

Logan County – July 2008



The Clover Leaf

County Council Report

The Logan County Council met on June 10, 2008, at the Jeral Hampton Meeting Place in Booneville. The 4-H clubs, led by the County Council officers, served sandwiches and chips for dinner. Spirit competition at Regional O-Rama, summer camp and officer elections were the items discussed.

The 4-H members created shirts, hats and noisemakers for the spirit competition at District O-Rama. The items were very creative and put on a good show at District. It was said by some that Logan County was worthy of the trophy. Maybe next year!!

Summer camps were discussed. There is a Fishing Camp planned on August 2, 2008, at the Paris fairgrounds. Also, we are planning to have an ATV safety course. Contact the Extension office, if you are interested.

Officer elections are to be held in October. The interested 4-H members are to bring their biographies to the 4-H County Council held on August 12, 2008, in Paris. The bios will be printed in the August issue of *The Clover Leaf*.

Centennial T-Shirt Final Order Date

The Centennial T-Shirt, designed by Landen Forbis, has been a great success with over 50 shirts ordered. The shirt is now available for one last order for \$8 with an additional \$1 for XXXL. **The last day to order is July 28.** After this date, the shirt will no longer be available.



Wild River Country

Wild River Country is offering a great deal this summer to 4-H members. Tickets are only \$10 per person (includes tax). Tickets must be ordered by mail or email. Last date to



order is **Friday, July 11.** Tickets can be used any day of the 2008 season. **Note:** Discount tickets cannot be purchased or picked up from Wild River Country. If you are interested, call the Extension office.



🌿 DATES TO REMEMBER 🌿

July 11...
Wild River Country Tickets
July 12...
Goat/Lamb Jackpot Show
July 17...
Quilt Workshop
July 23-25...
State O-Rama
July 26...
Goat Conference
July 28...
T-Shirt Order
August 2...
Fishing Camp
August 11...
Broilers for AR State Fair
August 12...
County Council Meets
August 30...
4-H Day with the Razorbacks

Sheila Brandt
CEA – Staff Chair

Lance Kirkpatrick
CEA – Agri / 4-H

David Moseley
CEA – 4-H / Agri

Regional O-Rama Results

Seventeen 4-H members participated at the Regional O-Rama, June 18, at Atkins High School. Congratulations to all! The results are:

1st Place – Consumer Economics – Jr
Kelsi F.

1st Place – Ornamental Horticulture - Jr
Charla H.

2nd Place – Human Development – Jr
Kendra C.

2nd Place – Animal Science – Sr
Daniel P.

2nd Place – Environmental Stewardship – Jr
Matthew P.

2nd Place – Public Speaking – Jr
Morgan W.

3rd Place – Crop and Seed ID – Sr
Katie H.

3rd Place – Entomology – Jr
Rebecca H.

3rd Place – Pet Care – Jr
Luke P.

3rd Place – Food Fair – Jr
Kimberly W.

4th Place – Horse – Jr
Morgan H.

4th Place – Environmental Stewardship – Sr
Susan W.

5th Place – Human Development – Sr
Heather S.

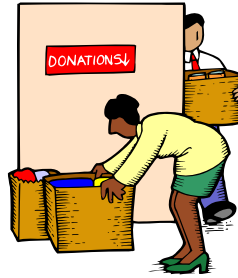
Other 4-H participants were:
Samantha M.–Agribus Pub Speaking, Sr
Bryant H.–Bicycle, Jr
Tate H.–Gun Safety/BB Shooting, Jr
Simon R.–Health, Jr

4-H Volunteer Forum

Leaders and parents are invited to participate in the Southern Region 4-H Volunteer Forum at the Rock Eagle 4-H Center in Georgia, October 1 – 5. Registration is \$220, and travel fees are approximately \$150. Contact the Extension office, for more information.



State O-Rama Community Service Project



It's time to start collecting items for the State 4-H O-Rama Community Service Projects. The items will be collected, sorted and packaged at State. If you are not attending the O-Rama, you can send your items

with the delegation. The service projects are: coloring kits (books, crayons, bags); canned foods; fleece baby blankets; pop can tops; washcloth bath mitts plus items for 1st aid and hygiene to fill kits for Red Cross; solid color ball caps; and cancer turbans. Call the Extension office for size, patterns, directions and lists of items needed for kits.

4-H Calf

Farm Credit Services has donated a calf to Logan County 4-H again this year.

Donations will be accepted on the calf until September 13 when someone becomes the lucky owner. Tickets will be available from club leaders and the Extension office. This is an important activity for 4-H. Proceeds provide for awards, camps, trips, etc., for Logan County 4-H. Let's get those donations and make this a record year!! The individual who gets the most donations will receive \$50 from Farm Credit Services. Check the next newsletter for a list of days and times your club will be selling tickets at the county fairs.



4-H Day With the Razorbacks

There will be another 4-H Day with the Razorbacks this year. The game will be on Saturday, August 30 (opening day and Labor Day weekend) against Western Illinois in Fayetteville. The game will start around 6:00 p.m. There will be a tailgate party prior to the game. The price, this year, is \$45. If you are interested, contact the Extension office.

Logan County Fairs

The dates for the fairs are as follows:

South Logan County Fair – September 2–6

Logan County Fair – September 9–13

Fair books will be out the first couple of weeks of August. There are several new changes to the fair, so make sure you read the rules in both books. We are working to have the entry forms for each fair posted on the county web site. **Check the next newsletter for more information.**

Broilers for Arkansas State Fair

Order deadline is August 11; thirty chicks will be provided to each exhibitor at a cost of \$15. The top six pens sell in the Premium Auction, and over \$4,000 dollars of premium money is available to the top 33 exhibitors with number 33 receiving \$100. The Grand and Reserve Champion pens also receive an academic scholarship to the University of Arkansas to major in poultry science. Birds will be delivered to the Franklin County Extension office in Ozark. Entries must be placed by county agents. If interested, contact the Extension office.

Quilt Workshop

Date: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Thursday, July 17

Place: Paris High School

What: Participants ages 8 – 19 will make a quilt or wall hanging.

Supplies: Call the office for supply list. Sewing machines will be furnished.

Lunch: Bring your lunch.

The Logan County Quilt Guild is offering two \$100 awards for the best overall quilt and two \$50 awards for the best overall wall hanging entered at the Logan County fair in two age groups: 8–12 and 13 – 19. Guild members will be teaching the workshop.

State Fair Deadlines

If you are planning to show at Fort Smith or Little Rock, please check deadlines and other show information to make sure you do not miss important dates. For more information, you can contact the Extension office or access the web at the following address: AR/OK State Fair

<http://www.kayroderspark.com> and AR State Fair <http://www.arkansasstatefair.com/>.

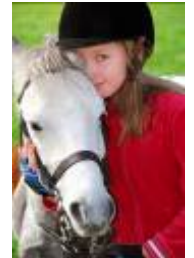
Logan County to be Represented in Washington DC!

Samantha M. is excited to go on the Citizenship Washington Focus! She is among 45 4-H'ers from Arkansas to attend the forum. The group will leave July 5 and come home July 12. CWF is a six-day, intensive summer citizenship program for youth ages 15 – 19, who will tour our nation's capital, Washington DC.

District Horse Show Results

Congratulations to all the participants at the Upper River Valley District 4-H Horse Show.

They did a wonderful job representing our county! These 4-H'ers are eligible to compete in the State 4-H Horse Show in Benton. **Good luck!**



- ◆ **Samantha M.**- 1st Sr Reining riding **Shadow**
- ◆ **Kelsey S.**- 1st Stock Horse Gelding at Halter, 1st Sr Trail, 1st Sr Western Pleasure, and 1st Sr Youth Horsemanship riding **Hez Sure a Honey**.
- ◆ **Emily R.** 2nd Sr Trail riding **Lil' Joe Leo**

Let's Fish!

Want a Saturday scheduled for FUN? Come to the "Let's Fish" day camp!

When: Aug 2nd

Where: Paris

Cost: **FREE!**

(Pre-registration is required. Deadline is Aug 1.)

See enclosed flyer!

Market Goat and Market Lamb

Jackpot Show

When: July 12

Registration: 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Where: North Franklin County Fairgrounds
(Ozark, AR)

Price: \$15 per head entry in cash
\$5 Showmanship entry fee

Time: Lamb Show at 10:00 a.m.
Goat Show follows lambs

Prize: \$100 to Grand Champion
\$50 to Reserve Champion

Pay top three in class-showmanship awards.

If you have any questions, contact the Extension office.

Central Arkansas Goat Conference

When: Saturday, July 26, 2008

Time: 9:30 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Where: 4-H Center/Ferndale

Topics: Overview of goat industry, basic goat management practices, characteristics of Kiko goat, goat diseases, showing dairy and meat goats, getting your goat ready to show—among others.

Registration: \$10 for pre-registration and \$15 at the door.

Contact the Extension office, if you are interested.

All activities mentioned in this newsletter are open to all youth between the ages of 5 and 19 without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, gender, disability, or any other legally protected status. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (large print, audiotapes, etc.) should notify the county Extension office as soon as possible prior to the activity.