



ALLEGHANY CLOVER NEWS

November, 2017 Amy Lucas, 4-H Agent

Holiday Poinsettia Plant Sale



It's time for the 4-H
Holiday Poinsettia Plant
Sale!! We are offering 4
color choices in 2 sizes, as
well as foil and bow options.

The order and payment
deadline is Monday, December
4th. The pick up date will be Friday,
December 8th from 9 am to 5pm. An
order form is included with this
newsletter.

For any questions or more information
call 336-372-5597.

MINI GINGERBREAD HOUSE WORKSHOP

Who: Ages 5+

When: Monday, December 4th

4 pm – 6 pm. (drop off any time after 3:30pm)

Where: County Office Building, 90 S Main St. – 2nd floor
conference room

Cost: \$7 per house (maximum of 3 houses)

Come out and join us for a mini gingerbread house workshop on Monday, December 4th from 4 pm – 6 pm. Pre-registration is required, along with payment. To register you must contact the office @ 336-372-5597 or you can register online @ <https://goo.gl/forms/ffhXzx1mFO0j84pq2> You are not considered registered until you pay the registration fee. All materials will be provided but feel free to bring candy of your own. When you register you must tell us how many houses you would like to build.



Holiday Food Show

Who: Ages 5+

When: Monday, December 11th

4:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Where: Yadkin Cooperative Extension Office

Cost: Free – Dinner is provided

Registration Deadline: December 6th

Bring your favorite dish and join us for an awesome evening of food and fun. The Holiday Food Show will take place at the Yadkin Cooperative Extension Office on Monday, December 11th from 5:30 – 7:30 pm. We will leave the County Office Building at 4:30 pm and should return by 8:30 pm.



Your dish must be ready to serve at 5:30pm. No kitchen will be available on-site. We recommend crock pots or dishes that do not require heating.

The registration form is available online @ alleghany.ces.ncsu.edu or by contacting the Alleghany Extension Office at 336-372-5597.

Parent's Night Out Holiday Make It / Take It

Who: Ages 5+

When: Tuesday – December 19th

4 pm – 8 pm

Where: 2nd floor conference room; County Office Building

Cost: \$20 – Includes dinner and a drink, craft materials and a movie

Registration Deadline: December 15th

Join us for an evening of food, fun and crafts / holiday gift making. Parents this is a great opportunity to get that last minute gift buying done. You must pre-register to attend. Register by contacting the Extension Office @ 336-372-5597 or you can register online @ <https://goo.gl/forms/9S21y34W5hx6Wetg2>

You are not considered registered until you pay the registration fee.



TUBING ADVENTURES

Who: Ages 8+ (under 12 requires a parent/guardian)

When: Thursday, January 4th ~ 9 am – 7:30 pm

Cost: \$35 – includes lift ticket, equipment, snacks and transportation

Registration Deadline: December 22nd



Come with us as we make our way to Winterplace Ski Resort for an amazing afternoon of snow tubing. To register you must contact the office @ 336-372-5597 or you can register online @ <https://goo.gl/forms/dxFjsod3Ppnd6cCo2> You are not considered registered until you pay the registration fee. Lunch is not provided – please bring \$10-\$12 for lunch. Contact the office (336-372-5597) with any questions.

Winterfest 2.0

Who: Youth ages 11-18 (must be 11 as of January 1)

When: January 6, 2018

Where: Forsyth Cooperative Extension Office

Cost: \$10 (includes lunch & all workshop supplies)

Deadline to Register: December 15th

Our district officer team has been working hard to put together Winterfest 2.0 on Saturday, January 6th at the Forsyth County Extension Office. Workshops are still being determined. More information will be posted soon.

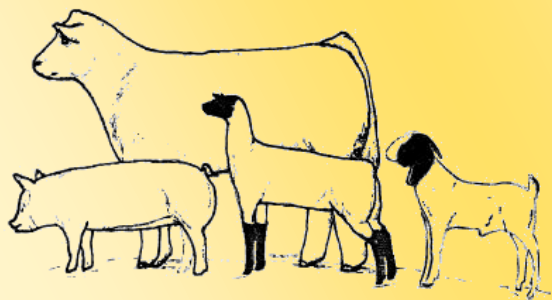


2018 Judging in January

When: January 27, 2018

Where: NCSU Beef Educational Unit
Hosted by the North Carolina Junior Hereford Association

Livestock Judging Contest for youth under the age of 19 as of January 1, 2018. Kids will have the opportunity to evaluate cattle, sheep, pigs, and goats. They will also be required to give two sets of oral reasons for both juniors and seniors. There will also be a reasons clinic in the afternoon for beginners.



8TH ANNUAL BILLY NANCE FAMILY 4-H MEAT GOAT LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

Who: Youth ages 10-19 can apply

When: February 10, 2018

Application Deadline – January 5, 2018

The Billy Nance Family 4-H Meat Goat Leadership Institute has been established through an endowment given by Mr. and Mrs. Billy Nance. The Nance family feels a strong commitment to the development of our future meat goat industry leaders. They would like to give each youth who is willing to work hard and go the extra mile an opportunity to pursue training in leadership. The Institute is designed to equip young people with the necessary tools needed to become an effective leader. Additionally, youth will be challenged to take the skills acquired at this event and put them into action in their home counties, districts, and at the state and national levels.

Applications are due in the State 4-H Livestock Office by Friday, January 5, 2018. The top eligible applicants will be selected for the Institute. All applicants will be notified by February 1st.

Applications can be found on the Allegheny Extension website: allegheny.ces.ncsu.edu.

11th Annual Perry & Doris Teeter Beef Leadership Institute

February 23-25, 2018

Hickory, North Carolina

Youth must be enrolled in high school – ages 14-19

Deadline to Register – January 5, 2018

The Perry and Doris Teeter Beef Leadership Institute has been established through an endowment given by Mr. and Mrs. Perry Teeter. The Teeter family feels a strong commitment to the development of our future beef industry leaders. They would like to give each youth who is willing to work hard and go the extra mile an opportunity to pursue training in leadership. The Institute is designed to equip young people with the necessary tools needed to become an effective leader.

Additionally, youth will be challenged to take the skills acquired at this event and put them into action in their home counties, districts, and at the state and national levels.

Applications are due in the State 4-H Livestock Office by Friday, January 5, 2018. The top 20 eligible applicants will be selected for the Institute. All applicants will be notified by February 1st.

Applications can be found on the Allegheny Extension Website: allegheny.ces.ncsu.edu



7th Annual Ski & Snowboard Trip

Who: Youth ages 8+ (under 12 requires a parent/guardian)

When: Friday, February 9th - 3:30 pm - 1 am

Where: Appalachian Ski Mountain / French-Swiss Ski College

Cost: \$35 Ski - \$40 Snowboard {includes equipment & lift ticket} (**Dinner on your own at the snack bar or \$8 for chic-fil-A**) Clothing rental is separate

Deadline to register: Wednesday, January 17th



We are getting ready to take our 7th annual ski/snowboarding trip at the French-Swiss Ski College at Appalachian Ski Mountain in Blowing Rock on **Friday, February 9th**. All youth ages 8+ (under age 12 requires a parent/guardian present) are eligible to attend. The cost will be \$35 for skiing and \$40 for snowboarding. Clothing rental will be additional. Dinner will be available for purchase (approx. \$8 from Chic-Fil-A) or you may eat on your own at the Snack Bar. You must let us know if you want dinner from Chic-Fil-A when you register.



We will leave the office at 3:30 p.m. and will return around 1 a.m. Spaces are limited so contact the office to register (336) 372-5597 or you can register online @ <https://goo.gl/forms/nwo403Ffh0esOQ8D2> You are not considered registered until you pay the registration fee.

This is an excellent opportunity for first time skiers and snowboarders!!! The ski college is great with kids and provides first-timer lessons. To see the slopes live visit: <http://www.appskimtn.com/asm-right-now/live-interactive-cam>

SAVE THE DATE

2018 NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference

Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow and Beyond

February 2-4, 2018
Sheraton Imperial
4700 Emperor Blvd, Durham, NC

To reserve your room, call (919) 941-5050 Group Name: 4-H Volunteer Leaders Conference

Conference Costs:

- Early Full Time (Friday – Sunday): \$210 (through January 3, 2018)
- Regular Full Time (Friday – Sunday): \$230 (through January 8, 2018)
- Saturday Only with Dinner: \$180 • Saturday Only without Dinner: \$140
- Banquet Only: \$50

To register contact the Extension Office @ 336-372-5597. You must be 18 or older to attend.

SUMMER CAMP 2018

It's never too early to start thinking about summer camp. We will be camping at Betsy-Jeff Penn 4-H Center July 8th – 13th.

Camp is open to youth ages 8 and up (must be 8 at time of camp). There are opportunities for older youth (16-17) to serve as Leaders In Training (LIT's) which prepares you to be a summer camp counselor.

Contact the office with any questions or to pay a deposit. \$50 will hold your spot.



Sincerely,
Amy Lucas
Amy Lucas
Extension Agent
4-H Youth Development

Happy
Thanksgiving



Address Service Requested

Alleghany County Center
P.O. Box 7
Sparta, NC 28675





4-H HOLIDAY



POINSETTIA PLANT SALE

Fill out order form & mail with payment to 4-H Plant Sale,
P.O. Box 7, Sparta, NC 28675 or bring to 90 S. Main Street, Sparta.

**** Credit / Debit cards are accepted for payment (with a small fee) ****
Phone orders can/will be accepted with a credit/debit card purchase

NAME:
ADDRESS:
PHONE:
E-MAIL:

ORDER & PAYMENT DEADLINE:

Monday, December 4, 2017



Pick-up date:

Friday, December 8th ~ 9am to 5pm
at the Alleghany County Office Building



Desktop Size / 10"-12" plant with decorative foil
\$8 each or 2 for \$14

	Quantity	Cost
Red		
White		
Pink		
Jingle Bells (Variegated)		
Subtotal		

Large Size / 15"-18" plant
 with decorative foil
\$12 each or 2 for \$22

	Quantity	Cost
Red		
White		
Pink		
Jingle Bells (Variegated)		
Subtotal		

Large Size / 15"-18" plant
 with decorative foil & bow
\$15 each or 2 for \$28

	Quantity	Cost
Red		
White		
Pink		
Jingle Bells (Variegated)		
Subtotal		

	Quantity	Total Cost
Desktop Size with foil Total		
Large Size with foil Total		
Large Size with foil & bow Total		
GRAND TOTAL		\$



THANKS FOR YOUR ORDER!

