CAMDEN EXTENSION CONNECTIONS

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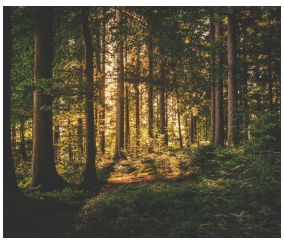
Agriculture



Camden Extension Secures PPE for the Agriculture Community

Agriculture is a strong industry in Camden County, with cash receipts totaling over $36 million dollars in 2018. Austin Brown, Camden County Extension Director and Agriculture Agent, secured various types of face masks and hand sanitizer to protect our essential farmers, farm workers, and their families. To date over 4,800 face masks and 20 gallons of hand sanitizer have been distributed to farmers and direct market farm stands.

4-H Youth Development



Into The Wild Series

Enjoy the great outdoors with Marcia Berry's Into the Wild video series. Weekly videos highlight an outdoor activity and health benefits of spending time outside.

https://camden.ces.ncsu.edu/2020/09/into-the-wild-series/



Let's Get Cooking Series

Sign up today for Let's Get Cooking. Camden County 4-H is looking for youth ages 8-14 that would like to learn about nutrition and have some fun in the kitchen. Beginning the week of October 12-November 9, 2020.

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Family & Consumer Sciences



Handmade and Homegrown Contest

Did you create, bake, grow, or preserve something awesome during quarantine? Show it off here and get the recognition you deserve. Contest entries are being accepted for both junior and senior youth as well as adult divisions of Arts and Crafts, Canning, Baked Goods, Cake and Cupcake decorating, and Homegrown items. Entry is FREE and "Best in Show" awards will be provided to the winners of each category.

Rules and entry forms can be found at
https://go.ncsu.edu/homegrownandhandmade20



2020 On-Demand Virtual Food Preservation Series

NC Cooperative Extension, Camden County Center is holding a series of FREE virtual home food preservation classes that you can watch at your convenience. Each class requires pre-registration to receive the YouTube link and class materials. Class offerings include: making jam, pickling, salsa, and pressure canning.

Visit https://ondemandfoodpreservationseries2020.eventbrite.com to register for the class or classes you would like to attend.

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