



The Homegrown reporter



The Official Newsletter of Homegrown 4-Him 4-H Club

January 2004 Kevin McCartney, Club Reporter

Welcome!

Welcome to the 2004 4-H year, we're glad you joined! Here's what to expect: first, we'll have a recreation game. Then we will have our meeting, then finally we will have a speaker or do an activity. Refreshments are at the end.

Congratulations officers

To all the 2004 4-H officers, congratulations! We all hope that you will do the best at your offices that you can and you'll help the 4-H year go smoothly. Best wishes!

Attention officers

Don't forget about our monthly meetings on the second Thursday of each month. Take time now to mark those Thursdays. Be at Maxey's at 1:30, they last about 45 min. to an hour.

2004 officers

President	Hannah Armbrust
Vice President	Rachael Gallagher
Treasurer	Josh Maxey
Secretary	Timothy Hornsby
Reporter	Joe Gallagher
News letter	Kevin McCartney
Historian	Alezah Armbrust
Recreation	Joseph Gebert
Safety Officer	Nathan Hornsby
Health Officer	Joy Gebert

Project listings online

4-H Family Guide books are available online at <http://delaware.osu.edu/4-H>. (If you want to see it, click on links, and look for the FAMILY GUIDE book.) We hope to have hard copies for February's meeting. The decision deadline for projects is the March meeting.

Heads up: Just to let you know, your project books will cost \$5.00 this year.

Reminder

All 4-H members (clover buds exempt) must have a 3 ring binder with 10 page dividers.

4-H meeting note forms

Attached is a copy of the new forms that each member needs to take notes on at the meetings. Please copy off 9 copies for each member in your family so they can put them in their notebooks and take notes. At our last meeting each club member was told that the leadership wants notes taken during the meetings. Those notes should include important

dates, things to remember, and other info. on 4-H events. At the end of the year each members notebook will be looked at by an advisor.

Attention parents:

Please tell Health officer, Joy Gebert, about any food allergies that your child/children may have. You can contact her at 882-1881 or e-mail her at gebert10@aol.com.

2004 committee roster

Attached is the new 2004 committee roster. Each member has been assigned a committee to help on.

Wanted/needed!

This is to let you know that the club is looking for two items that have become necessary. A file cabinet (2 to 4 drawer) to keep all the 4-H info. in one place. Also, an easel, this will allow the members to display posters and stuff during their demonstrations. Please let Sheryl know if you have one or both that you are planning to get rid of.

Cloverbud Corner

We had 14 Cloverbuds and siblings at the last meeting. Mrs. Gebert (along with many mom helpers - thanks!) taught about Money. We all hopefully learned a little more about wants and needs, saving and tithing, advertisements, did a generic taste test, learned that "money doesn't grow on trees"!

Next month, Mrs. Gallagher will be teaching that "Fitness is Fun". We will learn what aerobic means, do some exercising and dancing, and have lots of fun. Don't wear anything too heavy!

Again this year, the Cloverbud moms will be leading and helping with the classes. All the CB's will be together under one teacher.

There are still a couple months open to lead. Two of them center around the service project for WARM. March is having a jumping jack-a-thon to raise canned goods for WARM and making thank you notes for the donors. April involves taking the goods to WARM and having a tour.

Thanks to Alezah Armbrust for helping get the totes ready for the teachers and for doing recreation for the Cloverbuds every month.

New information and things to remember:

Speaker notes:

Committee news:

Fund raising:

Social activities:

Project day:

Community service:

Fair booth:

Year-end party:

Homegrown 4-Him 2004 Committee Assignments

Fund Raising

Chair: Kevin McCartney

Advisor: Beth Gallagher

Joe Gallagher James Bundy

Hannah Armbrust Joel Bundy

Esther Armbrust Shirlei Slater

Rachel Kneice

Community Service

Chair: Caleb Armbrust

Advisor: Melinda Hornsby

Micah Armbrust Sophia Gebert

Kelley Gebert Joel Hornsby

Social Activities

Chair: Jonathan Bundy

Advisor: Lynda McCartney

Emily Johnston Jeremy Johnston

Nathan Hornsby

Fair Booth Design and Construction

Chair: Grace Gebert

Advisor: Melinda Hornsby

Joseph Gebert Jared Maxey

Timothy Hornsby Rachel Hornsby

Dylan Harrington

Program

Chair: Rachael Gallagher

Advisor: Beth Gallagher

Joy Gebert Luke Harrington

Scrapbook

Chair: Alezah Armbrust

Advisor: Tina Muench

Jessica McCartney Alyssa Muench

Project Day

Chair: Becca Muench

Advisor: Tina Muench

Josh Maxey Aaron Maxey

Shane Barnovsky Elizabeth Dresdow

Year-end Party

Chair: Jason Maxey

Advisor: Sheryl Maxey

Alyssa Theobald Jason Theobald

Daniel Gualtieri