

JUNIOR 4-H CAMP

Objective

The objective of Junior 4-H Camp is for each camper to learn to enjoy and respect the basics of nature, to increase a sense of belonging, learn to live with others, and develop an appreciation of their own skills.

Publication(s)

All agents should read Publication SP538 and Tennessee 4-H Center Policies and Procedures for Summer 4-H Camp (revised 2005) concerning all situations dealing with summer camp.

Volunteer Leader Requirements

One **adult volunteer leader** is required for each 16 campers in addition to one teen leader. Volunteers should be screened and trained by the county 4-H staff with a minimum of 6 hours of training. **This number may or may not include agents.** Please refer to Leader/Camper Ratio regarding required leader/camper ratios. One teen leader is required for each 16 campers in addition to one adult leader. To serve in this capacity, you must have completed 9th grade and have been in 9th-12th grades as of January 1.

Quota

The quota given by the Region Office includes all campers, teen leaders, adult leaders and agents.

Project Sessions

Project Sessions are designed by the State 4-H Staff and are taught by teen and volunteer leaders. These sessions may change from year to year.

Pool Adult Requirements

Two adults for each 50 swimming campers are required to open the pool.

Rifle Range

At least one agent certified in gun safety is required to run the rifle range.

