

## 2012 Maryland 4-H Events Calendar

### January 2012

January 2	State 4-H Office Closed
January 15	2012 Maryland 4-H Livestock Round-Up Planning Committee Applications due
January 15	4-H Gala, Ten Oaks Ballroom, Clarksville
January 16	State 4-H Office Closed
January 18	4-H Faculty and Staff Monthly Meet-Up
January 20-22	Horse World Expo –and 4-H Horse Art Contest, State Fairgrounds
January 20	Resumes due to State 4-H Office for National 4-H Congress, West Virginia Older Members Conference, Virginia 4-H Congress, and Camp Miniwanca
TBA	Dog Advisory Council Meeting, Maryland 4-H Center, 10am-2pm
January 21	Camp Director's In-Service – Patuxent River 4-H Center
January 21	Teen Council Trip-TBA
January 26	UME 4-H New Volunteer Training Webinar
January 27-29	National Health Rocks National Training Seminar, Chevy Chase, MD
January 28	Animal Science Volunteer Forum, National Wildlife Visitor Center (Patuxent Research Refuge), Laurel, MD
January 31	CLCE-PILD Team Meeting

### February 2012

February 4	Interviews for National 4-H Congress, West Virginia Older Members Conference, Virginia 4-H Congress, and Camp Miniwanca at Queen Anne's County Extension Office, Centreville, MD (Inclement weather date – February 18)
February 5	Teen Council and Volunteer Association, College Park
February 7	Interviews for National 4-H Congress, West Virginia Older Members Conference, Virginia 4-H Congress, and Camp Miniwanca at Maryland 4-H Center (Inclement weather date – February 21)
February 7-9	JCEP Leadership Conference, San Antonio, TX
February 9-12	Maryland Association of Environmental and Outdoor Education Conference – Ocean City, MD
February 11	Interviews for National 4-H Congress, West Virginia Older Members Conference, Virginia 4-H Congress, and Camp Miniwanca at Carroll County Extension Office, Westminster, MD (Inclement weather date – February 25)
February 15	4-H Faculty and Staff Monthly Meet-Up
February 20	4-H Day in Annapolis
February 28	UME 4-H New Volunteer Training Webinar

### March 2012

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2012 Maryland 4-H Youth Development Calendar

TBA	Maryland 4-H Dog Bowl Contest
March 3	Maryland 4-H State Livestock Skillathon, Hagerstown, MD
March 4	Teen Council and Volunteer Association Meeting, College Park
March 4-7	22rd National Annual Youth-at-Risk Conference Hyatt Regency Savannah, GA
March 6	UME 4-H New Volunteer Training
March 10	Hippology Clinic, Carroll County Extension Office
March 11-15	National 4-H Camping Institute - WVU Jackson's Mills, WV
March 13-16	ACA Tri-State, Atlantic City, NJ
March 15	Maryland 4-H Military Partners Annual Meeting, College Park
March 19-20	State 4-H Office closed – Spring Break
March 21	4-H Faculty and Staff Monthly Meet-Up
March 21	MD 4-H Foundation Building Meeting, Location TBA
March 23-25	American Youth Horse Council Annual Symposium – Herndon, VA
March 24-29	National 4-H Conference, National 4-H Center, Chevy Chase, MD
March 27- 29	Maryland 4-H Team Retreat, Southern Maryland
<b>April 2012</b>	
TBA	Maryland 4-H Foundation Sporting Clays Fund Raiser Shoot
TBA	Shooting Sports State Instructor Training Workshop
TBA	Engineering Camp – Harford County 4-H Camp
TBA	Semi Annual All Star Conference – Allegany County Fairgrounds
April 2-4	The National After-School Association Annual Convention – Dallas, TX
April 14	Dairy Bowl -ANSC Building on campus
April 14	Maryland 4-H Camp Staff Training
April 15-18	JCEP - Public Issues Leadership Development (PILD) Information, Westin Alexandria, VA
April 18	4-H Faculty and Staff Monthly Meet-Up
April 19	UME 4-H New Volunteer Training
April 21	Horse Judging and Hippology Contests, University of MD College Park
April 22	Horse Bowl Contest, University of MD College Park
April 28	State Communications Contest – Maryland Day
April 28	Maryland Day, UMCP
<b>May 2012</b>	
TBA	Eastern Shore 4-H Spring Show, Queen Anne's Fairgrounds
TBA	Wills Spring 4-H Fair, Howard County Fairgrounds
May 5	Maryland 4-H Camp Staff Training
May 5-6	Maryland Sheep & Wool Festival, Howard County Fairgrounds
May 6	Sheep and Wool Skillathon, Howard County Fairgrounds
May 15	UME 4-H New Volunteer Training

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May 16 4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up  
May 19 Maryland 4-H Camp Staff Training  
May 28 State 4-H Office Closed – Memorial Day

**June 2012**

tba Southern Maryland 4-H Spring Show, Charles County Fairgrounds  
June 2 Maryland 4-H Camp Staff Training  
June 2 4-H Horse Advisory Meeting, Location TBD  
June 4 30th Annual Maryland 4-H Foundation Golf Tournament  
June 20 4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up  
June 20 MD 4-H Foundation Board Meeting  
June 25-29 Teen Focus UMES  
June 30 Annual All Star Conference – Howard County Fairgrounds

**July 2012**

Tba Statewide Dairy Judging Practices  
July 4 State 4-H Office Closed – Independence Day  
July 13-15 Maryland 4-H Horse Jamboree and Communications Contest, Hashawha Camp,  
Westminster, MD  
July 18 4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up  
July 31 Maryland State Fair 4-H/FFA Entry Deadline

**August 2012**

August 15 4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up  
August 23 Maryland 4-H/FFA Dairy Goat Judging Contest at State Fair  
Aug 24 – Sep 3 Maryland State Fair, Timonium, MD  
August 25 Maryland 4-H/FFA Engineering Contests at State Fair

**September 2012**

TBA State 4-H Rifle Match — AGC Range Marriottsville  
TBA Maryland 4-H Robotics FLL, FTC, VEX Trainings  
September 1 Maryland 4-H/FFA Judging Contests at State Fair (Dairy, Livestock, Poultry, Rabbit,  
Horticulture)  
September 3 State 4-H Office Closed – Labor Day  
September 19 MD 4-H Foundation Board meeting  
September 19 4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up  
September 30 State 4-H Dressage Show and Combined Test, Carroll County Agriculture Center

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**October 2012**

TBA	4-H National Youth Science Day
TBA	State 4-H Archery Match
TBA	State 4-H Shotgun Match
October 1	National 4-H Conference portfolios are due
October 4	Western Maryland 4-H Camp Evaluation – Western Maryland 4-H Center
October 7	Maryland Horsemen's Party, Ten Oaks Ballroom
October 7-13	National 4-H Week
October 16	Maryland 4-H Military Club Meeting for 4-H Faculty and Staff - Maryland 4-H Center
October 17	4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up
October 21-26	NAE4-HA National Conference, Orlando, FL

**November 2012**

TBA	American Camp Association Chesapeake Section Fall Meeting
Tba	Maryland 4-H Youth and Volunteer Forum, Ocean City
November 1-4	Eastern National 4-H Horse Roundup, Louisville, KY
November 9	Interviews for National 4-H Conference
November 10	4-H Horse Advisory Meeting, MD 4-H Center, College Park, MD – 10AM
November 10 1PM	4-H Horsemanship Standards Advisory Meeting, MD 4-H Center, College Park, MD –
November 20	Interviews for National 4-H Conference
November 21	MD 4-H Foundation Board meeting
November 21	4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up
November 22-23	State 4-H Office Closed – Thanksgiving Break
November 30- Dec 4	2012 National 4-H Congress, Atlanta, GA

**December 2012**

December 6	Maryland 4-H Animal Science Faculty/Staff In-Service
December 19	4-H Faculty Monthly Meet-Up
December 25-31	State 4-H Office Closed – Winter Break

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