



4-H/YOUTH DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION CHAIRMAN REPORT

October 2017

This has been a successful year for 4-H in the Homemaker Program. 12 out of 14 Areas reported on their activities (this represents 75 Counties) with the following results:

Number of members working with youth:	2,051
Volunteer hours working with youth:	73,063
Scholarships given and youth to camp:	316
Dollar Amount of 4-H Scholarships:	21,520.09
Total number of youth reached:	19,525
Areas completing all three areas of work:	3
Number of members doing consumer lesson:	767

Some of the projects participated in by members were: VBS, Mentoring, Church, Sewing, cooking; teaching life skills, Reality Stores, Art Projects, Teaching Savings, Sunday School, Career Paths, Health Fairs, Dollars and Sense, Horticulture, Judging, Recipe For Life, taking children to Creation Museum and Noah's Ark, Truth or Consequences, Fundraising, crafts, transportation, State, County and 4-H Fairs, Beta Convention, Displays, Teaching 4-H Homemaker Lessons, Judging 4-H Essays, Feeding Supper to Awana, Clover Buds, Ag Days, Body Walk, Decision Making, Field Trips, Products for State Fair, Scholarships, 4-H Advisory Council, Livestock Auction; 4-H Camp, Local Festivals and Activities, Planted Red Tulips for Drug Awareness, Boyd Scouts, Food Pantry.



Some things homemakers put into practice as result of lessons were: Became aware of credit card fraud and hacking, watched budgets, planted gardens, learned about controlling youth behavior, did comparison shopping, had partnership with buy-out program, became conscious of skills for youth development and leadership, learned patience with youth, learned communication skills to encourage and motivate youth, learned the power of being a mentor, became aware of reading product labels and to research products and learned financial security.

As we come to the close of this year, I feel we have had a productive year but would love to see more reports. I look forward to the 2017-2018 year and working with you in any way I can. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

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