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June 2022

# Awards, Accolades, and Future Plans for Virginia Beach 4-H Clubs and Programs

# **Upcoming 4-H Programs**

- <u>4-H Camp Counselor</u>
  <u>Applications</u>:
  Happening NOW
- <u>4-H Camper Regis-</u> <u>tration</u>: Spots still available for camp.
- <u>Camp Millionaire</u> July 18-22, 2022
- VB 4-H Camp: August 1-5, 2022

Find out more about the 4-H In-School Enrichment Programs which were implemented with Virginia Beach Public Schools in our 2022 4-H Spring Report located on our website.

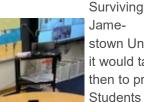
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# Students at Parkway Elementary Survive Jamestown and learn important lessons about agriculture and nutrition

It is often said that to best understand a person, walk a mile in their shoes. That is exactly what 4th grade students at Parkway Elementary did to better understand VA history and colonialism. Through a specially crafted 4-H In-School Enrichment Unit called Surviving Jamestown, students learned the importance of community planning, agriculture, food preservation, economics, and building positive interpersonal relationships.

Agriculture saved the colonist. Students identified the toughest challenge of the





stown Unit was calculating how much food it would take to feed the colony daily and then to preserve and store for the winter. Students made valuable connections between nutrition, health, and survival that sparked a genuine interest in food preservation and nutrition.

Agribusiness lessons were enhanced by a visit from the Virginia Beach Game Warden who talked to students about the logistics of the fur trade during the colonial area and also about why animal and nature conservation is important today. Students received a Surviving Jamestown certificate at the end of the unit.



4th grade student examines a beaver pelt.

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# **Rabbits in the Classroom**

### Habitats, Ecosystems, and Niches? Crème Brulee has it covered

Meet the 4-H Educational Rabbit Tag-team– Crème Brulee. They are two French Angora sisters who visit classrooms to offer interactive lessons with students. With their classroom visits students observe animal behaviors and responses to environmental changes, examine physical and behavioral adaptations that help with habitat survival, examine niches specific to rabbits, and of course soak in their cuteness. Crème Brulee spent one night in the classroom at Parkway Elementary and helped students learn a bit more about responsibility and care for others.









If you'd like Crème Brulee to visit your classroom or youth group for a lesson, please contact Jonette Mungo, Virginia Beach 4-H Extension Agent. 4-H youth programs are open and available to all Virginia Beach youth. Three Oaks Elementary works with Virginia Beach 4-H to install a new in-ground compost bin to learn about vermiculture as a way to reduce the amount of food waste that goes to our landfills



Congratulations to the 5th grade teachers and students at Three Oaks Elementary on being the recipients of this 4-H grant funded project. 5th grade students here have been receiving STEM lessons throughout the spring to give them a hands-on learning experience that allowed them to dig deeper in the sciences. They made real life connections between science and how it impacts their life. With this sub-pod, not only will they be able to continue the efforts to understand living systems and soil conservation, but they will be able to compare the composted garden beds to those without. The whole school will learn all about vermiculture composting as well as diverting some of their food waste away from the landfill.

Thank you Mr. Orebaugh and Mrs. Lantrip for the opportunity to work with your students.

Virginia Beach 4-H Summer Happenings

# 4-H Summer Camp



August 1-5, 2022

registration



Spots are still available for our 2022 Virginia Beach 4-H Summer Camp. If you are looking for a fun and safe summer sleep away camp for your child between the ages of 9-13 (camper) or 14-18

(counselor), then please register with us. Our camp is a week long stay at beautiful Airfield 4-H Ed-ucational Center in Wakefield, VA. The cost of camp includes transportation for your child, meals,

lodging, activities, and a Virginia Beach camp t-shirt. ENROLL NOW!!

# Register NOW! VB 4-H SUMMER CAMP 2022 August 1-5, 2022

Call or stop by the Virginia Beach Extension Office Monday - Friday between 9am and 5pm

Please call Jonette Mungo

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Registration can also be completed online. <u>https://sites.google.com/vt.edu/vb-4h-education/4-h-</u>

junior-summer-camp/summer-camp-camper-registration

\$100 Deposit or \$400 paid in full will hold your child's place at camp.

# Enjoy the Outdoors Again!!

Check out the 4-H center here <u>https://www.airfieldconference.com/page/4h-</u> summer-camp/



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Youth ages 14-18

# Be a 2022 4-H Camp Contact 4-H Agent, Counselor Jonette Mungo for more information. 757-385-4769 or jmungo@vbgov.com



Complete the 4-H Camp Counselor and Counselor in Training Application. Available in our office or through the above QR Code.

<u> https://forms.gle/E6CvvauyF86AEwzb9</u>

Complete your interview when scheduled. Interviews will be scheduled in January and February. 3





Send the above QR Code or the link below to three references to complete on your behalf. <u>https://forms.gle/aTR4j1QDo5pSgfuX6</u>

Complete the Counselor Fraining and Activities.



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CAMP IS AUGUST 1-5



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The 4-H Livestock Club had a live jam-packed one-day show on June 3, 2022. We are so thankful to all of our Volunteers, Businesses, Organizations, and most of all to our Community for their support and backing.

Our show started out with all the market classes; hogs, steers, lambs, goats, and breeding classes. We followed that up with the Showmanship Classes; Novice, Junior, Intermediate, & Senior for each species. We concluded with the Overall Senior Showman Award where our top Seniors were required to show each specie chosen at random. Our afternoon continued with a Special Awards presentation for all of our Grand Champions, Reserve Champions, & Third Overall Class winners.

Before we began our evening auction, a special Buyer's BQ Dinner was hosted by the Creed's Ruritans for the Buyers. We can't thank our Creeds Ruritans enough for their support.

Thanks to all of our 4-H Families & Supporters, the animals raised by these youth brought enough to continue the scholarship program and ensure that many youth can and will continue participation in these projects.

A special thanks to Gene Daniels and Jack Peoples who do this for us every year. A special thank you to David Trimmer and the support of the Department of Agriculture & to Don Horsley, Kevin Newton, and the Virginia Beach 4-H Show & Sale Committee for all of their hard work.



CONTEST WINNERS



# **Livestock Show and Sale**

# 2022 OVERALL SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPIONS

Hog -NoviceColleen Simpkins Grand<br/>Hayden Putz ReserveHog - JuniorEmily Dawley Grand<br/>Conor Whalen ReserveHog - IntermediateLeah Gentry Grand<br/>Eli Schratwieser ReserveHog - SeniorAustin Cox Grand<br/>Grace Schratwieser Reserve

- Steer Intermediate Sophie Shepherd Grand Jackson Shepherd Reserve Steer - Senior Kolby Snow Grand Logan Gentry Reserve
- Lamb–Novice Sawyer Phillips Grand Lamb- Junior Emily Dawley Grand Harper Williams Reserve Lamb – Intermediate Sophie Shepherd Grand Selena Perez Reserve Lamb – Senior Kimberly Brickhouse Grand Grace Schratwieser Reserve

Goat - Novice Julia Boyett Grand Gracelyn Phillips Reserve Goat - Junior Luke Brickhouse Grand Tripp Boyett Reserve Goat - Intermediate Eli Schratwieser Grand Selena Perez Reserve Goat - Senior Kimberly Brickhouse Grand Anna Somerindyke Reserve

# TOP SENIOR SHOWMAN KIMBERLY BRICKHOUSE

### 2022 OVERALL MARKET CHAMPIONS

\*Some youth showed multiple animals

Hog- Austin Cox Grand Austin Cox\* Reserve Kolby Snow 3rd Overall

Steer - Kolby Snow **Grand** Lily Dawley **Reserve** Logan Gentry **3rd Overal**l

Lambs - Kolby Snow **Grand** Desiree Zeigler **Reserve** Kimberly Brickhouse **3rd Overall** 

Goat - Anna Somerindyke **Grand** Selena Perez **Reserve** Selena Perez\* **3rd Overall** 

Does - Anna Somerindyke Grand Kimberly Brickhouse Reserve Wyatt Lowe 3rd Overall





# CONTEST WINNERS



# Virginia Beach Ham Project



Grand Champion Austin Cox

Reserve Champion Samantha Boomer

> <u>3rd Place</u> Maddie Wilson

<u>4th Place</u> Lucas Flanagan

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SMITHFIELD FOODS FOR DONATING ALL 169 HAMS FOR OUR HAM PROJECT THIS YEAR. ALL THE PARTICIPANTS, VOLUNTEERS, AND SUPPORTERS WHO WORKED TO MAKE THIS PROJECT HAPPEN THIS YEAR.

# **4-H Livestock Show & Sale**



































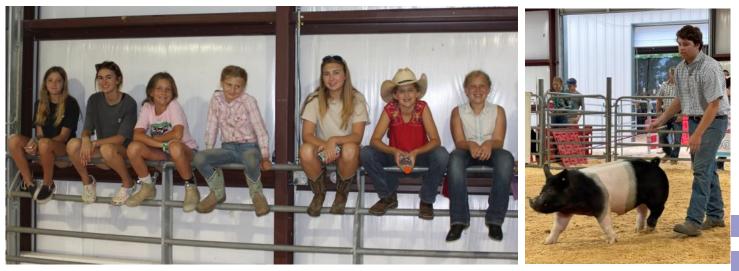








# VIRGINIA BEACH









If your child would like to join our Livestock Club and participate in this event in June of 2023, please contact our club leaders or 4-H Extension office. If you are not in an Ag Zone in the city, you are still able to join the club and participate in our Stockman's Team and Ham Project. And we are also working to create a team of youth who are interested in becoming Tiny Chefs who would participate in our 4-H Food Challenge Competitions. Stay Tuned for more because we are always Making the Best Better!



Three members of the Foragers 4-H Beekeeping Club of Hampton Roads placed in our Southeast District contest.



**Paul B**.—Purple Grand Champion Ribbon for his Visual Art Photograph, titled "Bees in Blossom"



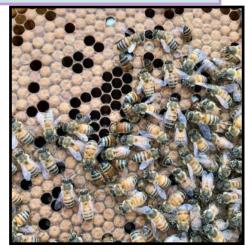


Sarah B.—Blue Ribbon for her Visual Art Photograph, titled "Her Life's Work"





William B.—Blue Ribbon for his Visual Art Photograph, titled "Buzzy Bee"



For more information, contact info@4hforagers.com ~ The Bee Club is looking for a new adult Club Leader to setup meetings and plan activities. If you are interested, please contact the 4-H Office at 757-385-4769.

# 4-H Craft Club





4-H Craft Club held their final meeting before summer break on Monday, May 9, at the Creeds Ruritan Center. After the business meeting, Ms. Talbott recognized two members, Lily and Emily, with a certificate for completing the Citywide Awards Form.

The rocket project is an annual request from Craft Club members as their end of year craft project. Members quickly assembled their "pool noodle rocket" and were ready to challenge each other. Club members gathered outdoors and practiced shooting their rockets. It's been another fun year for Craft Club members. Have a great summer, we'll resume activities in the fall.







Craft Club meets the second Tuesday of each month October through May 6:30-7:30pm. Members MUST RSVP prior to attending



In April Seahorse Riders 4-H club visited Roseoldian Farm and toured the barn. We learned about jumping, VBHSA (Virginia Beach Horse Show Association) and met with one of our members (Bailey), who introduced us to her new horse. Seahorse Riders then went to Blue Sky Farms to learn about archery on horseback. The riders shared their experiences and showcased their talents on horseback. On 4/23 the Seahorse Riders 4-H Club hosted a Bake Sale at Roseoldian Farm during a horse show. The girls voted and all agreed to split the money raised and donate half to Forward Motion Therapeutic and the other half to the Virginia Wild Horse Rescue organization. In May, the club hosted their monthly meeting at KC Horse Stables and two of the members led a discussion about horse digestion which included different types of feed for horses as well as an interactive game to identify the digestive tract of a horse. Members toured the barn and met with Elliott's horse named Lilo. The Seahorse Riders were excited to learn that their president, Kolby Snow, was selected as the winner of a local 4-H contest where she submitted an essay she wrote about her own 4-H horse experiences and received a brand new saddle as her prize. Kolby is graduating this year from Kellam High School.



Open to youth ages 5-18 who are interested in horses and other 4-H projects. Seahorse riders meets the first Monday of every month at various locations.

# NAS Oceana Midway Manor Lucky Charms 4-H Club Midway Manor's



MIdway Manor's youth are joining in on the The Global Peace Pole Movement to spread peace in the Virginia Beach community.

Peace Poles are an iconic symbol of, May Peace Prevail On Earth International, founded in Japan over fifty years ago. Midway Manor youth particpated in Global Youth Service Day by creating a Month of the Military Peace Pole for the youth center. The youth have also created a Peace Pole for the NASO Fire Department that will be scheduled for delivery later this month. NASO XO Steve DJunaedi signed the MOMC peace pole during his visit to the center.



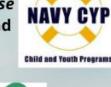




# NAS Oceana Midway Manor Lucky Charms 4-H Club

# Midway Manor's April Book Club

The Midway Manor Book Club enjoyed their first Book Club meeting via Zoom with Mrs. Deastany Gill, author of *Meadow and the Wise Ant*. On April 5th, youth did a group read and then had the privilege of a meet and greet with Mrs.Gill.





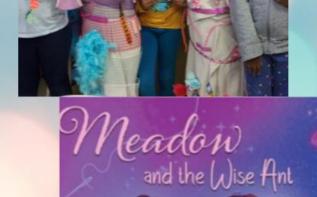
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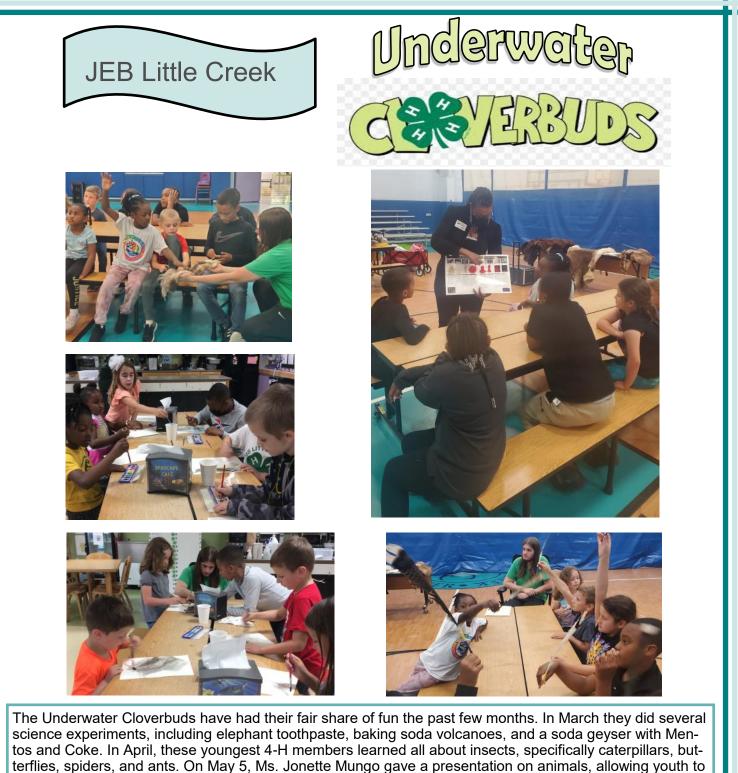


The Urban Knights 4-H Club has been busy for the past few months. The youth led lessons on Leadership and the Six Pillars of Character during the month of March. During April, these youth learned about chemical reactions by doing science experiments like chalk rockets and soda geysers. They found out that Sprite doesn't work as well as Coke when making a soda geyser. The month of May was spent with these youth learning how to cook. It started off rough, with the youth losing to the parents during a Parent vs. Youth Bake Off. The youth made a cake, milkshake, and "forbidden soup" for the judges, while the parents made 4-H Oreo cheesecakes. The youth worked well as a team; they just lacked the experience the parents had when it came to baking. In an effort to make up their loss, the youth spent the next week learning to mix and measure ingredients and follow a recipe to bake chocolate chip cookies. The following week, the youth put their skills to the test to make mini lasagnas.

For the month of June, youth will be presenting their projects they completed during the year, and then having a celebration for the end of the school year. During the summer, youth will be tie dying objects, making their own robots, and making chalk rockets.



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touch different animal pelts and make feather pens. The youth all claimed that this was one of their favorite lessons of the year, and they enjoyed seeing Mr. Sean and Mr. Terrence wearing the bear pelts. The later part of the month was spent on food activities, with the youth learning how to follow a recipe to make their own ice cream in a bag and how to measure and mix ingredients to make chocolate chip cookies.





# Wave Riders 4-H Club



The Wave Riders 4-H Club participated in the Southeast district horse show in Wakefield on Saturday, June 4th. Colleen Simpkins is riding Sandra Dee. They participated in short stirrup over fences, hunter equitation, and hunter pleasure. Colleen placed in all of her classes.





Open to those who are interested in horses, hippology, horse judging, community service, and other 4-H projects and activities. You do NOT need to have your own horse to participate and learn as a member of the club. The club meets at Confederate Farms Stables on the first Sunday of each month at 2pm. If interested, please email Lou Cummings <u>cummingsconfederatefarms@gmail.com</u>



 How do YOU become involved?
 For more information on Virginia Beach 4-H, follow us on social media or contact us.

https://virginia-beach.ext.vt.edu/programs/4-H.html

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