



CLOVER PARLE

Avoyelles Parish February 2025



February

- 1 District Rabbit and Chicken Show (Evac Center-Alexandria)
- 3 Junior Master Gardener Club 5:00
- 4 Sewing for Service Club 5:00
- 10 Junior Leader Club Meeting
- 11-18 State Livestock Show (Gonzales)
- 17 Fashion Tour (Crowley, LA)
- 24 Culinary Club
- 27-28 Central Region Challenge Camp

March

- 1 State Rabbit Show (Alexandria)
SeaPerch Challenge (Lafayette)
- 7-9 Junior Leadership Conference
- 10 Junior Leader Club Meeting
- 12 Food Challenge
- 15 Clover Run
- 17 Regional Commodity Cookery
- 22 WOW Day Camp-Wild Over Wildlife (Chicot Park)



Date: April 12, 2025
 Time: 9:00 - 1:00
 Where: Riverside Elementary
 Who: 4th – 12th graders

2025 Achievement Day planning is underway. Join us for a day of educational stations, competitions, tests, a talent show, quiz bowl, demonstrations and more. Details will be released in the March Clover Parle. In the meantime, begin planning for your demonstrations, illustrated talks, and visual arts entries.

CHALLENGE CAMP

Challenge Camp is a great way to meet new friends and learn valuable life skills. Join us February 27-28, 2025 for Central Region's annual challenge camp!!

This is open to any 7th-8th grade 4-H members. Spots are limited, so register today! **Deadline to register is February 14th.**

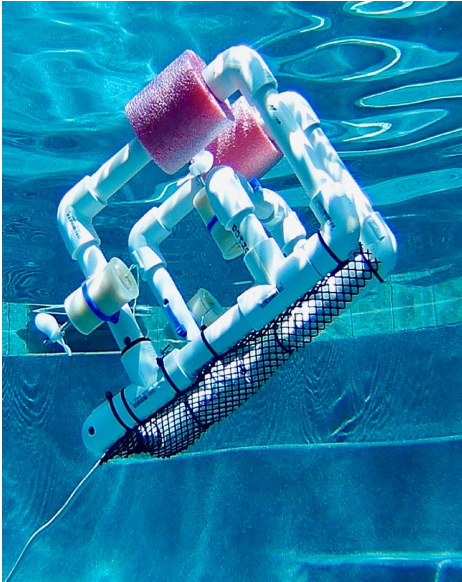


WOW: Wild Over Wildlife

Join us for an exciting day of exploring your beautiful Bayou Chicot State Park. Saturday, March 22nd 10:00 am – 3:00 pm will be a day of learning firsthand about the great things nature has to offer. Your \$20.00 and a non-perishable item will cover your park fees and rental, your lunch, and a T-shirt. Reserve your spot by registering at <https://avoyelles-parish-4-h-foundation.square.site/>



seaperch



The Challenge

- Pilot your ROV through an obstacle course
- Use your ROV to complete an underwater mission
- A team interview with a panel of engineering experts
- Submission of a technical design report

Who? All enrolled 4-H members

When? March 1, 2025

Where? Robicheaux Recreation Center, Lafayette

Cost? \$35 per team

Register at <https://lsuagcenter.regfox.com/2025-louisiana-4-h-seaperch-challenge>

Deadline to register is February 17th

ESPORTS TOURNAMENT



Interested in Esports? 4-H is hosting regional tournaments for Junior Division (grades 5-7) and Senior Division (grades 8-12). Three titles are offered at each Regional Tournament, and Rocket League for 4-H university. The three titles are:

- Mario Kart 8 Deluxe (Junior Division only)
- Rocket League
- Super Smash Bros. Ultimate

Youth can compete in multiple titles at the same tournament! Senior Division teams competing in Rocket League will also be qualifying for their invitation to compete in the Finals at 4-H U.

The Central Region Tournament will be held March 29th at the Evac Shelter in Alexandria. Registration is only \$5 per title!!! Register at v2.4honline.com

Wildlife Habitat Education Program

Calling all 6th-8th graders interested in wildlife habitats! We have an amazing opportunity for you! Join us at the Alexandria Zoo on February 24th for our Junior WHEP challenge. Each team of 3-4 members will work together to complete challenges and learn more about our wildlife habitats. The cost is \$20 per youth and registration is completed at v2.4honline.com.



Do you like swimming? Do you like to listen to music and dance? Do you want to learn new and exciting things and hang out with friends this summer? Then you need to attend 4-H Summer Camp! You must be in Grades 4th-6th. Avoyelles Parish will attend camp June 9-12, 2025. Registration link on 4-H Online is opening soon.



We are currently accepting deposits for our 2024 Summer Camp. The cost is \$250. This covers transportation, registration, meals and snacks, and 3 nights of accommodation. While at camp, campers will participate in one of (6) educational tracks: Science, Engineering, and Technology; Outdoor Adventures; Hunter Safety; Louisiana Wetlands; Food and Fitness; and Water Safety. Campers will also have recreational time to play various sports, archery, swimming, canoeing, kayaking, stand-up paddle-boarding, and line dancing. Other choices include team-building activities, performing arts and visiting with friends. Evening programs consist of skits, talent shows, Vespers, and special guest speakers. Submit your \$100 non-refundable deposit, along with your form, asap to hold your spot.

The deadline to submit deposits is April 11, 2025. Balance must be paid by May 22, 2025.

2025 Summer Camp Form

Non-refundable deposit of \$100 and registration form is due by April 11, 2025. Make checks or money orders payable to Avoyelles 4-H Foundation and mail to 8592 Hwy 1, Mansura, LA 71350

Student name _____ Gender _____

School _____ Grade _____

Address _____

Parent name _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

Check out

https://www.lsuagcenter.com/topics/kids_teens/events/events/4hu
for more information about 4-H University.



Registration forms will come out in March. They will be discussed at school club meetings and March's Junior Leader meeting. If you would like to be added to our 4-H U email list, email asoileau@agcenter.lsu.edu to let her know.





Avoyelles 4-H 5K/1Mile Clover Run Saturday, March 15, 2025



Registration/Check in from 7:00-8:00 at LSU Ag Center in Mansura
5K and 1 Mile Fun Run will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. - please try to be there by 7:45.

Entry fee - \$20 by February 28th (includes shirt)
Late entries are welcome until 8:00 on race day (not guaranteed shirt)

Awards:

- 1 Mile Fun Run** - 1st, 2nd & 3rd place
- 5K** - Top 3 in each age category
- Best Dressed St. Patrick's Day Spirit**, 1 award
- Youth club/group with highest participation**, 1 award, Pizza Party

Age Groups:

- 10 and under
- 11-17
- 18-39
- 40 and up

Make Checks payable to: Avoyelles 4-H
Mail checks and entry form or drop off to: Avoyelles LSU Ag Center – 8592 Hwy. 1, Mansura, LA 71350

Entry forms can be picked up at the 4-H office or printed using the QR code



Membership and participation in activities and events are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, veteran status, or disability. If you have a disability that requires special accommodation for your participation in an activity, please contact us at 318-964-2245.

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