



Heartline

NC 4-H Honor Club Member Newsletter

Fall 2017 Edition



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NORTH CAROLINA 4-H CONGRESS 2017

On June 29th through August 1st, 4-H'ers gathered from across the state for NC 4-H Congress 2017. Honor Club members in attendance kicked off their evening at Congress on Saturday with a business meeting, where the new Board was introduced, the dates for Honor Club Conference 2018 were announced (see back for details), and members voted on updates to the Constitution and By-Laws. The Tapping Ceremony was also held on Saturday evening during the Opening Assembly. We welcomed 42 outstanding inductees into Honor Club this year, and friends and family traveled from near and far to tap them in and celebrate their accomplishments! Following tapping, the annual Rebecca Parker Murray Reception

was held for members and their families to enjoy cake and light refreshments. We'd like to extend a huge *thank you* to those who helped put on the reception! We had 48 volunteers, as well as around 30 parents, 10 agents, and several 4-H delegates attending Congress who also assisted with tapping. It was great to see so many familiar faces!

On Monday evening, members helped with State 4-H Officer Elections. We'd like to congratulate the 2017-2018 State Officers, all four of whom are Honor Club members! We're excited to have them representing NC 4-H this year. The night was brought to a close with the Candlelight Clover Ceremony, a timeless Honor Club tradition. We look forward to 4-H Congress 2018!

NEW HONOR CLUB INDUCTEES

On Saturday, July 29th at the opening assembly during 4-H Congress, 42 new inductees were tapped into Honor Club. We congratulate them on their achievement and extend a warm welcome to all of our new members!



Sarah Perry
Alexander County



Katie Edwards
Anson County



Madison Baldwin
Buncombe County



Ashton Overton
Camden County



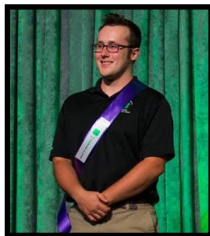
Mary Katherine Owens
Camden County



Kat Stulpin
Catawba County



Katelyn Batchelor
Chatham County



Michael Hopkins
Cherokee County



Laurel Hanks
Cleveland County



Caley Mayo
Edgecombe County



BJ Hutchins
Forsyth County



Daniel Crouse
Gaston County



Hannah McCoy
Gaston County



Maggie Dickerson
Granville County



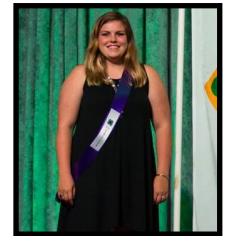
Katie Haynes
Granville County



Betsy Dean
Guilford County



Erin Dillon
Guilford County



Kate Hice
Guilford County



Taylor Foster
Harnett County



Caroline Coble
Johnston County



Beth Furry
Lee County



Hailey Elmore
Lenoir County



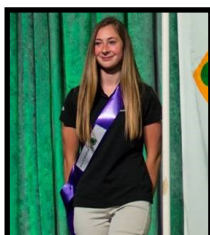
Cesar Hernandez
Martin County



Alexandra Veverka
Martin County



Daniel Silver
Mitchell County



Sarah Alexi
Montgomery County



Grace LaHay
Nash County



Madisyn Boyce
Pasquotank County



Lance Sharber
Pasquotank County



Lauren Winslow
Pasquotank County



Christopher Mack-Gonzalez
Pitt County



Kyra Miles
Pitt County



Kyndalyn Powell
Pitt County



Alexandra Evans
Robeson County



Micah Furr
Rowan County



Madison Breedlove
Rutherford County



Autumn Corbin
Rutherford County



James Nelson
Rutherford County



India Jones
Warren County



Auston Dew
Wilson County



Amberly Glover
Yancey County



Rebecca Heidenfelder
Yancey County



NEW HONOR CLUB WEBSITE

We are excited to debut our NEW official website for the North Carolina 4-H Honor Club! The website will function as a central source of information for both members and applicants, as well as those simply wishing to learn more about our service organization.

We hope you'll take a few minutes to check it out! Some of the items featured on our website include:

About Us: Learn basic information about Honor Club's mission and the history of the organization.

Applicants: Learn about membership requirements, instructions on applying, and tips for new applicants.

Members: View the Constitution and By-Laws, meet your Honor Club Board, access the member directory, and find information on how to get involved in events like 4-H Congress and Honor Club Conference.

Media: Access previous Heartline editions, as well as our photo and video galleries from Honor Club events.

Contact Us: Get in touch via e-mail or social media!

Visit our new site at:
nc4hhonorclub.org



UPDATE YOUR MEMBERSHIP INFO

As the *Heartline* member newsletter makes a comeback, we are working diligently to connect with Honor Club members who may have lost touch. This month, we mailed a hard copy to all of the members currently in our database. You now have the option of how you'd like to receive future editions of the *Heartline* and other Honor Club updates! Unless you opt in for the hard copy, all further Honor Club news will be sent to the e-mail address we have on file.

We encourage you to update your contact information in our database! You can do so by:

- Using our online form (preferred):
<https://goo.gl/forms/5kYUw615VMScgyoh2>
- Filling out the form on the right, clipping it out, and mailing it to NC 4-H Honor Club, c/o Shannon McCollum, NCSU Campus Box 7655, Raleigh, NC 27695.

Please update my contact information in the Honor Club Member Database!

Full Name: _____

Name when Tapped (if different): _____

E-mail: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Preferred Phone Number: _____

County Tapped: _____ Year: _____

County Currently Residing: _____

I would like to receive the *Heartline* and other Honor Club information via (check all that apply):

☐ Hard copy in the mail

☐ Electronic to the above e-mail address

PICKIN' IN THE PINES

On **October 21st** from **6-11 PM**, Millstone 4-H Camp will be hosting **Pickin' in the Pines**, a "bluegrass and barbecue benefit" that all Honor Club members are invited to attend! The event includes a pig pickin' and heavy hors d'oeuvres buffet, as well as a live auction and live music entertainment. (One of the bands features two Honor Club members!) The cost per guest is \$50, and all proceeds go to support camperships at Millstone next summer. Register online today—see our website for details!

HONOR CLUB CONFERENCE 2018

We are excited to announce that the next **Honor Club Conference** will be held **June 1-3, 2018**. Save the date and stay tuned for more details!

**NC 4-H HONOR CLUB
CONFERENCE
JUNE 1-3, 2018
MILLSTONE 4-H CAMP
ELLERBE, NC**

SPREAD THE WORD!

VOLUNTEER LEADERS CONFERENCE

Mark your calendars: The annual **NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders Conference** will be held **February 2-4, 2018**. Honor Club members are invited to attend, as the conference is a great way to stay connected to 4-H and learn how to be a more effective volunteer. You can even volunteer to lead a workshop at the event! Registration information and workshop proposal forms can be found at:

<https://nc4h.ces.ncsu.edu/nc4h-volunteers/>

More information on all of our events can be found at: <http://nc4hhonorclub.org/members/involvement/>



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

Contact Anna Marie Vagnozzi, Honor Club Historian, at amvagnozzi@gmail.com

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

Visit our website at: www.nc4hhonorclub.org

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