

News Article
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Coosa 4-H Looking for Science Club Volunteer Leader

Do you have an interest in science? Would you like to share your interest and enthusiasm with a group of 4-H members? Maybe you should consider being a volunteer for a Coosa County 4-H Science Club. In fact, there is a workshop coming up that we would be glad to sponsor a volunteer and a teen youth to attend.

The 4-H Youth S.E.T. for Life Workshop is scheduled for March 23-24, 2007 at the Alabama 4-H Center. The S.E.T. stands for Science, Engineering, & Technology. Our county can send one volunteer leader and one teen youth leader (14 or older). The agenda will include workshops on:

Introductory Robotics
Introductory Rocketry
Overview of S.E.T. Challenge Events
Challenge Displays, Rocket Launch & Robotics Demo

The program will start at 3:00 p.m. on March 23 and adjourn by 4 or 5 p.m. on March 24. The fee for volunteers and youth is only \$25 per person. We will cover the rest, including lodging and meals, if you are selected to attend. Some regions or counties will be fortunate enough to take home a rocketry or robotics kit. Those that do will work toward conducting a workshop of their own back home with their 4-H Science Club with assistance from our Regional Extension staff.

Registration deadline is February 20th, so contact Roger Vines at the Coosa County Extension Office (256-377-4713) if you would be interested or would like to find out more information.

Currently Coosa County has 7 volunteer led clubs including: a General 4-H Club, a Livestock Club, a Natural Resources Club, a Cooking Club, a Meats Judging Club, a Forestry Judging Club and a Wildlife Judging Club. We hope to add an Arts/Crafts Club and a Science Club if we can find a volunteer who would enjoy leading these clubs. We are also open to ideas for other special clubs, so please call if you would like to be involved in some way. Most clubs meet once per month at the 4-H Club House in Hanover, but volunteers have the option of meeting at a different location on their own schedule. Contact the Coosa County Extension Office for more information.