

Yadkin County 4-H



SUMMER FUN!



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Sign Up Starting
May 4th!



Sign Up Through
4-H Online Events!

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Keep This in Mind

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If you are participating in any 4-H Summer Fun workshops, you **MUST** have a 4-H Online Account. Please use this link to create an account or to re-enroll: <https://v2.4honline.com>. If you are not in a club, please register as “Yadkin County Members at Large” when asked which club you attend. Have questions? Please contact Ms. Madaline!

We go by 4-H age, which is the age you were as of January 1, 2023. The age you were at this date is the age you will remain the rest of the year in 4-H. This means that your child must be at least 5 as of January 1, 2023 to sign up for these programs.

Wednesday, May 4th is the first registration day for 4-H Summer Fun!!! The earlier you sign up the better because spots will go fast! However, if spots remain, you can still sign up for a workshop up to two weeks before it begins unless otherwise noted. Clover Cash, check, or cash can be used to pay for these programs. Please make checks out to “Yadkin County 4-H.”

Summer Fun Schedule

Grandfather Mountain Homeschool Adventure



When: June 7th-From: 8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Who: 10-18 years old

Where: Extension Office, Grandfather Mountain-Linville

Cost: Ages 10-12: TBA and 13 and up: TBA (adult charges are issued at the age of 13) + spending money for lunch and souvenirs

Limit: 6

Grandfather Mountain is a sight that you do not want to miss! Grandfather Mountain is a part of the historic Blue Ridge Parkway and is packed with history. We will be exploring its history, hiking, experiencing the Mile High Swinging Bridge, visiting the Wildlife Habitats, and more. Please wear closed toed shoes. You have the choice of buying lunch at the café located at Grandfather Mountain or bringing a packed lunch. ****Special Note:** This event was planned by another county and their school system gets out earlier than ours. This is why made this event is labeled a "Homeschool" day. **Anyone** that is not in school on this date is more than welcomed to join.**

Chef and the Child



When: June 13th-15th-Time: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

Who: 8-13 years old

Where: Extension Office

Cost: Free!

Limit: 8

Come be a chef at this fun cooking program! You will learn how to cook from a real chef. While you are at this three day program, you will learn kitchen safety, knife skills, how to cook easy recipes that you can share with your family, healthy food choices, and more! Come with an appetite and eagerness to learn how to cook from professionals. ****Special Note:** Priority will be given to those that have not attended this camp before.**



Wet'n Wild Trip

When: June 20th

Who: 10-18 years old

Where: Wet'n Wild-Emerald Pointe-Greensboro

Cost: TBA

Limit: 10

Join us as we meet up with our 4-H friends from Alleghany and Wilkes for a day in the sun! We will begin with a short workshop on water safety, and then spend the rest of the day enjoying the waterpark. Registration includes a lunch consisting of hamburgers, hotdogs, chips, ice cream, and a drink. We will also have a cabana rented where participants can store their towels/bags. Plan to wear a bathing suit and bring a change of clothes, towel, sunscreen and locker money. Bring extra money for drinks/snacks. ** Special Note: **Transportation is NOT provided for this event!** Youth must have parent or supervising adult with them.

Kids Can, Can!

When: June 21st-22nd-9:00 AM-2:00 PM

Who: 12-18 years old

Where: Extension Office

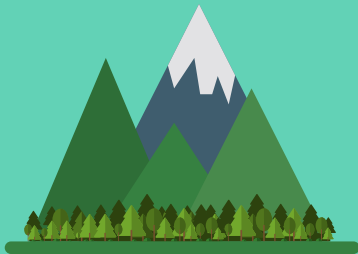
Cost: \$10

Limit: 8



Who says kids can't can? We sure don't! Come on an adventure with us as we learn how to can from the best! We will be making our own pickles and jellies through water bath canning. Youth will also learn how to stay safe in the kitchen and how to preserve effectively. Please plan to bring your own lunch and water to both of these days.

Hanging Rock Adventure



When: June 28th-Time: 8:30 AM-4:00 PM

Who: 5-13 years old

Where: Extension Office

Cost: Free!

Limit: 12

It's time to go on a nature adventure at Hanging Rock State Park! We will be exploring this State Park with a Park Ranger that will help us learn about the mountain, the nature that surrounds the mountain, the animals that live there, and so much more. Youth will even be inducted as Junior Park Rangers! We will also explore the learning center, hike, and go on a scavenger hunt. Please make sure to wear closed toed shoes and bring a lunch and water bottle for this trip.



Zoo Adventure

When: June 30th-Time TBA

Who: 8-13 years old

Where: Extension Office-Asheboro

Cost: \$15+ spending money for lunch and souvenirs

Limit: 6

Come with us as we visit the North Carolina Zoo! We will get to see animals and learn about where they live, we will also see plants and insects along our journey. The zoo takes about four hours to walk through and view all the exhibits. Please wear comfortable, closed toed shoes! Further instructions will be distributed upon registration.

Baking Boss

When: July 6th: 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Who: 5-8 years old

Where: Extension Office Kitchen

Cost: \$5

Limit: 8



Do you love to watch your parents bake? Do you like to get messy and have fun learning? Oh! And do you like trying all kinds of yummy baked goods? Then this is the workshop for you! Come join us as we learn how to measure different types of ingredients, how to be safe while baking, how to follow a recipe, and more during this baking workshop. You also get to take home some awesome baked goods. Please plan to bring a water bottle and a packed lunch.

Movie Afternoon Exploring Emotions!



When: July 11th: 12:30 PM-4:00 PM

Who: 5-10 years old

Where: Extension Office-Conference Room

Cost: \$5

Limit: 10

Emotions are something we all experience and have to work with every day. Sometimes we are so happy! Other times we might be angry, sad, afraid, and even disgusted. These emotions are NORMAL and we all go through them. Join us for this fun movie day watching the Disney movie Inside Out, while we explore emotions and how to live with them. This fun afternoon will be consisted of us watching the movie while having some fun treats, participating in emotion related activities, and making some crafts.

Please bring a blanket to sit on while watching the movie and plan to eat lunch before coming.

The money to attend this event is not for the movie. It will be used to pay for the food and activities for the day.

Sewing up SO Much Fun!

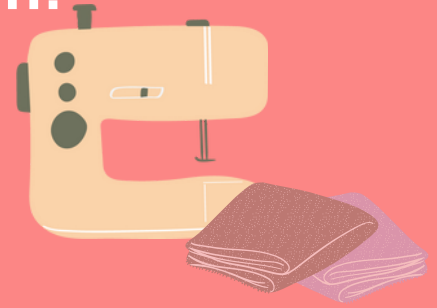
When: July 13th-Time: 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Who: 10-18 years old

Where: Extension Office

Cost: \$8

Limit: 6



Come out and learn basic sewing skills by learning how to hand stitch and use a sewing machine. Sewing seems to be a lost art these days and we want your child to learn some basic skills to help them with their sewing knowledge. Participants will also make some fun things to take home with them! Please plan to bring a packed lunch and water bottle.

Adventures through Agriculture



When: July 18th-20th-8:45 AM-2:00 PM Each Day

Who: 11-15 years old

Where: Extension Office-From there, travel to local farms

Cost: \$10

Limit: 12

Did you know that one of the top industries in Yadkin County is agriculture? Agriculture is vital part to our economy too! Without hard working farmers, we would not be able to eat, having clothing, enjoy beautiful plants, and so much more. Join us as we take an adventure through agriculture in our own county! We will be visiting farms in Yadkin County to see how they run their operations and about their products. We will also be making some fun recipes based on the operation we visit that day. Please plan to bring a packed lunch with an ice pack, water bottle, and wear a closed toed shoes.

4-H'ers Walking for a Better Community

When: August 2nd-4th-Time: 9:00 AM-2:00 PM

Who: 12-18 years old

Where: Extension Office

Cost: Free!

Limit: 12



It's time to put on your tennis shoes and take steps to "make the best better" in our community! This program will allow 4-H'ers to participate in a walk audit of Lake Hampton. Walk audits are designed to bring people together to assess areas and brainstorm ways to make it easier for people to walk safely around the community. This walk audit will give youth ways to help their community, while also learning how to be leaders in their community. Please plan to wear closed toed walking shoes, a water bottle, and a packed lunch each day. **Special Note: Availability may be requested for August 7th for presentation of findings.



Bug Out!

When: August 8th-10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Who: 5-9 years old

Where: Extension Office

Cost: \$5

Limit: 10

Insects are all around us and many serve a great purpose in our environment! So, don't go squishing those so called "scary" bugs just yet; come learn about insects with us this summer! Youth will learn about how bugs benefit our environment through pollination, getting rid of bad bugs, how they help our crops, food for other animals, and more! We will be doing fun educational activities including going on a bug hunt and participate in some fun crafts. Please plan to bring a packed lunch with an ice pack and water bottle.

Sewing up SO Much Fun! Mini Edition

When: August 10thth-Time: 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Who: 5-9 years old

Where: Extension Office

Cost: \$8

Limit: 6



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Summer Fun Rules

Make sure to read this section **THROUGHLY** before you sign up for programs this summer

Time and Location: Activities will be held at the Yadkin County Cooperative Extension Office kitchen unless otherwise noted; many trips will also depart from and return to this location. Our address is 2051 Agricultural Way, Yadkinville, NC 27055. A parent/guardian must accompany the child into the building and sign the participant in and indicate who will be picking up the child. A parent/guardian must also come in and sign out each participant in order for them to leave. We promise to be as prompt as possible about returning from trips and finishing the program. For the safety of your child, as well as consideration of instructors and Extension staff, **please do not bring your child more than 10 minutes early to an event.** We will not allow you to leave child at the event until after this time.

Registration: This year we will be taking registration through **4-H Online Events** UNLESS you are signing up to drive your own children to an event such as the Zoo, Grandfather Mountain, Wet'n Wild, etc.. If you are signing up to take your child on one of these trips, please contact Madaline Jones and she will get you signed up. If assistance is needed signing up through 4-H Online, please contact Madaline Jones and she will help you through it. Registration for each event will stay open until two weeks prior to the event; HOWEVER, spots will go fast so we encourage you to sign up as early as possible. You are not fully registered for a class until payment is received.

Fees: The fee for each class covers the cost of a snack when appropriate, transportation, insurance, and program cost, unless otherwise noted in the description. Refunds will only be made if the class is cancelled by our office. Checks and only exact change are accepted; the office does not keep cash for change on hand. Please make out checks to, "Yadkin County 4-H." Debit and credit cards are not accepted. Clover Cash that has been earned by the 4-H'er through competitions may be used to pay for these events; however, the 4-H Agent must be notified of this to check and see what their balance is (if the 4-H'er has not been in a 4-H competition, they have not earned Clover Cash). When you sign up, we will hold your spots for two weeks without payment. After two weeks, we will open up the spot to another 4-H'er. However, payment plans can be made under special circumstances. Please ask about this upon registration if interested.

4-H Enrollment: 4-H Online enrollment of each 4-H'er is required by North Carolina State 4-H. If Spanish forms are needed, they can be given upon request. Please make sure to fill out the full 4-H Online Account and make a profile for each child you are enrolling before registering them in 4-H Summer Fun. Please use this link to create an account or to re-enroll: <https://nc.4honline.com>. If your child is not in a club, please register as "Yadkin County Members at Large" when asked which club your child attends. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Madaline and she will be happy to help.

Additional Information: At all programs at the the Cooperative Extension Office, there will be a refrigerator to put your lunch in. Please bring a reusable water bottle to every workshop as we try to make better choices for our environment. It's always a great idea to wear closed toed shoes (unless we will be in the water) to our classes to ensure safety. We understand that many youth today have electronic that they have with them at all times. We do ask that they keep them put away during programs unless they are needed needed for an activity or for emergencies. We are also not liable if your child loses or damages their electronics or other possessions while at any of our programs.



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