

# Ohio 4-H News and Notes

## Week of December 1, 2013

### 2014 Counselor College

The 2014 Counselor College will be held on **March 15-16<sup>th</sup> at Canter's Cave 4-H Camp**, located just off State Rte. 35 in Jackson County Ohio. (The Camp is just minutes from Jackson, about 20 minutes from Chillicothe and about hour and 20 minutes from Columbus.) Counselor College is open to any teen ages 14-18 who would like to be a camp counselor. Sessions are based on years of counseling experience with some required sessions and some electives. All sessions are interactive, many are hands on and most are in a camp outdoor setting (weather depending). All sessions are taught by current and retired, 4-H Educators, 4-H Staff, and community volunteers with years of teaching experience. Each year teens from around the state attended CCU. We hope you will consider sending interested teen to this year's training overnight. One of the best benefits of attending a multi-county counselor training is the sharing of ideas and meeting new lifelong friends!

Registration Deadline is March 1<sup>st</sup> all registration forms should be mailed to OSU Extension Gallia County 111 Jackson Pike, Suite 1572 Gallipolis Ohio 45631

- Cost is \$45.00 (there will be a \$5.00 late fee for registrations received after March 1<sup>st</sup>)
- Optional Counselor T-shirts are available for order
- All first time participants will receive a Counselor Handbook at check in
- Check in will be March 15<sup>th</sup> at from 12:45-1:30PM
- Check out will be March 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 AM

Registration and camp forms will be available on the Gallia County Extension website at [Gallia.osu.edu](http://Gallia.osu.edu) by December first.

For more information please contact Tracy Winters at [winters.5@osu.edu](mailto:winters.5@osu.edu) or call 740-446-7007.

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### NOYS Youth Board Nominations Open!

The National Organizations for Youth Safety, NOYS, Board of Directors Nominations are now open for the 2014-2015 two-year term. There are two youth positions open for this term. If you are interested in applying to serve as a Youth Member on the NOYS Board of Directors, please complete the attached form and send it to

Judy Tindall ([psynetinc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:psynetinc@sbcglobal.net)), Board Nominations Committee Chair, by Friday, December 5, along with your resume.

If you know of a youth that would be a great candidate, please pass along the attached application and have them send it in by the due date.

Once all applications are received, we will send a Board Nominations Slate to the board members for a vote at the December board meeting.