“Fall for 4-H”, County Round Up

Our County Round Up will be Saturday, October 24, at the Paris Fairgrounds. This year’s theme is “Fall for 4-H”. Activities will begin at 2 pm with the Awards Ceremony at 3 pm. We will have hay rides, face painting, bubbles, pumpkin decorating, races, a photo booth and more! Light snacks and chili dogs will be provided. Please RSVP by October 21 to the Extension Office in Booneville at 675-2787 or in Paris at 963-2360 if you and your family will be attending!

Fall for 4-H!

4-H Calf  Farm Credit Services of Western Arkansas recently donated funds to the Logan County 4-H Foundation toward the purchase of a calf to be given away at the South Logan County Fair in Booneville on Saturday, September 12. The heifer calf should weigh between 550-600 lbs. and will be in the care of Wyatt R. of the Booneville Livestock 4-H Club until the drawing. Tickets may be purchased from any Logan County 4-H member and will also be available for purchase at both county fairs. Money received from this fundraiser provides support for 4-H members to attend national, regional and state events as well as provide funds for county camps, workshops and other educational activities. Logan County 4-H Clubs appreciate your support and the continued generosity of Farm Credit Services of Western Arkansas.

Pictured (l-r)
Wyatt R.,
Booneville Livestock
4-H Club member and
Donna Cunningham
of Farm Credit Services.
Front Row –
Abbey, the 4-H Calf.

Tickets are $2 each or
3 for $5 and may be
purchased from any
4-H member or Leader.

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Attention: Those who have ordered County 4-H T-shirts! Please pick up your shirt in either the Paris office or the Booneville office as soon as possible.
Note to Leaders

All fundraisers for your club need to be run past Bob Harper before you begin them. Grant applications, raffles, and any type of financial matters need to go through our office, as well.

A-State Agriculture Day with the Red Wolves

The Arkansas State Football Program has invited 4-Hers, volunteers, family & friends to attend A-State’s Agriculture Day on September 19! The Red Wolves will play Missouri State at 6 pm. For the day, all 4-H groups are invited prior to the game at 4 pm for a meet-and-greet with Scott Suggs, the first $1 million winner on the FLW Pro Bassfishing Tour. $13 includes a ticket to the game, a hot dog and a soda as well as entrance to the meet-and-greet with Scott. The College of Agriculture and Technology will also be giving away a $500 scholarship to attend A-State to 2 lucky 4-H or FFA members who purchase tickets and attend the events that day. All information can also be found at www.AStateRedWolves.com/AgDay.

4-H Re-enrollment

It’s time to re-enroll in 4HOnline for another year. If you do so before October 31 and you’re a youth, you’ll get a special re-enrollment PRIZE! This year, the Teen 4-H Council decided on a deck of custom “Logan County 4-H” playing cards as the reward.

To re-enroll, please go to http://arkansas.4honline.com and use the e-mail address and password you chose when you created your account to log in.
Click the large orange button that says “Continue to Family”.
You’ll see a list of all 4-Hers and adults in your family that you have previously registered in 4HOnline. The status of all will say “Inactive” for now. Click the button that says “Edit” next to the name of the person you want to re-enroll.
On the next page, click “Enroll for 2015-2016”.
Review the Personal Information, Additional Information, Health Form, Volunteer Screening (adults only), and Participation screens for accuracy and update any blank or incorrect fields.
Click “Submit”.
You’ll now see that your status is listed as “Pending” and once your submission is approved it will be changed to “Active” for the next year.
Repeat for all family members.
To add a new member, click the drop down menu beneath “Add A New Family Member.”

During log in, if you can’t remember your password, select the option “I forgot my password” and a new one will be sent to your e-mail address.

If you have any problems or questions please call Sarah at 675-2787, she can always walk you through the steps over the phone or help you in person if you need her to.

Arkansas Oklahoma Fair- Ft. Smith
Mark Your Calendars – The AR/OK Fair begins September 25 and goes through October 3. Make plans to attend 4-H Day on September 30.

Arkansas State Fair in LR
The AR State Fair is right around the corner. The dates are October 9-18. Please join us for 4-H Day on Saturday, October 10.
National 4-H Week is October 4 – 10

Promotion Ideas

► October 4- Healthy Living Day!!!
Focus on a Healthy Lifestyle project (bicycling for health, running for health, yoga for kids, Zumba, preparing healthy snack for a selected group, walking on the local track).

► October 5- Media Day!!!
It's National 4-H Week --- Provide the local newspaper with articles written by members, volunteers, alumni and donors or do Personal Service Announcement about 4-H at your local radio station.

► October 6- Wear Green Day!!!
Advertise a wear-green day. Distribute green and white mints to everyone who wears green that day; or distribute tickets to a fun 4-H event. Use social media to announce (Facebook or Twitter) the event and post photos on Facebook, or the Website.

► October 7- Citizenship Day!!!
Host an "appreciation day" for police officers, the fire department, elected officials, city/county employees, teachers, or others. Set up a 4-H exhibit at the county courthouse and talk to county officials/public about 4-H.

► October 8- Make a 4-H Video Day!!!
Have 4-H’ers make a promotional video or Podcast. Post on the county or state website or YouTube

► October 9- Donor & Supporter’s Recognition Day!!!
Have 4-H'ers write thank you notes; Mail them a DVD or pictures of the past year's 4-H highlights or Distribute One Million Dollar candy bars with a note “You're worth more than this. Thanks for being a friend to 4-H”.

► October 10- Local Restaurant Day!!!!
Select 2 to 3 restaurants in your county and place 4-H promotional place mats in the restaurants.

Call the Extension Office for help or for more information about these ideas.

Proclamation Signing

Please be sure that your club is represented at the Quorum Court meeting October 12, 6:30 p.m., at the Booneville Courthouse! County Judge, Ray Gack, will sign the proclamation designating October 4 - 10 as 4-H Week in Logan County. We will provide a potluck meal and we would like to see all of our 4-Hers and leaders at the meeting to show your support for Logan County 4-H! Pictures will be taken for both local papers.

Potluck assignments are as follows: Booneville – Vegetable Dishes, Booneville Livestock – Desserts, Boots & Spurs – Breads, Green Team – Meat Dishes, Lariats Driggs – Desserts, Long Shots – Casseroles, Magazine – Vegetable Dishes, Scranton – Finger Food, Subiaco – Meat Dishes. Please be at the Booneville Courthouse by 6:30 p.m.
**Poultry Chain Auctions**

The Poultry Chain Auction is on September 12 at Booneville at 1pm in the poultry barn. Come out and support your fellow 4-Hers by buying a pen of 3 laying hens or just watch the excitement!

Be sure to find us on Facebook and join the “Logan County 4-H Group”. You can also "like" our Logan County Extension Service page for news and information on programs in our county:

facebook.com/LoganCountyExtension

AND both fairs now have facebook pages:

facebook.com/Pages/Logan-County-Fair/865100090233505 (Paris)
facebook.com/SouthLoganCountyFair (Booneville)

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