

August 1, 2025

Dear 4-H Families,

The first 4-H Cloverbud meeting of the year will be held on **Tuesday, September 16, 2025** at the James E. Ward Ag Center here in Lebanon. **All meetings will be held on Tuesdays from 5 to 6 p.m.** Please refer to the Schedule below!

This club is for students K-3rd grade who are interested in getting a head start in the 4-H program. It is completely volunteer led and taught, and we would like to extend our deepest appreciation to volunteer Lorie Jacobs for serving as the leader of this program this year! If you would like to join the Cloverbuds club for this school year, please fill out the enclosed enrollment form and consent release and return it to our office or bring it with you to the first meeting. Also included is a flyer regarding our "Band" app message service. This is a free service and we encourage you to download this app so we can remind you of meeting dates, times and locations. It has also been very helpful for last minute changes to our meetings.

2025-2026 Cloverbud Schedule

All meetings will be held from 5 to 6 p.m.

September 16, 2025 – Gentry Building
October 21, 2025 – Gentry Building
November 18, 2025 – Gentry Building
December 16, 2025 – School Exhibits Building
January 20, 2026 – Gentry Building
February 17, 2026 – Gentry Building
March 17, 2026 – Gentry Building
April 7, 2026 – Gentry Building

Let us know if you have any questions!

Sincerely,



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4-H Cloverbuds



2025-2026 Meetings

Open to
Kindergarten to
3rd graders

Meet new friends!

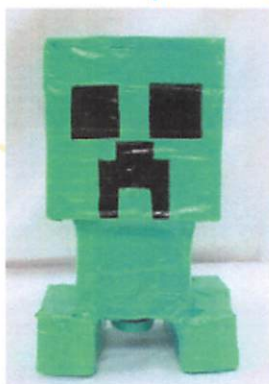
Learn how 4-H
meetings are
conducted

Meetings held once
a month at the
James E. Ward Ag
Center in Lebanon

Scout Freeland 1st place Poster



Owen Jacobs 1st place Piggy Bank



Participate in 4-H
Contests like posters
and piggy banks

Meetings are held
from 5 to 6 p.m.

Learn the 4-H
Pledge

Did we mention
you meet new
friends??

Call 615-444-9584 or email sshrum2@utk.edu for more information!

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2025-26 Tennessee 4-H Enrollment Form

Club

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County School Teacher

First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Gender

☐ Boy

☐ Girl

Race (can choose more than one)

☐ American Indian/Alaskan Native

☐ Asian

☐ Black/African American

☐ Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

☐ White

☐ Other/Unidentified

Ethnicity

☐ Hispanic

☐ Non-Hispanic

☐ Unidentified

Grade in School

Email Address

Describe where you live

☐ Farm

☐ Town or city 10,000 to 50,000

☐ Central city over 50,000

☐ Rural non-farm/town under 10,000

☐ City or suburb of city over 50,000

Address

City

State

ZIP

Phone 1

Phone 2

Date of Birth

Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Is your parent currently enlisted in the military?

☐ Yes

☐ No



4-H Pledge

I pledge my **HEAD** to clearer thinking,
my **HEART** to greater loyalty,
my **HANDS** to larger service,
and my **HEALTH** to better living
for my club, my community, my country and my world.



CONSENT RELEASE FORM

I, (print name) _____ hereby give my consent for photographing, filming, audio/videotaping, and/or transmission via broadcast/cable television of my image and voice, and release to The University of Tennessee all rights of any kind to the materials in which I appear. This is a full release of all claims whatsoever I or my heirs, executors, administrators or assigns now or hereafter have against The University of Tennessee, or its employees, as regards to any use that may be made by them of said photographic reproductions, films, audio/videotape, social media and/or web, or transmission via broadcast/cable television.

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I have read this entire document, understand the contents, and I have willingly agreed to the above conditions.

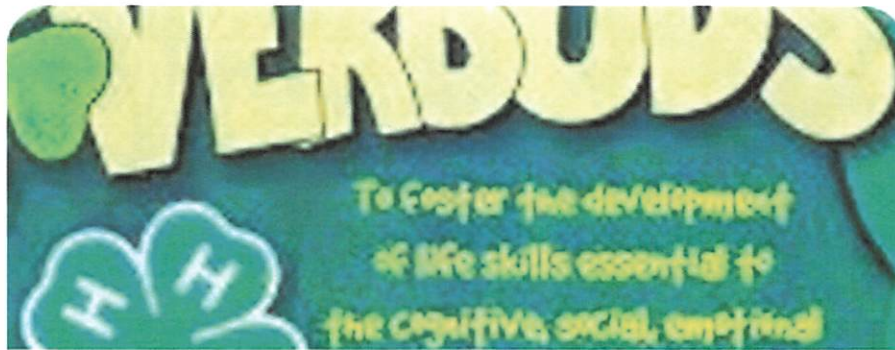
Date: _____

Name (print): _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if under 18): _____



Wilson County 4-H Cloverbuds

Wilson County youth in Cloverbuds will participate in games, 4-H contests, and

Scan this QR code and join!

Due to issues with "Remind" text message service, we have decided to change our reminder services beginning Fall 2025 to "Band" app. Band is a way for us to communicate with parents (we prefer not to communicate with youth). This will be a one way message service for each of our groups. We will send friendly reminders about meeting dates, times and locations. You cannot reply to all, you can only send us a private message that will go to the 4-H Agent over the program as well as myself. Please scan the QR code above to register for the 4-H Cloverbuds. You will need to register for specific band for each club/class you join with 4-H.

Thank you,

Sissy