

SUMMER FUN 2020

Union County 4-H

Creating Summer Memories



Join us for our Summer Fun 2020 day camp series where we offer hands-on opportunities for youth ages 5-14 to actively create lasting summer memories through engaging fun activities. From cooking and sewing to camping and tinkering, youth will improve their skills and find their passions. For more information, visit [http://](http://bit.ly/union4hsummerfun)

bit.ly/union4hsummerfun to learn about the camps offered and stay updated on camp availability. You may also contact us at union4hnc@gmail.com, 704.283.3740 or 704.283.3735.



REGISTRATION:

- Register for camps online on [eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com). Additional fees will apply for online processing.
- Note that early drop off is available upon request up to 30 minutes before the start of camp.
- **March 2:** Registration Opens on eventbrite.com
- **May 31:** Registration Closes

NOTES:

- All ages are determined by Jan 1, 2020.
- Registration is not complete until all forms and payment is secured.
- Spots are limited and are on a first come, first serve basis.
- **Each child must be enrolled in 4-H Online before participation is allowed.**

Baking Buddies

Aug. 3-4
Ages: 5-7
Time: 9a-2p
Cost: \$50

Learn simple recipes and the basics of baking in this interactive kids cooking camp.

KidBots

July 6-10
Ages: 8-12
Time: 8:30a-4:30p
Cost: \$75

Learn how to build a robot out of LEGO pieces and code them to complete challenges.

Animal Adventures

July 27-31
Ages: 10-14
Time: 8:30a-4:30p
Cost: \$125

Visit a goat farm, go on a bird watching hike, learn about insects, wildlife, and so much more on this animal adventure!

NC COOPERATIVE EXTENSION



Counselor-In-Training (CIT)



Are you looking for something for your teenager to do this summer? Union County 4-H Youth Development Program's Counselor-in-Training (CIT) program is a competitive, service learning opportunity designed for teenagers, 14-years-old or older, who want to further develop their leadership, citizenship, and communication skills as well as gain experience in planning and implementing activities for young children. The cost is \$50 to cover cost of program, training materials, and uniform. Applications are available on the Union County 4-H website. The deadline is April 3, 2020 and trainings will take place on April 25, May 2, and May 30. This includes First Aid and CPR Training.

“Being a CIT was an amazing experience. It helped me be a better leader and learn new leadership skills. It was also a great way to spend my summer and create new memories.”- Daija S.

NC 4-H Congress

NC 4-H Congress is one of the highlight events for 4-H teenagers during the 4-H year. The event features teen lead workshops, hands to service experience, motivational speakers, NC State's campus living, downtime with friends, dancing, State 4-H presentation competition, Candlelight Clover, State 4-H Officer Elections, and lots of fun! Teens must be between the ages of 13-18 years old. The cost is \$150 (including lodging.) Space is limited! If you are interested in attending, please contact Crystal Starkes at crystal_starkes@ncsu.edu or 704.283.3735.



SCHOLARSHIPS

Did you know Union County 4-H offers camp scholarships for youth and families in need of support for summer programming opportunities? You may access the camp scholarship application online or by contacting the local 4-H office at 704.283.3735 or via e-mail at crystal_starkes@ncsu.edu. The application deadline is by end of business day on April 10, 2020. If you have any questions pertaining to scholarships, please contact the local 4-H office.

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Camps Offered and Descriptions

*** Ages listed differ from age range.*

For more information, contact 4-H Program Assistant Leah Joyner at 704.283.3740 or 4-H Agent Crystal Starkes at 704.283.3735 or email union4hnc@gmail.com.

Cloverbuds (Ages 5-7)

Date	Camp	Time	Age	Cost
June 29- 30	Cloverbud Robotics	8:30am-4:30pm	5-7	50.00

It's never too early to introduce the importance of cooperation to a young person. In this junior robotics camp, youth will learn how to code a robot using Dash and Dot while developing skills in teamwork and critical thinking. **Youth must bring a bagged lunch. 15 spaces available.**

Aug. 3-4	Baking Buddies	9am-2pm	5-7	50.00
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This camp will introduce youth to the basics of cooking and baking. Youth will learn how to make simple recipes that they can make at home including a snack, lunch, and dessert. While campers are baking in the kitchen, they will learn basic measuring skills, how to read a recipe, and making healthy nutrition choices using the My Plate curriculum. **Lunch will be provided. 12 spaces available.** Please inform the 4-H office of any dietary restrictions your child may have.

Aug 5-7	Krafty Kids: Arts and Craft Camp	8:30am-4:30pm	5-7	75.00
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Getting messy is a part of the 4-H learning by doing experience. In this hands-on camp, youth will hone their creative skills and make several DIY (do it yourself) crafts to display in the home and share with their family and friends. Many of these crafts can be entered in the Creative Arts Competition in September. Let their imagination roam in this fun and playful arts and crafts camp. **Youth must bring a bagged lunch. 15 spaces available.**

Aug. 10-13	Mad Scientists	8:30am-4:30pm	5-7	100.00
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Calling all mad scientists! In this camp, youth will get messy conducting science experiments to explore the world around them and discover how things work. Everything from food science to robotics to the environment, youth will have a blast at this hands-on science camp. **Youth must bring a bagged lunch. 15 spaces available.**

Juniors (Ages 8-12)

June 15-18	Beyond the Backyard: Exploring Nature	8:30am-4:30pm	8-12	100.00
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Are you interested in learning about nature? Explore beyond your backyard by joining Union County Extension Master Gardeners for a week exploring nature. Campers will learn about bees, bugs, butterflies, worms, local food and much more. They will participate in a wildlife exploration during various field trips and trail walks, including Reed Gold Mine. Youth will also create arts and crafts projects to take home and display. **Youth must bring bagged lunch. 12 spaces available.**

June 22-23	Kid Chef: Beginner	9am-3pm	8-12	75.00
<p>Want to learn basic cooking skills and try new foods? This camp offers ways youth can learn essential food safety skills while making tasty recipes. In keeping with the Health part of the 4-H clover, participants will also learn about nutrition and how local foods can be incorporated into a healthy diet. Lunch will be provided. 12 spaces available. Please inform the 4-H office of any dietary restrictions your child may have.</p>				
June 24-26	Kid Chef: Advanced	9am-3pm	9-13**	100.00
<p>This camp offers ways youth can learn essential food safety skills while making tasty recipes. In keeping with the Health part of 4-H, participants will also learn about nutrition and how local foods can be incorporated into a healthy diet. At the end of the camp, youth will test their cooking skills by participating in a chopped cooking challenge with their teammates. Requirement: Youth must have attended a Kid Chef camp or cooking class in years prior. Lunch will be provided. 12 spaces available. Please inform the 4-H office of any dietary restrictions your child may have.</p>				
July 6-10	KidBots	8:30am-4:30pm	8-12	75.00
<p>Coding is the new team sport for young people. Participants will gain a better understanding of coding and programming using Dash and Dot, LEGO WeDo 2.0, and EV3 Mindstorm robots. In this hands-on camp, youth will build technical skills, perseverance, critical thinking, and teamwork. Youth must bring a bagged lunch. 12 spaces available.</p>				
July 13-17	Project Runway: Sewing 101	8:30am-4:30pm	8-12	100.00
<p>Have you ever wanted to make your own clothes? This is the perfect camp to learn how. Campers will learn to operate a sewing machine, the difference between fabrics and how to cut out patterns. Campers will end the week with up to five self-made projects. To conclude the camp, participants will show off their creations in a mini-fashion show in front of their families and friends. Youth must bring bagged lunch. 12 spaces available.</p>				
Juniors and Seniors (8-14)				
June 21-26	Millstone 4-H Camp	Overnight	8-14	420.00
<p>Campers will canoe, swim, learn archery, go fishing, and participate in crafts and science discovery. Youth will gain valuable knowledge and understanding through experimental education or "hands on learning." Transportation, lodging, meals and t-shirt included. SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE! **Contact the 4-H Office to Register**</p>				
July 1	Day of Service	8:30am-12:30pm	8-14	10.00
<p>In 4-H, we pledge our hands to larger service. This day of service will be a chance for youth to give back to their community. Join us as we help a few service organizations in Union County with a variety of projects. Youth must bring bagged lunch. 12 spaces available. Parents can join in for this event too!</p>				
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Juniors and Seniors (Ages 10-14)

Jul. 27-31	Animal Adventures	8:30am-4:30pm	10-14	125.00
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From the farm to the forest, come discover a variety of animals in different settings. Learn about alpacas, birds, insects, and a number of other species through hands-on activities and experiences. Topics will include how we use animal products, proper animal care, as well as wildlife identification and conservation. We can't wait for you to come on these animal adventures with us! **Youth must bring a bagged lunch. 12 spaces available.**

Aug.17-18	4-H F.B.E. Forensics Biomedical Engineers	8:30am-4:30pm	12-14**	75.00
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What do robotics, biomedicine, and forensics have in common? Learn crime scene processing techniques and hands-on laboratory experience. Youth will examine samples with microscopes, analyze blood splatter, build and program a robotic hand, and other specialized instruments. **Youth must bring a bagged lunch. 12 spaces available.**

Aug 20-21	Adulting 101	8:30am-4:30pm	12-16**	50.00
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This camp is created to teach young people important life skills to help them be successful adults. During the two days, campers will learn how to change a tire, sew a button, set SMART goals, wash clothes, and many other skills. **Youth must bring badged lunch. 12 spaces available.**

Join us August 22nd for a Summer Fun Wrap Up Picnic at the Union County Ag Center to reunite with friends and celebrate the accomplishments of the campers.



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