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National 4-H week

October 5-11 is National 4-H Week! Our theme this year is Keeping it Green! Let's raise awareness about environmental issues in your school. Let's make it another great year with 4-H!

Make a Difference Day

October 25th is a big day in 4-H. It's "Make a Difference Day!" Our Service-Learning Task Force Committee is planning an activity so that it is the best "Make a Difference Day" yet. So come help us make a difference October 25th. More details to be announced at the next Junior Leader Meeting!



Membership

Don't forget to fill out & bring your membership cards to the next meeting. Also, don't forget to pay your \$5.00 dues to the Treasurer before or after the Jr. Leader Meeting. After paying your dues, you will receive your 10 Po-boy tickets.



Po-Boy

It is that time of year again when we start to prepare for our annual Po-boy sale. If you have already paid your dues, you should have received your tickets. If not, you can pick up your tickets at the next Jr. Leader meeting, which will be held on October 16th or from any of the 4-H officers or leaders. All Jr. Leader members are **required to sell at least 10 tickets**. Remember, if you would like to attend the end-of-the year retreat, it is important that you sell all of your tickets. The Po-boy sale will be held on November 25th.

Officer Training:

Are you a new officer? Confused about your duties? Come to our annual officer training on October 16th at Lafayette Middle School. It will be from 4:00-5:30 pm. Jr. Leaders willing to help can sign up at the Next Jr. Leader Meeting. We hope to see all of our new officers there!

Junior Leader Meeting

Because we are in the month of October, our meeting's theme will be Hal-



loween/autumn. We will be holding a costume contest at this meeting, but all costumes **MUST** be appropriate, "rated G" costumes. Come join the fun at our meeting October 16th. Hope to

see you there!

Service Learning Task Force

The service learning task force Committee has planned many new things for the Jr. Leader club to do. This year's theme is Go Green & Be Seen, and the Jr. Leader club is promoting saving our environment. We are focusing our projects in Lafayette. A few project ideas are: TO build and putting up bat boxes in public areas, TO plant trees in Cameron's wetlands, and TO transplant the newly planted trees for Acorns of Hope. Details on these & More public awareness activities that will promote 4-H and take care of our environment are soon to come!

Calendar Events for October:

1	First Day of Club Meetings	16	Junior Leader Meeting
2	Junior Leader Officer Meeting	16-17	Due Date for 4-H Dues, 4-H Office
2-5	4-H Volunteer Leader Forum, Rock Eagle, GA	16-17	Final Call —Deadline for 4-H Enrollment Cards, 4-H Office
5-11	Nation 4-H Week	16-17	National 4-H Week Applications Due, 4-H Office
9	Livestock Advisory Board Meeting, 4-H Office	17	Candy Sales Begin and Delivery Begins
9	Possession Date for Rabbits	17	Rice Festival Cookery Contest, Crowley, LA
9	Rabbit Entries Due, 4-H Office	20	LSU AgCenter Staff Conference
9	Rabbit Clinic, 4-H Office	20	Overall LSU AgCenter ALC Meeting
10-11	Cattle Festival, Abbeville, LA	20	Smart Bodies Assembly, S.J. Montgomery
14	Last Day to turn in Enrollment Cards	21	Smart Bodies Assemblies, Woodvale & Live Oak
15	LPSS Student Progress Conference	23-Nov. 9	Louisiana State Fair, Shreveport
16	4-H Officer Training, Lafayette Middle School	25	Make a Difference Day
	4-H Parent/Volunteer Orientation, Lafayette Middle School	25-31	National Meat Judging Competition, Manhattan, Kansas