# Potential Tracks for 2017 Ohio 4-H Conference

#### **Animal Sciences**

- Educational programs for clubs
- Quality Assurance
- Sessions for all animal projects
  - o Cattle
  - o Hogs
  - o Sheep
  - Rabbits
  - Goats
  - Poultry
  - Companion Animals
  - PetPals
  - Dogs
  - Pocket Pets
  - Horses

All ideas are welcome. Presenters are not limited to the topics listed.

#### **Camp Readiness**

- Ages & stages of child development
- Dealing with homesickness
- Activities to do with campers in cabins
- Risk management for counselors
- Idea sharing of camp themes and programs
- Planning camp counselor training
- Idea Exchanges: crafts, activities, speakers, environmental education
- Shooting sports camp programs

#### Cloverbuds

- The ABC's of the 4-H Cloverbud program
- Cloverbud Day Camps
- Science fun for Cloverbuds
- Community service with Cloverbuds
- Recruitment activities for Cloverbuds

### **Developing Leadership Skills**

- Teen leadership
- Effective use of committees: Roles of committees, handling finances, bylaws & constitutions
- Recreational leadership
  - Ideas for games
  - o How to teach recreation
- Ohio 4-H awards and scholarships
  - Building your achievement award record
  - Available scholarships
- Etiquette for today's teens
- Parliamentary Procedure
- Roles & responsibilities when serving on a youth board
- Working with younger 4-H'ers
- Program planning
- Public speaking skills
- Join Collegiate 4-H at OSU
- Unique programming
- How to involve non-traditional youth
- Recruiting
- Junior Leadership roles in shooting sports



#### **Effective 4-H Clubs**

- Community service ideas and implementation process
- Building an effective team of club advisors...sharing the jobs
- Working with and including parents in your 4-H club activities
- Managing club finances and fundraising
- Working with club officers
- Using committees in your 4-H club
- Risk management for clubs and club programs
- Including special needs audiences
- Promotional displays and fair booths

## **Healthy Living**

- Health officers training and resources
- Drug & alcohol awareness
- Safety officer training
- CARTEENS
- Self-defense
- Nutrition, exercise, stress and time management
- Buying a car and car insurance
- Voting: How to get registered and why you vote
- Surviving on a shoestring budget

# **Project Specific**

- Tips for teaching sewing to others
- Accessorizing
- Preparing for county judging and Ohio State Fair
- Shooting Sports
- Project updates
- New and revised projects

# Science, Technology, Engineering and Math

- Engineering challenge activities for clubs
- Community partnerships with 4-H STEM activities

## **Trending Now**

- Bullying
- Don't Text and Drive
- Community Gardening
- Going Green & Green Spaces
- Human Trafficking
- The 411 on STD's
- Social Media: What Not to Do
- Understanding your sexuality/LGBTQ
- Teen Stress Management
- My Hands to Larger Service

## **Workforce Preparation**

- Developing your resume
- Interview skills that help get the job
- How to find a job
- Choosing your education after high school
- College 101
- Dressing for success on the job; interview attire, work attire, appearances
- Come to OSU OSU College Admissions presentation