October

Clover News

Izard County 4-H
Calendar of Events 2016

*County Events are noted in Red
All 4-H Online Registration is due by 8 a.m. the day the registration is due. For a complete list of the calendar of events contact the County Extension Office.

September
26-1st NCA District Fair
30 4-H Day at the State Fair Contest Registration

OCTOBER
Oct 4-H Month of Service
3-7 National 4-H Week
14-23 Arkansas State Fair
15 4-H Day at the State Fair, Arkansas State Fairgrounds
22 Dutch Oven Workshop *(RSVP by 10/14)*
24 4-H Wildlife Field Day

November
1 County 4-H Banquet

Families will continue to receive the County Newsletter through December. Starting in January, if you have not re-enrolled you will no longer receive communication from the County Extension Office regarding activities and events.

For a digital file of this newsletter, or to see past newsletters, visit our website at [www.uaex.edu/Izard/](http://www.uaex.edu/Izard/) or you may scan the qrcode that will take you straight to the Izard County Extension website.
Dutch Oven Workshop
We are having a Dutch Oven Workshop led by Janice Conyers on October 22nd. This is open to actively enrolled 4-H Members and their parents. You must RSVP by October 14th to the County Extension Office by calling 870-368-4323. This will serve as an educational workshop prior to the 4-H Dutch Oven Cooking Contest that we will have at a later date.

Please keep these rules in mind for the workshop:
- Parents must attend with cloverbud and junior participants for this workshop.
- You must wear closed-toe shoes at all times! These coals are very hot and can be dangerous, so we want your feet to be protected at all times.
- 4-Hers will need to pay attention to Mrs. Conyer’s presentation since we will be having a 4-H Dutch Oven Contest at a later time.

National 4-H Week
October 2-9th, 2016

Monday: Promotion Day: Various 4-Hers will be PSA’s on the radio stations. If interested in doing this, contact Karla at the Extension Office by September 30th.
Tuesday: Donor Appreciation Day: Teen Council members recognize those that go above and beyond for the 4-H Program.
Wednesday: 4-H T-Shirt Day: wear your favorite 4-H Shirt to promote 4-H in your school and community!
Thursday: Selfie Day! Take a selfie doing your 4-H Project, post it on social media using the hashtag #izard4h.
Friday: Invite a Friend to 4-H Day: invite your friends, and neighbors to your next club meeting! Tell them about all of the wonderful things that’s happening in Izard County 4-H.
Saturday: Footprints Trail Ride Fundraiser: Support one of your local clubs at this annual trail ride fundraiser at Rafter D Ranch.

Month of Service Projects:
Ronald McDonald Drive: we are gathering supplies to take to the Ronald McDonald House in Little Rock, AR. Be on the lookout for various items that we are collecting for this project.

EHC Holiday Show
The Izard County Extension Homemakers are having their annual craft show on October 29th at the Izard County Fairgrounds. 4-H Clubs are eligible to have a booth set up at the craft fair, for more information about this event, contact Karla at the Extension Officer or Jeralene at the Fairgrounds.

Record Books
Now is the time to be working on your record book instead of waiting until the last minute! If you have never done a record book, be sure to allow plenty of time to prepare for them. A record book basics workshop was held earlier in the year, if you need additional assistance with compiling a record book, contact Karla at the Extension Office. We can always set up a workshop with your club members to go over questions or last minute information regarding the record books. I’m also available for one-on-one consultations with putting together record books. Be sure to allow plenty of time to schedule this since I am in and out of the office.

Important Due Dates
The following are very important due dates that you need to keep in mind as you go through the 4-H Year. These should all be taken seriously and given time to complete. I will be happy to work with you to fill these out. We will be sending more information regarding these applications as time gets closer, if you have any questions about them, feel free to contact the Extension Office.
January 6th - Record Books due to County Extension Office (these should be completely done including pictures and typed)

January 9th - State Scholarship Applications due to County Extension Office
March 1st - The following applications are due to the County Extension office in Electronic Form: Ambassador Applications Ambassador Re-Certifications Governor’s Award Nominations Hall of Fame Nominations Officer Election Applications Teen Star Applications

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November 1st, 2016
Ozarka College Student Center
6:00p.m.
R.S.V.P. by October 21st, 2016

Dinner will be served by North Arkansas Electric Cooperative. Registration is required for this event, sign up online at www.uaex.edu/izard or call 870.368.4323

Footprints Annual Trail Ride Fundraiser
Rafter D Ranch
October 7-9, 2016

Games, Ride, Music, BBQ, Prizes

Ride all day for $10
Dance & demo’s included in day fee
Games, meals, & camping extra

For more information call Sherri Stapleton
870-368-2296 or Rebecca Guthrie 870-291-7998. To reserve a campsite call Mike Davis 870-291-1818


There are 33 camp sites with water and electric. Each site includes 1 outside stall. Clean showers and bathrooms are on the grounds.

More information can be found at www.raftertrailride.com

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