

Nicholas County FCS Newsletter February 2017



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Hello to all Nicholas County Homemakers!

I hope this winter is treating everyone well. The conditions haven't been too harsh but I think it is safe in saying that everyone is looking forward to the first taste of spring and warmer weather! This is the second newsletter that I am addressing to you as your acting Family and Consumer Science Agent, but I have some interesting news regarding that position.

A young lady has been hired for the position of Family Consumer Science/4-H Agent in Nicholas County. Her name is Madison Showalter, she is from Bourbon County and is currently a student at The University of Kentucky. She will be graduating in May of 2017 and will begin her work as our new agent soon after. As we approach closer to that time keep an eye out for word on a welcoming reception for Madison.

Some more changes have been happening in the office. I have recently accepted a position with the Clark County Cooperative Extension Service as an Agriculture Agent specifically specializing in Livestock Production. I will begin in this new position on April 1st, however I will be back in Nicholas County a few days during the month of April, finishing up some existing programming that I have planned. The hunt by UK administration to fill my position has already started so we should have a new Agriculture/4-H agent before you know it!

It has been an honor to get to know and work with each and every one of you. I have made many friends and great memories! As I stated earlier I will be around a while longer so I continue to look forward to working with you until that time comes! I hope you enjoy this newsletter!

Clay Stamm

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2016-17 - CULTURAL ARTS EXHIBIT CATEGORIES

Categories	Subcategories
1. APPAREL.....	Novelty Basic Sewing Quilted Pieced Appliquéd Accessory
2. ART, 3-DIMENSIONAL.....	Carving Sculpture
3. ART, NATURAL.....	Wood Other
4. BASKETRY.....	Plain Dyed Material Novelty Miniature (under 4 inch) Cane
5. BEADING.....	Non-jewelry Item/Wearable Knitting or Crochet with Beads Bead-weaving Miscellaneous
6. CERAMICS.....	Hand-formed Molded Pre-made
7. COUNTED CROSS STITCH.....	14 Count & Under 16 - 22 Count Specialty Cloth (linens, etc.)
8. CROCHET.....	Yarn Thread
9. DOLL/TOY MAKING.....	Porcelain/China Cloth Handmade Toy other than Porcelain/China or Cloth
10. DRAWING.....	Pastels Pen & Ink Pen & Ink with Oil Roughing Pencil-Black Pencil-Color
11. EMBROIDERY.....	Basic Embroidery Crewel Candle Wicking Smocking Ribbon Machine Embroidery Swedish Tatting/Lace Making Miscellaneous
12. FELTING*.....	Wet Method Needle Method
13. HOLIDAY DECORATIONS.....	Spring Summer Autumn Winter

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 2017

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
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26	27	28					

February 6 & 13 Cookie Decorating with Regina Barnes. You must RSVP, there are only a few spots left. Call the office for more info.

February 14: Leader Lesson: On the Road with Family & Friends. Come join Gina Noe, Madison Co Extension Agent for FCS as she reviews the steps for planning, organizing and enjoying your travel adventure.

KNIT-WITS will be kicking off in March. If any one has class ideas or would like to teach a class please contact Tara at the Extension office 289-2312 or Shellia Kinder 473-4450.

The first Knit-Wits class has been scheduled for March 7th at 6pm at the Livestock Barn. Ms. Louise Zachary will be teaching Sashiko (Japanese) Embroidery. The cost is \$10 and you will need to bring a needle, thimble and scissors. Please RSVP by Friday, March 3rd so supplies can be picked up prior to class.

Homemaker State Meeting is May 1-4 in Owensboro, KY
Rooms have been reserved, need to know who is planning to attend ASAP.

Homemaker Club Meetings

Concord: 1st Monday each month
at 6pm @ Family Life Center

Ellisville: 1st Thursday each month
at 11am, Livestock Pavilion

Headquarters: 1st Tuesday each
month at 6pm, Livestock Pavilion

Moorefield: 1st Thursday each
month at 6pm, homes

Knit- Wits: 1st & 3rd Tuesday each
month at 6pm, Livestock Pavilion