

2021 4-H Summer Fun

A NC Cooperative Extension Summer Youth Program

Registration will begin **Monday, April 5**, and continue Monday - Friday through **Friday, May 7** (or until classes are full) at the Rowan County Cooperative Extension Office, 2727 Old Concord Road, Salisbury, NC 28146 between 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. **You must register in person.** No registrations will be taken over the telephone or via email.

NOTE: Participants **must** have completed kindergarten. The grade listed is for the grade youths were in for 2020-2021. The age listed is their age as of January 1, 2021.

Registration is a 3-step process.

1. A **registration form** must be completed and brought with you to the Extension office when you register. **Payment is due at the time of registration.** This fee is NON-REFUNDABLE. The registration form can be found at the end of this packet, at rowan.ces.ncsu.edu under the “Summer Fun” tab (found by clicking the Rowan County 4-H Program tab), or at the Extension office. This will register your child for 4-H Summer Fun participation, but steps 2 & 3 (listed below) must be completed as well. First come, first served.
2. **You MUST enroll your child in 4HOnline**, the online 4-H enrollment system. This is a required part of all in-person & kit-based Summer Fun participation. This enrollment ensures that we have parent contact information, health/medical information in case of an accident, completed authorization forms, and knowledge of who can pick up your child. If your child has already enrolled in the system for 2021, you do not need to fill out another enrollment form. You can access 4HOnline at v2.4honline.com. **DUE BY MAY 7.**
3. Due to Covid-19, there are additional rules and guidelines this year. All youth participating in in-person 4-H events are **required to complete a video training** explaining all of the current rules. The embedded video must be watched by the youth participant and the form must be completed stating the child watched the video. This can be found at go.ncsu.edu/rowantrainingcomplete. **DUE BY MAY 7.**

Your child must be enrolled in 4HOnline AND have completed the training video & form by May 7. Otherwise, your child will no longer be registered to participate in the classes selected and the registration fee will not be refunded. We will then invite those on our waiting list to register.

****Those who register for kits only do not have to complete the training video, but must complete 4-HOnline and the registration form.****

Please refer to the next pages for all rules, guidelines, specific instructions, and the Covid-19 policy for our 4-H Summer Fun program this year!

REMEMBER:

- Summer Fun is open to all youth, even if they are not a current 4-H member.
- Each class will be led by at least two adults, either Extension staff and/or 4-H volunteers. All adult leaders have been background checked and trained on 4-H rules & procedures.
- Please notice the age/grade limitations for each of the classes offered and only register accordingly.
- All classes will meet at Rowan County Cooperative Extension unless noted otherwise in the class description.
- For each class, parents are to drop off their children (after Covid check-in & screening is complete) and return to pick them up at the class end time, unless noted otherwise in the class description below.
- Cash & checks accepted only. Make checks payable to Rowan County CES. Payment is required at registration.
- All classes and events are subject to cancellation due to lack of participation or Covid-19 concerns.
- ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE unless the class is canceled by Cooperative Extension.
- Space is limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Cooperative Extension, its staff, and volunteers **ARE NOT responsible** for sunburn or insect bites and **will not administer** sunscreen or insect repellent. Parents/guardians are responsible for applying these protective agents.
- All events operate under the 4-H Code of Conduct and Disciplinary Procedure which is a condition of participation in 4-H events and activities.**
- Persons with disabilities and persons with limited English proficiency may request accommodations to participate by contacting Amy-Lynn Albertson, County Extension Director, at least fourteen days before the event. Her email is alalbert@ncsu.edu.

COVID-19 POLICY:

- Please stay home and DO NOT attend your in-person Summer Fun class if:**
 - you or someone in your home is currently sick or experiencing any of the [Covid-19 symptoms](#)
 - you or someone in your home has been exposed to someone with Covid-19 within the past 14 days
 - you or someone in your home is awaiting Covid-19 test results
- All participants (youth and/or adults) are required to wear a face covering that covers their nose and mouth (for both indoor & outdoor in-person events). If participants do not bring one, one will be provided.
- Upon arrival to a Summer Fun class, all attendees will have to answer Covid screening questions and will have their temperature taken. Parents: please do not leave the event until your child has "passed" their screening & temperature check.
- If your child begins showing Covid symptoms during the Summer Fun event, they will be quarantined and you will be contacted immediately to come pick them up.
- Social distancing (6 ft) will be expected and enforced.
- Frequent hand washing/sanitizing will occur. Youth may bring their own hand sanitizer (must be 60% alcohol or higher), or they can use what is provided by 4-H.
- Indoor facilities will be properly cleaned and sanitized before each 4-H Summer Fun event and after the event.
- Transportation will NOT be provided for Summer Fun programs this summer.
- Sharing of items will be limited and proper sanitizing of items will be completed as needed.
- Restrooms CAN be used at public facilities, such as the Extension office. However, restrooms at private locations (such as farms during a farm tour) CANNOT be used. Please use the restroom before coming to a 4-H event.
- We have strict rules on food/drink consumption. Youth CANNOT bring their food or drink to a 4-H event. However, we will have a designated snack break. For snacks to happen, we will take all youths outdoors and space them at least 8 feet apart. All youths will sanitize and an adult volunteer/staff member will provide each child with a bottle of water and a pre-packaged, individually wrapped snack. Masks can be removed only to eat/drink during the designated outdoor time once everyone has their snack and is spaced apart. All youth will put masks back on and sanitize their hands before going back inside.
- Due to Covid-19, we have limited classes available this summer and the classes are much smaller than normal.
- If Cooperative Extension cancels Summer Fun classes due to Covid-19, all payments will be refunded.

We look forward to your child's participation!



Laura Allen
4-H Agent

12 in-person programs available:

1. It's Electric!

Date: Friday, June 11 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Ages: 11 yrs.-18 yrs. Class Limit: 8

During this hands-on workshop, youth will learn the basics of electricity, house wiring, soldering, and will be able to put together an electric kit. Youths will be using hot soldering irons, so please only register your child if they are mature enough to safely handle this equipment. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

2. Dash & Dot Robotics

Date: Friday, June 18 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Cost: \$10
Grades: K-3rd Class Limit: 8

This workshop will introduce Kindergarten to 3rd grade participants to the basics of Dash and Dot robots. Participants will learn to program Dash and Dot robots and learn problem solving while building their imagination. These robots are fun, exciting and appropriate for this young age. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

3. Dash & Dot Robotics

Date: Monday, June 21 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Cost: \$10
Grades: K-3rd Class Limit: 8

This workshop will introduce Kindergarten to 3rd grade participants to the basics of Dash and Dot robots. Participants will learn to program Dash and Dot robots and learn problem solving while building their imagination. These robots are fun, exciting and appropriate for this young age. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

4. Robotics

Date: Tuesday, June 22 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Grades: 4th-7th Class Limit: 8

This workshop will introduce participants to the basics of EV-3 robots. Participants will build a basic robot and learn some basic concepts of programming robots. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

5. Robotics

Date: Wednesday, June 23 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Grades: 4th-7th Class Limit: 8

This workshop will introduce participants to the basics of EV-3 robots. Participants will build a basic robot and learn some basic concepts of programming robots. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

6. Advanced Robotics

Date: Thursday, June 24 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Grades: 4th-7th Class Limit: 8

To attend the advanced class, you must have attended the Robotics class either this year on June 22 or 23 or in a previous year. This workshop will allow participants to add sensors to the EV-3 robots built during the Robotics classes offered on June 22 & 23. Participants will explore the sensors on EV-3 robots and program the robots for more advanced courses. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

7. Nature's Nighttime Magic

Date: Mon-Wed, June 28-30 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Ages: 9-12 Class Limit: 10

Join us as we explore plants, animals and insects that come out at night. We will be doing lots of crafts and educational activities. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

8. Fabulous Fruits & Victorious, Glorious Vegetables

Date: Monday, July 12 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Cost: \$5
Ages: 5-8 Class Limit: 8

Join us for fitness, activities, and fruit bingo as participants learn to be healthy through fun, hands-on activities! Participants will learn the importance of washing fruits & vegetables and gain knowledge on the health benefits of eating fruits & vegetables. As we learn, we will utilize MyPlate, activities, games, and body movement. Dress comfortably. Wear sunscreen and/or wear a hat. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

9. Spa-alicious

Date: Wednesday, July 14 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Ages: 9 yrs.-13 yrs. Class Limit: 8

Come learn how to combine science with essential oils to make wonderful items that will make great gifts or items for you to use. Participants will learn how to make bath bombs, soap, and more. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

10. It's In A Jar

Date: Thursday, July 22 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Cost: \$10
Ages: 9 yrs.-13 yrs. Class Limit: 8

Join us as we make a sweet treat and crafty jar for you to take home or share with someone. The possibilities are endless...there is always something good in a jar! Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

11. Farm Tours

Date: Tuesday, July 27 9:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Cost: \$5
Ages: 9 yrs.-18 yrs. Class Limit: 10

Join us for a morning of farm visits in the western part of the county. First, we will visit Evans Family Farm. The Evans family focuses on raising pasture raised meats. After that, we will travel a short distance down the road to visit Lutheridge Jersey Farm. They raise Jersey cattle and sell their milk to be turned into cheese. Please wear comfortable clothes and shoes that could get dirty. Bring your sunscreen & insect repellent. Face coverings are required (even outdoors). A drink & snack will be provided to the registered youth participant AND the one adult attendee.

**Please note that due to Covid, 4-H is not able to provide transportation this year. To participate in this event, families must provide transportation for their children to each farm site. One adult only must stay with the child the entire time (we do not have space for entire families; again, one adult only). Teens and/or families who drive assume all driving liability. Do not register for this class if you are not able to abide by these rules.

**Parent attendees will also have to complete the required attendee training video at go.ncsu.edu/rowantrainingcomplete.

**Farm addresses will be emailed to you closer to the event date.

12. Nature's Nighttime Magic

Date: Mon-Wed, August 2-4 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Cost: \$15
Ages: 5-8 Class Limit: 10

Join us as we explore plants, animals and insects that come out at night. We will be doing lots of crafts and educational activities. Face coverings required. A drink & snack will be provided.

3 at-home kits available:

Kit pick up available May 2021.

Kit 1: Horticulture 4-H Kit

Cost: \$10
Ages: 5-8 Available Kits: 20

This kit will provide nearly all materials for 3 hands-on activities for youth to do at home. Activities include planting sunflowers, creating a seed germination necklace, and creating wildflower seed bombs. A Garden Insect Observation Checklist will also be provided.

Kit 2: Sewing 4-H Kit

Cost: \$10
Ages: 8-18 Available Kits: 20

This kit is similar to last year's sewing kit, with some additional activities. Youth will be provided with the materials needed to learn and practice 5 basic stitches. Instructional videos will be available on YouTube. Then, the youth will practice what they have learned by using provided materials to create a felt pin cushion and felt pouch.

Kit 3: STEM 4-H Kit

Cost: \$10
Ages: 8-18 Available Kits: 20

This kit will provide nearly all materials for 3 hands-on STEM activities including a marshmallow catapult, a paper circuit, and toy sailboat creation and experiment.



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2021 Rowan County 4-H Summer Fun – Registration

Youth's Name: _____

Age: _____ (as of Jan. 1)

Grade: _____ (for the 2020-2021 school year)

Parent name(s): _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Have you filled out 4HOnline? Circle one. Yes No

Any allergies the child has: _____

By signing below, I acknowledge that I and my child have read, understand and will abide by all rules, guidelines, & the Covid-19 policy outlined in the Rowan County 4-H Summer Fun Packet. I also understand that my child has to be entered in 4HOnline AND must have watched and submitted the training video form by May 7; otherwise, my child will no longer be registered to participate in the classes selected and the registration fee will not be refunded.

Signature: _____

Place an "X" in the box for classes you would like to register for.

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10.	It's In A Jar	July 22	9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	Ages: 9-13	\$10		10.
11.	Farm Tours	July 27	9:00 a.m.-11:15 a.m.	Ages: 9-18	\$5		11.
12.	Nature's Nighttime Magic	August 2-4	1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.	Ages: 5-8	\$15		12.
Kit 1	Horticulture 4-H Kit (available for pick up in May 2021)			Ages: 5-8	\$10		Kit 1
Kit 2	Sewing 4-H Kit (available for pick up in May 2021)			Ages: 8-18	\$10		Kit 2
Kit 3	STEM 4-H Kit (available for pick up in May 2021)			Ages: 8-18	\$10		Kit 3

Total Due:	
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**This form, as well as payment, is due at time of registration, open April 5-May 7 at Rowan County Cooperative Extension.
We accept cash or checks made out to Rowan CES.**