

National 4-H Conference Schedule April 11-16, 2015

_Saturday, April 11, 2015		Dress Code: ALL DAY – Casual
<i>Time</i>	<i>Event</i>	
4:00pm – 7:00pm	Registration/Room Check-In	
5:30pm – 6:30pm	Dinner	
7:00pm – 7:30pm	Opening Ceremony	
7:45pm – 8:30pm	Roundtable I <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Food Security/Hunger 2. Agriculture Careers 3. The Future of Agriculture 4. Alcohol and Drug Use Prevention 5. College Preparation / College Access / Improving Public Schools 6. College Preparation / College Access – Non-formal Education – 7. Distracted and Impaired Driving 8. Environmental Conservation – related to the Pollinator Initiative 9. Environmental Conservation Waterways 10. Healthy Eating – School Lunch Program and Summer Feeding Programs 11. Poverty / Economy 12. Military Families 13. Adolescent Health 14. Energy Conservation / Environment 	
8:45pm – 10:00pm	Delegate Activity & Great State Exchange	
8:45pm – 9:15pm	Chaperone and Roundtable Facilitators Meeting	
9:15pm – 10:00pm	Workshop Presenters Meeting	
10:00pm – 10:30pm	Quiet Time	
10:30pm	Lights Out	

Sunday, April 12, 2015 Dress Code: 8:00am – 5:00 pm - Business Casual; 5:00pm – 11:00 pm Casual	
	Optional Run/Walk – in groups
7:45am – 8:30am	Breakfast
8:45am – 9:45am	Opening Session & Keynote Speaker <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lisa Lauxman, Director, Division of Youth & 4-H, NIFA, USDA • Keynote Speaker
10:00am - 12:00pm	Roundtable II
10:00am – 11:15am	Chaperone Orientation
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch
1:15pm - 2:15pm	Workshop A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group 1 Group 2 Group 3 Group 4 Group 5 Group 6
2:30pm – 5:00pm	Roundtable III
3:00pm – 4:00pm	Chaperone Workshop - Discovering D.C.
5:00pm – 5:45pm	Recreational Activity
5:45pm – 6:30pm	Dinner
6:45pm – 7:45pm	Workshop B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group 1 Group 2 Group 3 Group 4 Group 5 Group 6

8:00pm – 10:00pm	Delegate Adventure
10:00pm – 10:30pm	Quiet Time
10:30pm	Lights Out
Monday, April 13, 2015 Dress Code: 8:30am – 6:30pm; Business Casual 6:30pm – 11:00pm Casual	
	Optional Run or Walk – in groups
7:15am – 8:15am	Breakfast
8:30am – 9:30am	General Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guest Speaker
9:45am – 12:00pm	Roundtable IV
10:00am – 11:00am	Chaperone Workshop
12:00pm – 12:45pm	Lunch
1:00pm – 2:00pm	Workshop - delegates <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Group 1 2. Group 2 3. Group 3 4. Group 4 5. Group 5 6. Group 6
2:15pm – 6:30pm	Roundtable V
2:30pm – 6:30pm	Briefing Rehearsals – with critique <p>2:30pm – 3:10pm Roundtables 4, 7, 10</p> <p>3:20pm – 4:00pm Roundtables 8, 14,</p> <p>4:10pm – 4:50pm Roundtables 1, 2,5</p> <p>5:00pm – 5:40pm Roundtables 11, 12, 13</p> <p>5:50pm – 6:30pm Roundtables 3, 6, 9,</p>

6:30pm – 7:30pm	Dinner
7:45pm – 8:45pm	Cultural Entertainment
8:45pm – 9:30pm	Group Activity
9:30pm – 10:00pm	State Meetings
10:00pm – 10:30pm	Quiet Time
10:30pm	Lights Out
Tuesday, April 14, 2015 Dress Code: 8:30am – 4:00pm – Business; 4:00pm – 11:00pm -Casual	
	Optional Run or Walk – in groups
7:30am – 8:30am	Breakfast
8:30am - 10:30am	Roundtable VI
10:30am – 11:00am	Briefing Run Through – delegates only
11:00am – 12:00pm	Lunch
12:00pm	Load Buses
12:15pm – 1:15pm	Travel to Briefings
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Building Entry
1:30pm – 3:15pm	Briefings at Federal Partners
3:15pm – 4:15pm	Travel to Conference Center
4:15pm – 4:45pm	Debriefings with Roundtables

5:00pm – 5:45pm	State Meetings
5:00pm – 6:00pm	Focus groups with Facilitators & YLT
6:00pm – 6:45pm	Dinner
6:45pm	Load Buses
7:00pm - 10:00pm	Monument Tours
10:00pm- 10:30pm	Quiet Time
10:30pm	Lights Out
Wednesday, April 15, 2015 Dress Code: 7:00am –8:30 pm – Business; 8:30pm – 11:00pm Casual	
	Optional Run / Walk – in groups
7:00am – 8:00am	Breakfast
8:15am	Load Buses
8:30am - 9:45am	Travel to Capitol Hill
10:30am	EARLIEST time to set a Legislative Appointment
10:30am – 5:00pm	Capitol Hill Visits State Time on the National Mall
5:30pm – 7:30pm	State’s Dinner Out – Downtown D.C. / Penn Quarter
7:30pm- 8:30pm	Return to Conference Center
8:45pm – 10:30pm	National 4-H Conference Celebration
10:30pm – 11:00pm	Quiet Time
11:00pm	Lights Out

Thursday, April 16, 2015		Dress Code: ALL DAY – Casual
7:00am – 9:00am	Breakfast (boxed breakfasts available if prearranged with Conference Leadership)	
12:00pm	Room Check-Out	
All Day	Return Home	

2015 National 4-H Conference Committee

Youth Leadership Team

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Anna Marie Vagnozzi -North Carolina
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Facilitator Advisors:

Carol Benesh - USDA-NIFA- 4-H
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