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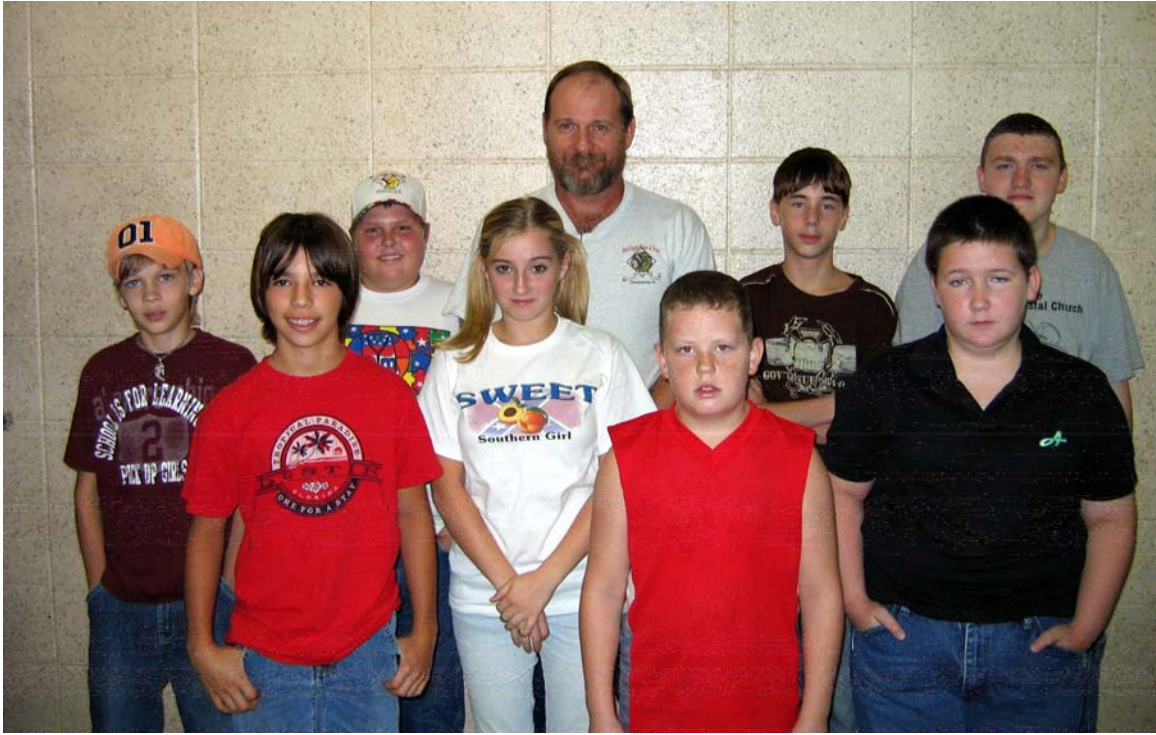
Calling All 4-H Volunteers!

Do you have a special talent or skill that you would like to share with a young person? Then 4-H is looking for you! 4-H is not just for the classroom anymore! We also have 4-H Special Interest Clubs. A special interest club focuses on one topic such as horses or gardening. In St. Clair County we have five special interest clubs: St. Clair County 4-H Equine Club, St. Clair Clay Cutters (shotgun shooting sports), Animal Science Club (livestock), Archery Club, and Wildlife Habitat Judging Team. Each club is led by volunteers who have been screened and trained by The Alabama Cooperative Extension System. These clubs meet in the evening or on weekends once a month to have educational programs as well as prepare for various competitions on county and state level.

You might be asking yourself, what exactly is 4-H? 4-H is a learning-by-doing education program for boys and girls in kindergarten through 12th grade. The purpose of 4-H is to foster skill development in young people and helps them learn to make decisions, think critically, build relationships, practice leadership and develop a concern for their community and world.

If you would like to serve as a 4-H volunteer and help out the young people of St. Clair County please contact Nancy Graves, Regional Extension Agent—4-H at the St. Clair County Extension office at 205-338-9416 or email at foxwong@auburn.edu. The rewards of being a 4-H Volunteer are endless and you will be amazed at the difference you can make in a young person's life.

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St. Clair County Clay Cutters (Shooting Sports) 4-H Club Kick-Off Meeting led by volunteer leader Marcus Adams.



St. Clair County 4-H Equine Club meeting led by volunteers Dallas & Sharon Davis and Jeff & Holly Rowlen.