

Clovers & Co. Auditions

2020 - 2021

We are so excited that you plan to audition for Clovers and Co.! It's hard to believe that we are about to begin the 40th year of this Georgia 4-H performing arts group. During this time, Clovers & Co. has established itself as the top 4-H performing group in the nation. The excellence of the program is a direct result of the outstanding young people who audition for the group each year!

DATES AT A GLANCE

Saturday, June 13 Deadline for Applications: Auditions and applications must be uploaded to the submission form found here: https://ugeorgia.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0N8tcadqL3HDLKJ

Friday, July 31 - Sunday, August 2: First rehearsal weekend at Rock Eagle 4-H Center.

Saturday, August 15 - Sunday, August 16: Second rehearsal weekend at Rock Eagle 4-H Center

APPLICATION:

All 4-H'ers in the 4th - 11th grades in the 2019 - 2020 school year are eligible to audition. 4-H'ers who have graduated from high school or will graduate in 2020 are ineligible to audition. Applications must be uploaded to the submission form by June 13, 2020 along with video links to be considered for the 2020-2021 Cast.

YOUR COMMITMENT:

- The cost per cast member is \$250.00 and must be paid by the first rehearsal weekend. Financial assistance is available.
- A show schedule will be provided and all 4-H'ers selected will be asked to sign a commitment form for the shows scheduled for the year.
- Full cast rehearsals will be held at Rock Eagle 4-H Center on July 31- August 2, 2020 and August 15-16, 2020. Selected participants are required to be at these rehearsals. There will also be a one-day band rehearsal (date TBD) prior to the full cast rehearsals in August.
- Travel arrangements to and from rehearsals and shows is the responsibility of the 4-H'er and not the responsibility of the county Extension staff.

PREPARING FOR THE AUDITION:

Participation in Clovers & Co. is limited. **All auditions are limited to two minutes**. Group auditions are not accepted.

Important: If you plan to audition for more than one area (such as band and stage cast), please split your audition and use approximately one minute for each talent. Please upload these videos separately to YouTube, as you will be asked in the submission form to post the links separately.

Returning Cast: All current cast members must re-audition for the next year. A new application must be filled out as well.

Suggestions to help you prepare for your audition:

- **Vocalists:** Pick your very best performance number. You may accompany yourself, have someone play with you, or sing a cappella. Do not sing along with the original artist. Select a song that you can stay on key and maintain pitch with.
- Instrumentalists: Pick a performance pieces that you play well. Show variety in your performance if you can.
- **Dancers:** Pick a dance that you perform well. Some things to consider are the degree of difficulty and variety.



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Applications must be typed

4-H'ER INFORMATION

Name (First and Last)	
County of 4-H Membership	Extension/4-H District
Address (including city, state, and zip code)	
Grade (Fall 2020)	
Birthday (Monday, Day, Year)	Age as of August 1, 2020
Email Address	Phone Number
PARENT INFORMATION	
Names	
Primary Email Address	
Primary Phone Number	
COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE CONTACT INFORMAT	TION:
4-H Personnel Name:	
4-H Personnel Email Address:	



AUDITION INFORMATION-

ADDITION IN ORDINATION.
Talent (i.e. Dance, Sing, Play Musical Instrument)
List any special information about training you may have had in your area(s) of talent and a
summary of your performance experience.

REQUIRED SIGNATURES

Parent/Guardian(s) and 4-H'er must meet with the county 4-H personnel to review and discuss the obligations associated with being a member of Clovers & Co., including county obligations, professional behavior, time commitment, potential school absences, and expenses. If all accept the responsibilities and obligations involved, the 4-H'er may audition for Clovers & Co. At the conclusion of the meeting, the appropriate signatures must be secured below.

1. To be signed by 4-H'er:

I have read the expectations of Clovers & Co. and I realize that membership will require a commitmen
of my time to be successful in the Clovers & Co. cast. I am willing to accept these responsibilities
should I be selected. I have reviewed the audition guidelines. The information I provided in the
nomination packet is true.

4-H'er Signature	Date
To be signed by Parent/Guardian:	

2.

I have read the expectations of Clovers & Co. and realize if my son/daughter is selected that he/she will have certain obligations and responsibilities as a cast member. I agree to support my son/daughter if selected. I understand that this could mean that he/she has to limited other activities or endeavors if they interfere with his/her ability to meet these responsibilities. I further understand that it is my responsibility to arrange transportation to and from these activities.

Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

3. To be signed by Extension Personnel:

The 4-H'er above is a member of the county 4-H program listed on their application. I have reviewed the expectations of Clovers & Co. with the 4-H'er and his/her parent/guardian and they are aware of the obligations of a Clovers & Co. cast member. If selected, I will support the 4-H'er in participating in

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(Please check) I have registered this 4-H'er for a	uditions in 4-H event registration.
Extension Personnel Signature	Date

