

December 2008



# The Clover Patch

## Celebrating 100 years of Louisiana 4-H

**EXTENSION PROGRAMS**  
 Agriculture  
 Economic/Community Development  
 Environment/Natural Resources  
 Families/Nutrition/Health  
 4-H Youth Programs

### 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.*



### ATTENTION LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS

Parish/ District Livestock Entries are due to the 4-H office by Friday, December 5<sup>th</sup>. All entry fees and breeding papers need to be submitted along with a check to the Iberville Boosters for \$10 per head of livestock.



Iberville Parish 4-H  
 Youth Development

Shannon Dietz, Associate Agent  
 Ashly Pitre, Assistant Agent  
 Kathy Jones, Program Assistant

*"4-H is a community of young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship & life skills."*

### 2009 HONEY BEE ESSAY CONTEST

This is a state and national contest open to all 4-H members. This year's topic for the essay is "The Dance Language of Bees". State awards are 1<sup>st</sup> place: \$250, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$100, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place: \$50. Due date: Friday, January 30, 4:00 p.m. at the 4-H Office. For more information call 687-5155.



### 4-H WINTER FOODS FEST COOKERY CONTEST

Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Iberville Elementary School  
 Registration: 9:00 – 9:30 a.m.  
 Please see the back of the newsletter for complete rules.

### 4-H WREATH DECORATING CONTEST

4-H will be sponsoring a wreath decorating contest. Wreaths are due to the 4-H office by Friday, December 12th (Please see your club leader for rules)



### 4-H FASHION CAMP – A PASSION FOR FASHION

JANUARY 24-25, 2009  
 CAMP GRANT WALKER --Pollock, LA  
 For 4-Her's ages 10-13.  
 Open to the first 2 applicants and one volunteer leader to attend; please contact the office ASAP if interested!

### CHRISTMAS FUN SHOPS

Come out and have fun at our Christmas Workshop and make some fun crafts to take home to give as gifts and share with friends and family. **The workshop will be held on Thursday, December 18 at the 4-H office building in Plaquemine. The workshop is limited to the first 60 people to sign up.** The workshop will be held from 4:30 to 6:30 pm. Registration form & \$5.00 fee due at the 4-H office by November 30, 2008.



Be sure to check out and Bookmark the following websites for fun ideas, games and upcoming 4-H information:  
<http://www.4-hclubhouse.com/>  
<http://www.louisiana4h.org/>  
[www.lsuagcenter.com/iberville](http://www.lsuagcenter.com/iberville)



### HOOPS & CLOVERS NIGHT

Friday, February 27, 2009  
 7pm @ the New Orleans Arena

Come and join us for a night out with 4-H while watching the New Orleans Hornets vs. Milwaukee Bucks. Bus transportation will be provided to and from the game or you can arrange your own transportation. Over 200 4-H members will be selected for pregame court activities. **Deadline to order tickets: January 22, 2009.** More information will follow up in the December Newsletter or check out our website at [www.lsuagcenter.com/iberville](http://www.lsuagcenter.com/iberville)

### A State Partner in the Cooperative Extension System

LSU Agricultural Center is a statewide campus of the LSU System and provides equal opportunities in programs and employment. Louisiana State University and A. & M. College, Louisiana parish governing bodies, Southern University, and United States Department of Agriculture cooperating

"Membership and participation in activities and events are open to all citizens without regard to race color, national origin, gender, religion, age, veteran status or disability." If you have a disability that requires special accommodations for you to participate in the meeting/program, please contact the 4-H Office

