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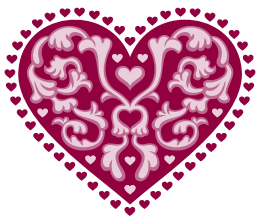
Dear 4-H Family

In this month's newsletter you will find out what County Events is all about. We would like to encourage all 4-H members to participate this year. The dates for 4-H Camp Cherry Lake are listed on page two. More information will be in next month's newsletter. Check out Club Reports and the February Calendar for exciting activities and club meetings this month. Best of luck to our 4-H members competing at the Florida State Fair! Have a Happy Valentine's Day!

Sincerely,

Mike Sweat
County Extension Director

Cindy Tomas
Program Assistant



4-H County Events

County Events is an opportunity for 4-H members in our county to compete against each other in the following categories:

Share the Fun - a 4-H talent show for individuals or teams

Demonstrations/Illustrated Talks - individual and team members demonstrate in a project area

Public Speaking - preparation and delivery of a speech in either general public speaking or horse public speaking

Fashion Revue - a fashion show for members who have sewn or selected a garment during the 4-H year.

Posters/Photo exhibits - poster art based on the theme "4-H In Your Community"

Participants must be enrolled in the project area that is the subject matter for their presentation. Top winners go on to District or State competition.

*Keep your eyes open for dates and more information in the March newsletter!

Check out our
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<http://baker.ifas.ufl.edu>

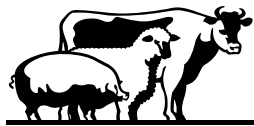
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IFAS website:

Solutionsforyour-life.com

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give you more answers
and help you find the
solutions you need.

4-H Club Reports



The **Livestock Club** will meet in February every Thursday night. Each class will focus on either Hogs, Chickens, Beef, or Rabbits. Check the enclosed calendar for the dates of each class. Be sure to bring your workbook if you have one. For those who have not received their workbook, new books should arrive soon. Ms. Lovurn will distribute them at the club meetings.

The **Cloverleaf Cloggers** has been asked to perform at several functions in April. They will be performing for the American Cancer Society the first Saturday in April. Also, they will dance at the festival for the Eagles Club at the fairgrounds on April 21st at noon. We encourage all Cloverleaf Cloggers to come to your club meeting to practice every Thursday at 7pm at the fairgrounds unless notified otherwise.



4-H Vest Sewing Class

We are looking for 4-H members who would like to construct your own 4-H Vest for use at 4-H competitions. The class will be held March 5th and 6th. If you are interested, please contact the 4-H office.



Hands and Hooves Club is getting ready for their Spring Horse Show that will be held on March 10th. You may pick up registration forms at the Extension Office or from Ms. Tina. Preparation for the horse show will be on February 17th at the fairgrounds. All Hands and Hooves members participating in the horse show should attend.

4-H Hands and Hooves Club is sponsoring a CHICKEN DINNER FUNDRAISER

Saturday, February 3, 2007

In front of Family Dollar and Ace Hardware on Hwy 90

Pre-Sale Price:\$5.00 Day of Event:\$6.00

Money from the fundraiser will be used to help purchase ribbons, supplies, and judges fees for the Spring Horse Show.

To purchase a ticket in advance for your chicken dinner please contact Tina Thomas (259-8270) or a Hands and Hooves 4-H member.

4-H Camp Cherry Lake June 4-8, 2007



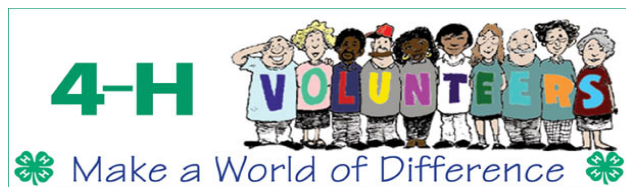
If you enjoy swimming, canoeing, hiking, crafts, campfires and the outdoors then start planning to attend 4-H Camp Cherry Lake this summer! Camp Cherry Lake is nestled among beautiful oak trees at Cherry Lake near Madison, Florida. This summer 4-H Camp Cherry Lake will be June 4th through June 8th. Open enrollment for 4-H members only will begin on Monday, April 2nd. As in the past, there will be discounts for those who participate in County and District Events. Watch for more information on registration fees and discounts in next month's newsletter.



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Baker County 4-H Club Leaders

Gail Elledge	Cloverbuds	275-4973
Madeline Carroll	Cloggers	259-8606
Tina Thomas	Hands/Hooves	259-8270
Lovurn Rivers	Livestock	275-2775
Gary Stephens	Sharp Shooters	259-1896
Elizabeth Hefty	Talking Hands	259-9499



Volunteers are the heart of 4-H. Now, there is a place where 4-H volunteers can connect with each other and find 4-H resources to help youth in their community. For more information click on <http://4hvolunteersusa.org>



Baker County 4-H February 2007



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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