It is one of the most successful ways to help a young person learn how to prepare and execute a public speech/presentation. It focuses on members teaching others what they know about a particular project/subject matter.

They are sometimes called demonstrations, illustrated talks or a formal speech.

You can find more information on the 4-H Awards and Incentives Programs page. You will find details in the 2024 4-H Awards Handbook.

## **County Activity Day**

County Activity Day will be held on Thursday, May 9th. This event is a chance for youth to show off their presentation skills and tell us about something they are interested in and have learned about. Keep an eye out for times to sign up coming soon.

NC 4-H Presentations

## **Betsy-Jeff Penn Overnight Camp**

We will be attending camp this year on July 7-12.

This is a great chance for youth to make new friends and have some wonderful outdoor experiences. Open to youth 8 - 14 as of Jan. 1, 2024.

Youth will have the chance to try things like horseback riding, archery, canoeing, nature walks, and much more!

You can check out more at [Betsy-Jeff Penn Overnight Camp](#)

## **District Activity Day**

District Activity Day will be held Saturday, June 15 at NC A&T State University. This event is for all silver and gold county level Presentation winners to attend and present at the District Level. From there they have the chance to move on to the state level!

**Summer Fun dates are coming soon!**