



# Heartline

NC 4-H Honor Club Member Newsletter

Spring 2019 Edition



## HONOR CLUB CONFERENCE 2019

Calling all NC 4-H Honor Club members! Looking for a chance to reconnect with 4-H? Then mark your calendars for Friday through Sunday, **May 31st—June 2nd, 2019** to attend **Honor Club Conference 2019!**

Hosted at the beautiful Millstone 4-H Camp in Ellerbe, NC, you'll have the chance to connect with fellow Honor Club members from across the generations. We'll hold a general membership meeting where you can catch up on all the latest Honor Club business and serve on committees to plan the next year in Honor Club. We will also review new member applications and vote on inductees to be tapped into Honor Club at 4-H Congress 2019.

As a Conference attendee, you'll be able to participate in a service project with Millstone 4-H camp staff, as well as have downtime to catch up with friends, fellowship during the Saturday night Clover Cookout, and enjoy the fun recreational activities that Millstone has to offer. Conference is like one big 4-H family reunion. The only thing we're missing is YOU! You won't want to miss it, so **register today... See more details inside!**

## MESSAGE FROM THE HONOR CLUB PRESIDENT

Greetings NC 4-H Honor Club members!

It is an exciting time to be a 4-H Honor Club member. As you know, our motto is "Service." As such, we are starting to explore more service opportunities that will help our 4-H communities, in addition to the service projects we already perform at Conference and Congress. I encourage you to participate as your schedule allows! Also, please contact the board if you know of a service opportunity that we could implement or advertise to our members.

In addition, we are planning to contact members who may not have participated in 4-H Honor Club recently. Thus, if you have not been involved in Honor Club in a while, it's a great time to get reacquainted with your Honor Club family at conference May 31st through June 2nd. 😊

Sincerely,  
Brandon Joyce  
NC 4-H Honor Club President  
[brandonsoccer22@gmail.com](mailto:brandonsoccer22@gmail.com)



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## 2018 HONOR CLUB INDUCTEES

On Saturday, July 21st, 2018 during the opening assembly during 4-H Congress, 31 new inductees were tapped into Honor Club. We congratulate them on their achievement and extend a warm welcome to all of our new members!

<b>Allison Akers</b> , Granville County	<b>Bree Loftus</b> , Hyde County	<b>Daija Sams</b> , Union County
<b>Emily Atkinson</b> , Lincoln County	<b>Alyssa McCoy</b> , Duplin County	<b>Michael Staton</b> , Union County
<b>William Baldwin</b> , Buncombe County	<b>Emma McSwain</b> , Lincoln County	<b>Nick Thompson</b> , Burke County
<b>Grayson Barefoot</b> , Johnston County	<b>Clarissa Mitchell</b> , Davidson County	<b>Richard Tysinger</b> , Burke County
<b>Hannah Barringer</b> , Rowan County	<b>Regan Mitchem</b> , Lincoln County	<b>Dot Wagoner</b> , Alamance County
<b>McKenzie Beeson</b> , Guilford County	<b>Sam Oster</b> , Rowan County	<b>Rebecca Walter</b> , Montgomery Co.
<b>Ben Carpenter</b> , Haywood County	<b>Lincoln Parrish</b> , Johnston County	<b>Stacie Winner</b> , Nash County
<b>Spencer Cook</b> , Forsyth County	<b>DeLani Reep</b> , Richmond County	<b>Nicole Worth</b> , Johnston County
<b>Madison Evans</b> , Union County		
<b>Keileigh Haynes</b> , Montgomery Co.		
<b>John Hinsley</b> , Beaufort County		
<b>Jadyn Hooker</b> , Forsyth County		
<b>Sidney Hooker</b> , Forsyth County		
<b>Amber Lackey</b> , Sampson County		
<b>Camryn Lawrence</b> , Pasquotank Co.		



## 2019 VOLUNTEER LEADER AWARD WINNERS

Honor Club has the privilege of presenting awards to North Carolina 4-H's outstanding volunteers at the annual Volunteer Leaders Conference. On February 2nd, 2019, twelve individuals were recognized as award winners, and two new members were inducted into the Achievement Hall of 4-H Leadership.

### DISTRICT 4-H ADULT VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION AWARD WINNERS

#### North Central District

**Melinda Barrick**, Forsyth County  
**Ashley Doub Wilbanks**, Yadkin Co.

#### South Central District

**Tom Devine**, Lincoln County  
**Lisha Johnson**, Cumberland County  
**Sue Stulpin**, Catawba County

#### Northeast District

**Molly LaHay**, Nash County  
**Venus Michele Spruill**,  
Northampton County

#### Southeast District

**Jenise Kirby**, Wayne County  
**Kim Nead**, Cartaret County  
**Larry Russ**, Robeson County  
**Tina Sharpe**, New Hanover Co.

#### West District

**Jessica Metz**, Eastern Band of  
Cherokee Indians



### ACHIEVEMENT HALL OF 4-H LEADERSHIP INDUCTEES

**Michael Bower**, Hoke County  
**Angie Dunn**, Wayne County



4-H is more than a youth development organization; it's a family. Reconnect with your 4-H family at the inaugural **Celebrating North Carolina 4-H: Ever GREEN** event! 4-H alumni, family, friends, volunteers, and donors — this includes Honor Club members! — are invited to attend as we honor Hall of Fame members, Lifetime Achievement and Family Legacy Awards recipients, and partners in 4-H.

Honor Club members may find out how to volunteer at the event by contacting Event Co-Coordinator Sharon Runion Rowland at (919) 819-7030 or via e-mail at [sharonrowland@gmail.com](mailto:sharonrowland@gmail.com).

We hope you'll join us at this exciting gala-style event!

**When:** Saturday, April 6, 2019

**Where:** Sheraton Four Seasons, Greensboro, NC  
(Koury Convention Center)  
Reception at 5:30 PM  
Dinner and Program Begin at 6:30 PM

**Dress:** Business Attire

**Cost:** \$50 per person (all proceeds benefit NC 4-H)

**Invitation Link:** <http://tinyurl.com/EverGreenInvite>

**Register by March 22nd, 2019 at:**  
[go.ncsu.edu/4HEverGREEN](http://go.ncsu.edu/4HEverGREEN)

## HONOR CLUB CONFERENCE 2019

We hope you'll join us for Honor Club Conference 2019! To register, please fill out the registration form below and mail it in, or visit our website at [nc4hhonorclub.org/members/conference/](http://nc4hhonorclub.org/members/conference/) to **register online** (preferred)!



### 2019 North Carolina 4-H Honor Club Conference

May 31—June 2, 2019

Millstone 4-H Camp, Ellerbe, NC



**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**County + Year Tapped:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Gender (if lodging at Millstone):**    Male    Female    Other

**Dietary Restrictions:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please choose an option:**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Option 1:** \$85 total  
Friday — Sunday @ Millstone

\_\_\_\_\_ **Option 2:** \$57 total  
Saturday — Sunday @ Millstone

\_\_\_\_\_ **Option 3:** \$30 total  
Saturday Only + Hotel Lodgers

**Total Amount Included: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to purchase an **exclusive Conference 2019**

**t-shirt** for \$10.00 (circle one):                      Yes                      No

**T-shirt size (if ordering):**    S    M    L    XL    XXL

- ◆ Registration includes camp lodging, meals, activities, and the Saturday evening cookout. Hotel costs are not included.
- ◆ **Registration deadline:** May 17th, 2019
- ◆ Payment by cash, check, or credit card will be accepted at Conference.
- ◆ Please make checks payable to "North Carolina 4-H Honor Club."
- ◆ Mail registration forms (and any advance payments) to:

2019 NC 4-H Honor Club Conference  
% Sally Dixon  
71 6th Street  
Waynesville, NC 28786

- ◆ Questions? Contact Sally Dixon at (828) 450-5828 or [srdixon@ncsu.edu](mailto:srdixon@ncsu.edu)

## WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

This year, we are working diligently to connect with Honor Club members who may have lost touch, so we've made it simple for you to update your contact information in our member directory! Members receive:

- ♦ The exclusive biannual *Heartline* newsletter
- ♦ Updates about Honor Club Conference, NC 4-H Congress, involvement opportunities, and more!

Unless you request a hard copy, all further Honor Club communications will be sent electronically to the e-mail address on file, so be sure to update your information! You can do so online at [go.ncsu.edu/honorclubmember](http://go.ncsu.edu/honorclubmember) (preferred) or by cutting out the card on the right and mailing it to:

North Carolina 4-H Honor Club  
c/o Shannon McCollum  
NCSU Campus Box 7655  
Raleigh, NC 27695

We look forward to hearing from you soon!



## North Carolina 4-H Honor Club

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name when Tapped (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

County Tapped: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

County Currently Residing: \_\_\_\_\_

I give Honor Club permission to share my contact information in a private member directory. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Check one of the following:

☐ I do not have internet access. Please mail Honor Club communications to the address above.

☐ I would like to receive electronic communications.  
Please send Honor Club news to the e-mail above.



## MEMBER INVOLVEMENT: VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

### PROJECT RECORD JUDGING

**4-H Record Judges Needed!** You'll learn so much about records by judging them. Come meet new friends and have fun while judging!

#### Project Record Judging

April 26-28, 2019  
SpringHill & Suites, Cary, NC

#### Portfolio Judging

April 29-May 1, 2019  
SpringHill & Suites, Cary, NC

Register online at:

[go.ncsu.edu/recordjudging](http://go.ncsu.edu/recordjudging)

### DISTRICT ACTIVITY DAYS

#### South Central DAD

June 14, Lincoln County

#### West DAD

June 15, McDowell County

#### North Central DAD

June 21, Orange County

#### Southeast DAD

June 21, Craven County

#### Northeast DAD

June 22, Wake County

### 4-H CONGRESS 2019

4-H Congress will be held **July 20-23, 2019** at the McKimmon Center in Raleigh, NC. Honor Club members have the opportunity to be involved in the Tapping Ceremony and more!

**Learn more** about all of our opportunities for involvement at:

<http://nc4hhonorclub.org/members/involvement/>

Or contact **Shannon McCollum** at:

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[shannon\\_mccollum@ncsu.edu](mailto:shannon_mccollum@ncsu.edu)



Have something you'd like to see featured in the *Heartline* member newsletter?

Contact Anna Marie Vagnozzi, Honor Club Historian, at [amvagnozzi@gmail.com](mailto:amvagnozzi@gmail.com)

Join our member group on Facebook! <https://www.facebook.com/groups/18782542975/>

Visit our website at: [www.nc4hhonorclub.org](http://www.nc4hhonorclub.org)



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