



This Just In! – From Alabama 4-H
Thursday, April 3, 2008

Thursday, April 24
RANDOLPH COUNTY FARM DAY
KIWANIS PARK IN WEDOWEE

Alabama 4-H Golf Classic
June 12, 2008
FarmLinks at Pursell Farms
Sylacauga, Alabama
<http://www.aces.edu/pubs/docs/E/EX-0064/EX-0064-2008.pdf>

JMG Growing Like Kudzu in Talladega County



Volunteer Marilyn Kline has taken gardening to new heights at Watwood Elementary and Childersburg Elementary in Talladega County. Marilyn goes into the classroom once or twice a month (depending on the school) and teaches fourth grade students about gardening. She is using the Junior Master Gardener program to teach youth the importance of plants and how to grow and take care of them. These students have been planting seed for several months and watching them grow inside. As the weather permits the students will transplant them into outdoor gardens at their school.

In addition, the students have been learning about beneficial and harmful insects, careers in the horticulture field and the stages of plant development.

Thanks to Kim Good

Big Fun!
4-H Day
U.S. Space & Rocket Center
April 12, 2008



\$18 PER PERSON

Globalize Me



Globalize Me Training
Tuesday, May 20 – Wednesday, May 21
Alabama 4-H Center

4-H Outdoor Field Day in South Alabama



4-H'ers from five counties attended 4-H Outdoor Field Day at Booker Mill in Conecuh County on March 15. The 4-H'ers spent the Saturday learning about Forestry, Archery, Skeet Shooting, Water Bugs, Skins N' Skulls and Sport Fishing. The experience gave youth the opportunity to meet other 4-H'ers from the southwest region as they participated in a variety of activity stations based on "hands-on, minds-on" teaching, which is the foundation of 4-H programming. Personnel from the Alabama Cooperative Extension System and the Department of Conservation & Natural Resources delivered the programs. This 4-H Outdoor Field Day was appreciated by youth and adults attending.



Thanks to Cindy Knowlton

Ahmeds Receive Prudential Spirit Awards



The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards honor young people for outstanding community service. The awards are the United States' largest youth volunteer recognition program.

Azeem Ahmed was nominated by Alabama 4-H for his work within the greater Lee County Community. He is a member of Learning Clovers 4-H Club, Lee County Rocketry and Robotics and currently serves on the Alabama State 4-H Council. He has worked with March of Dimes, the East Alabama Food Bank, Habitat for Humanity, the Auburn Day care Centers and the American Red Cross. Azeem was named in the top 10% of application for the Spirit of Community Award.

Aleem Ahmed was nominated by the Lee County Red Cross for his work with Kids-4-Kids program based on a simple math problem. It one person makes five gift boxes and recruit two more friends to do the same, lots of money could be raised to help Katrina victims. More than \$600 was raised with these funds going into 106 gift boxes for youth. Silly putty, pencils, candy and other goodies were packed, wrapped and delivered. Aleem has also worked with Club Red, Project SHARE, and Community Emergency Education Campaign. Aleem is a member of the Learning Clovers 4-H Club.

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