

SUMMER

This way
To the fun

2014 SUMMER FUN REGISTRATION FORM



PLEASE PRINT

CHILD'S NAME:		AGE:	SEX: __M __F
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:			
MAILING ADDRESS:			
HOME PHONE:		EMAIL ADDRESS:	
WORK /CELL PHONE:		GRADE ENTERING FALL 2014:	
WORKSHOP/CAMP	DATE	COST	
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T-shirt Size:		\$	
FREE 4-H Summer Fun t-shirt – Register for classes totaling \$50 or more by May 27 and receive a free t-shirt. Shirts will also be available to order at a cost of \$12.	Total for Sessions	\$	
	Total Enclosed		

4-H Summer Fun Scholarships – Want to attend 4-H Summer Fun classes but need some help with the costs? Limited scholarship assistance is available. Contact the Extension Office to request and application. Deadline to apply is May 15. 4-H'ers may also use scholarship money they have earned to pay for 4-H Summer classes.

Prepaid registration is required for each participant

Make check payable to CATAWBA COUNTY and mail with completed registration form to:

NC Cooperative Extension – PO Box 389 – Newton, NC 28658

Classes may be canceled if minimum registration is not reached. Refunds will be made only if a class is canceled due to low registration or weather conditions. Class size is limited and filled on a first-come basis.

Participants must complete a standard notarized (Notary available at 4-H Office) [NC 4-H Medical Form](#) and a [4-H Enrollment Form](#) with registration. (Forms will need to be printed then filled out) All youth/adults are expected to follow the NC 4-H Code of Conduct, which will be provided upon registration.







Catawba County 4-H offers many fun learning opportunities throughout the year that are economical and life skill building through our various clubs. For a list of clubs visit our website <http://catawba.ces.ncsu.edu>. 4-H announcements and news also available through facebook at Catawba County 4-H Information and/or Catawba County Cooperative Extension.




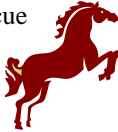





CATAWBA COUNTY 2014 4-H SUMMER FUN ACTIVITIES

4-H Summer Fun is sponsored by North Carolina Cooperative Extension and provides day classes and trips designed to encourage youth to learn new things, develop new skills, and explore new interests. The activities are open to all youth ages 6 & older and outlined in this brochure. Programs are taught and supervised by NC Cooperative Extension staff and 4-H & Community Volunteers. If you have questions about any of the activities, call 465-8240. ***Classes are held at the Catawba County Agricultural Resources Center in Newton, unless otherwise specified. Trips depart from the same location unless otherwise specified.***

DATE	Workshops/Camps	COST	TIME	AGE
June 7	Exploring Cooking - Explore different cooking techniques, interesting recipes, and then enjoy a lunch you create. Hosted by 4-H Snack Makers Club 	\$5	10am-12:30pm	8-12
June 7 and 9	 Explorin' 4-H Projects – Summer is a great time to get started on a 4-H project book. Learn basics about NC 4-H project books, project awards that are available. Sample activities from different projects including Aerospace, Vet Science, and more! Select a project book of your choice to take home and get started creating an award winning 4-H project!	\$5.00/family	June 7- 1:30—3:30 pm June 9- 6:30—8:30pm	5 & older and Parents
June 16 and 17	Summer Safety - Do you own or ride on bikes? Do you like to play in your local parks? This camp is a great opportunity to learn about safe biking, bully prevention and the Child ID Program. This two day program will help you prepare to have a super safe summer with safety tips and bike rodeo! We will meet at the Catawba County Office and travel to Gaston County Extension Office for the program followed by lunch at the park before we return home. Younger children may attend, if parents provide transportation. 	\$20	8:15am-1:30pm	8-10
June 18 and 19	Steps to Health - Enjoy games, taste tests, experiments, and simple cooking activities to help you learn about eating healthy and making healthy daily choices. We will use an activity book that children can finish-up at home and submit at the end of the summer as a 4-H project book. Instructors: Donna Mull and Abigail Holdsclaw. 	\$15	1:30-4:30pm	7-9
June 25-27	Waste in Place - Learn about all the ways we generate waste and what we all can do to waste less. We will learn about recycling, reusing, composting, and other ways to reduce waste in the world we live in. We will take a couple of field trips in the community to see where our waste goes as we visit GDS, Eco-Complex, and ReStore. You will leave with some great ideas to keep to help you be more “green” at home. Instructor: Kelly Groves, Environment and Horticulture Agent. 	\$30	9am-3pm	9 & older
June 30-July 3	Power UP! With Science - This week's multi-county program takes us to Gaston County Extension Office to join with other 4-H'ers to explore power sources. Lots of hands-on experiments and activities that help you learn about the science behind our power sources. Learn about solar, wind and electric power; test your skills at creating an energy efficient home, the most efficient turbine, and the fastest solar car. Guest speakers that give you a glimpse of future power uses. The week concludes with a special POWER UP field trip on Thursday. 	\$55	8:30am-4:30pm	9-13

July 14 and August 4 (2-part class)	Dirty Ankle Pottery - Learn pottery basics as you create two styles of handmade pottery. Return for the second class to paint and glaze your piece. Instructor: Tonya Andrews, owner of Dirty Ankle Pottery Studio. 	\$30	1:30-4:30pm	8 & older
July 8-10	Clover Camp - Each day features a theme with lots of different hands-on activities, theme snack, and special guests to help younger children learn different topics. Themes include Animals, Drama, and Science. 	\$30	9-12pm	5-9
July 9	Mail Around the World- Learn about the fun hobby of stamp collecting, do some activities with stamps, check-out some fun and unique stamps and leave with some items that will you get started on your own stamp collection. Instructors: Emily and Joanna Kanupp 	\$5	1-3pm	8-12
July 17	Crafty Creations - Try your hand at different crafts taught teen and adult 4-H volunteers. Make a friendship bracelet, learn cross stitch basic, get creative with duck tape, and meet a local pottery craftsperson. Get your start on making something crafty to enter in the County Fair! Instructors: Leigha Williamson, Lauran Surratt, Nancy Miller 	\$15	9am-3pm	9 & older
July 18	Picture Perfect - Come with us on a photographic journey of hands-on fun! We will explore the elements of taking prize winning pictures and set our sights to create our own photographic styles of expression. Participants will be eligible to enter the "4-H Summer Fun Photography Contest" with winners announced at the Summer Fun celebration. (You must attend this workshop to enter the contest), Bring a digital camera with blank memory card. Instructor: Stacy and Jessica Speckman 	\$5	8:45am-12pm	11 & Older (9-10 with an adult)
July 18	Beginning Irish Step - Kick-up your heels as you learn some basic dance steps and put them together into a simple routine. Make a simple craft to match your dance dress. Instructor: Kat Stulpin, 4-H Entertains Winner 	\$5	1-3pm	6-11
July 21	Calling All Engineers! - Test your engineering skills and learn some electricity basics with experiments and building a simple electric circuitry item to take home. Enjoy an afternoon field trip to the Eco-Complex to tour the bio-diesel center and learn more about future alternative energy sources. Instructor: Sophie Sharp, State Electric Energy Portfolio winner. 	\$15	9am-3pm	10 & Older
July 22-25	Farm to Fork - Discover how your food gets from the farm to your fork during this tasty traveling week. The group will visit some local farms, Farmer's Market, community garden sites to see how food is grown. Return to the Extension Office to use some of the fruits and vegetables in recipes. Each day includes a cooking experience that will allow youth to make part of their lunch or a snack as well as other hands-on activities to let you learn more about local agriculture and food production. 	\$75	9am-3pm	8-13
July 28-August 1	Discovery Day Camp - Come join youth from Alexander, Caldwell, Catawba and Iredell Counties for 5 days of discovering some educational and recreational attractions close to home. Each day a different county hosts the daily activities. You may sign up for one or all days of the camp. 	\$23/day \$100/week	8am-4pm	8-13

July 28	<i>Catawba County Day</i> - Agricultural and farm animal learning stations at Devine Farms followed by an afternoon at Skateland.			
July 29	Uncover local history at Fort Defiance followed by an afternoon of local recreation.			
July 30	Discover animals of types and sizes at Zootastic. Enjoy a special group program, wagon ride, and walk through the zoo. The afternoon brings bowling at Pla-Mor Lanes.			
July 31	Discover hidden gems at Hiddenite Gem Mines followed by an afternoon of canoeing and other fun.			
August 1	Travel to Sci-Works and discover the scientist in you as you enjoy museum exhibits and planetarium show.			
August 4-8	Mini-Society - Youth will create their own Mini-Society and earn money through mini businesses you create! You will have the chance to name your town, create a system for earning money, design your money, apply for jobs, and maybe even be mayor. Learn economic and business basics as you create a business and buy and sell with other Mini Society citizens (no outside selling allowed). The week will end with an auction where you get the chance to use money from your business to purchase some cool items to take home. We will travel to Gaston County each day and join with some other 4-H groups for Mini-Society. 	\$50	8:30am-3:30pm	9-13
August 11	Horsin' Around – What better way to learn about horses than through live demonstration! This program will be spent visiting a local horse rescue to get hands on learning about horse behavior, terms, breeds, body parts, safety and more. Be prepared to get down and dirty at the farm learning about these wonderful animals. *(Closed toed shoes are a must) 	\$10	9am-3:30pm	8 & Older
August 12-14	Focus on Fitness - This week is all about staying healthy! Try out some different sports with our sporting sessions led by local high school athletes who are on their high school tennis, soccer, swim, and baseball teams. We will mix in some materials from STEPS to a Health Teen, a national 4-H program, to help tweens learn about making healthy choices. Learn tips to help you eat healthy so you are sports ready. Meet professionals and learn about sports careers. Location-Maiden Rec. Center 	\$50	9am-3:30pm	10-14
August 15	Lego Mania – Great for children who love legos! Work as a team to conquer lego challenges, such as building the tallest or strongest structure, try-out some new lego kits, learn lego facts, and more. Learn about plans for a new 4-H club starting Fall 2014 that will use legos and other materials as they explore engineering, design, and scientific thinking. Instructors: Will and Lisa Johnson 	\$10	Session 1: 9:30am-12pm	Session 1 6-9
			Session 2: 1:30-4:30pm	Session 2 9 & Older
August 18	Flower Power - Learn about growing flowers, tour a fresh flower farm, and create your own cut flower arrangement to take home. Instructor: Der Xiong. Extension Agent.	\$13	9 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	10 and older
August 19	 White Water Rafting - Head to the NC mountains for an afternoon guided raft trip on the French Broad river. Bring a lunch and money for a fast food supper for the trip home. Limited youth who have registered for other 4-H Summer Fun classes or 4-H Summer Fun volunteers. Deadline to register is August 1.	\$60	10am-8pm	10 & Older