



2019 NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference

“NC 4-H Volunteers: Celebrating 40 years of Achieving and a Future of Believing”

February 1-3, 2019

The 2019 NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference will be February 1-3, 2019, at McKimmon Conference and Training Center in Raleigh. This is your opportunity to participate in workshops and seminars designed especially for 4-H volunteers and agents to create positive learning experiences for young people across the state. Annually, more than 200 conference participants gain skills and knowledge to help make the best better!

Friday night will showcase a curriculum make and take. Come experience the curriculum and take home an activity to use in your clubs! Saturday features a variety of workshops in either 75-minute or 60-minute settings. We wrap up the conference on Sunday morning with an optional morning devotion, brunch and a great capnote speaker. We hope you can join us for this great training event!

Again this year, each participant must register through his or her county Extension office. County Extension offices are responsible for registering volunteers to attend the conference. One invoice will be sent to each county and we request that one check be sent from each county for the total amount of the invoice. An online registration link will be sent to county Extension offices. **All registrations must be entered online.**

Payments should be forwarded as one county check to the State 4-H and FCS Office at the following address: Sarah Kotzian, Volunteer Leaders Conference, NCSU Box 7655, Raleigh, NC 27695. Checks should be made payable to: NC 4-H Club Account.

Registration Fees:

Early Full Time Registration	\$165 (Friday – Sunday)
Regular Full Time Registration	\$195 (Friday – Sunday)
Saturday Only Registration	\$145 (Including Banquet)
Saturday Only Registration	\$115 (Without Banquet)
Awards Dinner Only Registration	\$50

Early full time registration will close on **January 7, 2019 at 5:00 pm**. All other registrations must be entered by the county no later than **January 14, 2019 by 5:00pm**. Please note that your county office will have an earlier deadline for you to register. **Be sure to check with your county to see what their deadline is to register.** The system is set up so that all registrations must be entered by a county Extension professional. No cancellations will be accepted after January 14th at 5:00pm. Counties will be invoiced based on those registered as of 5:00pm on January 14th.

Hotel Information

A block of rooms have been reserved at local hotels for your convenience. Below is the information for each hotel including contact information, rate and reservation cut off date.

DoubleTree by Hilton

- 1701 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh
- \$99 + tax
- Reservations can be made by calling 919-828-0811 and requesting a room under the NCSU- 4-H Volunteer group.
- Block cut off date: 1/11/19.

Fairfield Inn & Suites Raleigh Crabtree

- 2201 Summit Park Lane, Raleigh
- \$99 + tax
- Reservations can be made by calling 919-881-9800 and requesting the 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference block. Reservations can also be made online here: [Book your group rate for 4-H Volunteer Leaders Conference](#)
- Block cut off date: 1/2/19 (before 5 pm)
- Breakfast included

Hampton Inn Raleigh/Crabtree

- 3920 Arrow Drive, Raleigh
- \$99 + tax
- Reservations can be made by calling 919-881-7080 and requesting a room under the 4-H Volunteer Leaders Conference group. Reservations can also be made online here http://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/groups/personalized/R/RDUAWHX-4HL-20190201/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG using group code 4HL.
- Block cut-off date: 1/14/19
- Breakfast included

Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites at NC State University

- 3741 Thistledown Drive, Raleigh
- \$99.99 + tax
- Reservation can be made by calling 919-854-0001 and requesting a room State 4-H Volunteers
- Block cut-off date: 1/18/19
- Breakfast included

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Name _____

County Where You Volunteer _____ District _____

Email _____ Day of Contact Phone: (____) _____

Please List Special Dietary Needs _____

Please List Special Accommodation Needs _____

Is this your first 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference? _____ Yes _____ No

Participant type (select one): Extension staff _____ Volunteer _____

2018-2019 District Officer? Yes _____ No _____

2019-2020 District Officer? Yes _____ No _____

2018-2019 State Officer? Yes _____ No _____

Media Release Information

_____ I have on file and can produce if necessary the required paperwork GIVING North Carolina State University permission to take photographs and/or record video and/or audio or otherwise record images and likenesses of the youth or adult delegate I am registering.

_____ I have on file and can produce if necessary the required paperwork NOT GIVING North Carolina State University permission to take photographs and/or record video and/or audio or otherwise record images and likenesses of the youth or adult delegate I am registering.

Sharing Information

_____ Yes, you have permission to share and publish in conference materials this delegates name, county, email address and phone number.

_____ No, you do not have permission to share and publish in conference materials this delegates name, county, email address and phone number.

Registration Summary:

Early Full Time	\$ _____
Regular Full Time	\$ _____
Saturday Only (with Banquet)	\$ _____
Saturday Only (no Banquet)	\$ _____
Saturday Banquet Only	\$ _____
TOTAL REGISTRATION FEE	\$ _____

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE – SATUDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd
SUBJECT TO CHANGE

7:45 – 8:15 AM

- First Timers Orientation

8:30 – 9:45 AM (Session I)

- 4-H Electric
- It's Easy to Teach Sewing
- Cake Chemistry
- Drawing on the Whole Brain
- Growing Into Good Citizens
- Hopping Down the Rabbit and Cavy Trail
- The 4-Frames Approach to 4-H Fundraising

9:55 – 11:10 AM (Session II)

- 4-H Electric
- #ScoresOpenDoors: Navigating College Admissions
- 4-H Farm to Fork Camps
- 4-H'ers Grow through Presentations
- Pollinator Power
- Raving Robots
- Social Media Sewing Circle

1:30 – 2:30 PM (Session III)

- Blast Off with 4-H STEM!
- Communication Challenges
- Community Partners: Creating Successful Volunteer Opportunities for 4-H members with Small Nonprofits
- Helping Youth Identify Their Strengths
- Sharing Your 4-H Story through Evaluation
- The International Lowdown - What Can I Do with the NC 4-H International Exchange?

2:45 – 3:45 PM (Session IV)

- Clover Bud Learning through having Fun
- Easy STEAM activities for club programming
- FUNdamentals of 4-H
- Livestock & Poultry 101
- The Basics of Social Media
- What's That Dog Doing Here? Therapy and Service Dogs

4:10 – 5:10 PM (Session V)

- 4-H Online
- Computer Security
- Leadership is 4-H Grown
- Line Dancing for Mental & Physical Health
- Pawsitive Dog Games (mostly for dog lovers)

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Tentative Agenda

Friday, February 1, 2019

11:00 AM – 1:30 AM	State Officers Meeting and Luncheon
5:30 – 8:30 PM	Conference Registration Open
7:00 – 9:00 PM	Experience 4-H Curriculum: Make and Take

Saturday, February 2, 2019

6:30 – 9:00 AM	Exhibit Set up
7:00 AM	Registration Opens
8:00 – 8:30 AM	First Timers Orientation
8:30 – 9:45 AM	Workshop Session 1
9:55 – 11:10 AM	Workshop Session 2
11:20– 12:00 Noon	Opening Assembly Business Meeting Officer Candidate Introduction Program Announcements Election of State Officers
12:10 – 1:15 PM	Lunch with District Meetings
1:30 – 2:30 PM	Workshop Session 3
2:45 – 3:45PM	Workshop Session 4
3:45 – 4:00 PM	Break
4:10 – 5:10 PM	Workshop Session 5
6:15 – 6:50 PM	Award Photos
7:00 – 9:45 PM	Awards Banquet and Auction

Sunday, February 3, 2019

8:00 – 8:30 AM	Morning Devotion (optional)
8:45 – 10:45 AM	Morning Assembly Capnote Speaker Closing Business Meeting Officer Installation
11:15 AM	Conference Adjourns