



Alleghany Clover News

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COLLEGE TOURS

Cost: Free ~ Limit: 9
Please bring \$10 for lunch

Are you a junior or senior in high school and are interested in attending college? Would you like to visit and compare campuses? Join us on Friday, **November 11th** as we tour Gardner-Webb University and Belmont Abbey College. We will leave the county office building at 7:15 am and will tour each campus and learn what each has to offer. For more information on either of these schools, please visit their websites:

www.gardner-webb.edu / www.belmontabbeycollege.edu

You **MUST** register, by calling our office, by **Wednesday, November 9th** to attend this event.

This is our second college tour day and this is an ongoing program. If there are specific schools you would be like to visit, please let us know.



*Parents are welcome to join us, but you must also pre-register.

A Christmas Carol

Cost: \$17 ~ Ages: 8+
Limit: 6



Join us on Tuesday, **December 20th** as we travel to Barter Theater. We will follow the curmudgeonly Ebenezer Scrooge on his ghost-guided look into his past, present and future intended to resurrect his long lost Christmas spirit.

We will leave the County Office Building at 12:30, so make sure you eat lunch before you come, and we will return at 6:30 pm.

Registration Deadline:
Friday December 9th

Holiday Craft Workshop

Cost: \$8 ~ Ages: 8+
December 21st (9 - 12)
County Office Building
2nd floor conference room

Come join us for a morning of crafty fun. We will be making crafts for you to keep for yourself or give as gifts. We'll also enjoy some festive snacks and holiday music. Register by contacting the office at 372-5597. Registration Deadline is December 9th.



SUMMER CAMP 2012

Who: Ages 8 - 14

LIT's (Leaders in Training) ages 15-17

When: June 24th-29th 2012

Where: Eastern Center - Columbia, NC

Cost: \$390 (Scholarships MAY be available)

Even though the weather is getting colder outside, it's not too early to start thinking about Summer Camp 2012. Next year, we will be making our way to the Eastern Center. **You must pay a \$50 deposit to hold your spot.** Spaces are very limited. To learn more about the Eastern Center, check out their website at www.eastern4hcenter.org.



JOINING THE REVOLUTION OF RESPONSIBILITY

For more than 100 years, the 4-H Program of North Carolina has been engaging youth in programs that help develop skills for a lifetime. These skills range from communication to community service and from goal setting to leadership. Regardless of the skill learned, the benefits gathered from a young person participating in the 4-H Program are priceless.

4-H is the largest youth development program in the nation, serving more than 6.5 million youth annually. Administered by North Carolina Cooperative Extension at NC State University and NC A&T State University, 4-H serves youth in all 100 counties in the state plus the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians through a network of 100 County Extension Offices. 4-H is managed jointly by both a professional and volunteer staff. North Carolina 4-H, one of the leading 4-H programs in the country, has more than 218,000 youth participants and more than 21,000 volunteers working together to deliver the more than 100 projects, opportunities, and events offered annually through the program.

4-H is unique in that it offers experiences to the most urban young person and youth in rural areas by providing the opportunity to participate in community 4-H clubs, K-12 outreach programs (delivered in school classrooms), day and overnight camps, and other special interest opportunities. North Carolina 4-H serves the sons and daughters of our military personnel through the 4-H Military Program located throughout the state, primarily on military bases. Youth members can participate in a variety of projects in the areas of science, technology, engineering, math, healthy living, citizenship and leadership. Beyond the excitement of learning something new through a project, youth have the opportunity to participate in citizenship and leadership conferences, travel the state, become involved in their community through service, and meet new friends in a safe and comfortable setting.

4-H youth are a living, breathing, culture-changing Revolution for doing the right thing, breaking through obstacles and pushing our country forward by making a measureable difference right where they live.

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North Carolina

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- ♦ Nov. 9th: Reg. Deadline/College Tours
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- ♦ Dec. 20th: Barter Theatre
- ♦ Dec. 21st: Holiday Craft Workshop

Sincerely,

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4-H Youth Development

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