District 10 4-H Project Development Committee Workshops

Want to learn more exciting things about one of your favorite 4-H Projects? Plan to attend one of the Project Development Committee Workshops being held at 2010 Mega Meeting on August 28! Provided in this flyer are brief descriptions of workshops that will be provided this year! Be Sure to sign up at your County Extension Office for the session you plan to attend!

Animals Project Workshop: The World Of Veterinary Science & Scholarship Opportunities through Livestock Show Skill-A-Thons

Come and explore the world of Vet Science and learn about the new curriculum for youth. This curriculum exposes youth to career and job training in Vet Science and lots of hands on knowledge and skills of a vet assistant. Youth will also learn what a skill-a-thon is. They will also learn about competing in these events to win awards and scholarships to help fund their college degree!

FCS Project Workshop: Sizzle, Sear or Burn

Presenters: Kimberly Rennspies, Johanna Posey, and Laura Campos

Vitamin D is hot! Here's how to get it... (we'll learn about the foods that provide Vitamin D and how our health can benefit.)

Get in on the trend with sun protective clothing (swimwear, sunhats, shirts, hoodies, umbrellas, sun gloves and much much more). Blue Lizard? Badger? Bullfrog? (Does your sunscreen really work?)

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE: Headwaters Stewardship — Protecting our Rivers
Presenter: Tara Bushnoe, Upper Guadalupe River Authority
With our water there is no wildlife. Quality sources of surface water are essential to wildlife and our ecosystem. Tara Bushnoe with the Upper Guadalupe River Authority will lead youth in hands-on exercises on riparian area management. Healthy watersheds are a vital component to wildlife habitat management. These hands-on demonstrations will highlight the "how's and why's" of riparian habitat.

Leadership and Communication: Thinking Outside the Box
Presenters: Dunae Crenwelge & Cory Talley
Too often, it is difficult to step outside the box or your comfort zone when speaking before a group. Take the chance and step outside the box (even if it is just one foot) to test your impromptu public speaking skills with the Leadership and Communication Project Group at Mega Meeting. Interview and public speaking tips will also be provided to all participants. Great opportunity to take advantage of as you prepare for the new 4-H year.

S.E.T. Project Committee: What it takes to get that Professional Looking Photo
Presenter: Jim Miller — Photographs by Jim
Ever wonder what it takes to get that professional-looking photo? Want to become a better photographer? Youth will learn about photography techniques and how to address common mistakes and techniques to correct those mistakes.
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2010 Mega Meeting
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Schreiner University, Kerrville

New to 4-H?: No problem!
Want to learn about new 4-H projects and activities?: No problem!
We have a variety of workshops for volunteers and parents! These workshops will be offered at 10:30-12:15 during Mega Meeting. Please sign up for the workshop session you plan to attend through your County Extension Office.

New 4-H Leader Orientation
Presented by Karla Friesenhahn: This session is for brand new leaders or parents new to the 4-H program! Come and find out more about the organization and how volunteers play an important role in our success!

Fashion Storyboard & Food Challenge Overview
Presented by Carissa Wilhelm & Rene Walls: This session will provide an overview of these two new 4-H contests related to clothing and foods & nutrition. Come and find out the basics so you can go back and implement project activities to support these new contests!

Leaders 4 Life
Presented by Laurinda Boyd & Richard Parish: This new program focuses on the development of leadership skills, parliamentary procedure, and service learning. A new contest has been developed for youth called Leaders 4 Life Skill-a-thon. Come and learn the basics of this program and how you can establish it in your county.

The Basics Of Training Judging Teams
Presented by Connie Sheppard & Other speaker TBA: This session will provide some basic tips and tricks for training judging teams on how to give reasons as well as share some resources that are available to teach youth to judge in different areas. It doesn’t matter if you are interested in livestock or consumer...the information will apply to all!

Outdoor Challenge and WHEP
Presented by Larry Hysmith: Come and find out about these new adventures that focus on the outdoors! The Outdoor Challenge is a decathlon event held in the summer and WHEP (Wildlife Habitat Evaluation Program) focuses on the study of wildlife habitat and how to preserve our environment.

Workshops sponsored by the District 10 Volunteer Leaders Association