



Programs Team – Task Forces

Programs Task Forces' team members work to promote and enhance program opportunities for NAE4-HA membership. Thirteen task forces focus on pertinent topics relating to 4-H programs in which they develop, facilitate and aggregate new and creative approaches to meet the program needs of NAE4-HA membership.

**Check It Out! Join! Get Involved! Network! Professional Development!
Build 4-H Friendships!**

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Task Forces' Meeting Schedule/Rooms:

Mon., Oct. 10 @ 3-5 pm

Afterschool – Imperial 9
Ag Literacy – Imperial 5D
Animal Science – Celestin B
Camping & Environmental Ed. – Celestin G
Citizenship – Strand 11A
Communication & Expressive Arts – Imperial 7
Diversity & Inclusion – Imperial 12
Geospatial – Imperial 4
Healthy Living – Imperial 5A
STEM – Celestin A
Urban Programming – Reliance 3
Workforce Devel. & Career Exp. – Imperial 10
Youth Empowerment – Imperial 11

Wed., Oct. 12 @ 8-9 am

Afterschool – Imperial 9
Ag Literacy – Imperial 5D
Animal Science – Celestin C
Camping & Environmental Ed. – Celestin F
Citizenship – Imperial 12
Communication & Expressive Arts – Imperial 7
Diversity & Inclusion – Strand 11B
Geospatial – Imperial 4
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Check out the
13 Task Forces'
2016 accomplishments
on the back.

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Programs Task Forces

The thirteen Programs Task Forces, including two new Task Forces – Ag Literacy and STEM, met throughout the year via conference calls with their members. Due to these meetings, the Task Forces were able to accomplish numerous goals during 2016. Some of these goals included conducting webinars by three Task Forces – Citizenship, Urban and also Diversity and Inclusion. Other goals accomplished were numerous seminar and poster presentations for New Orleans, creating applications, locating and compiling resources, planning pre-conferences seminars, collaborating on the 2017 National Camping and Environmental Education Institute, the Global Citizenship Luncheon and planning the Wellness Challenges for the New Orleans conference. The Task Forces continue to grow with more members becoming involved with professional development opportunities throughout the year, not just during annual conference. Task force membership is open to any NAE4-HA member.

A few of the 2016 Programs Task Forces highlights:

Afterschool – Currently working on a survey to disseminate information about Afterschool programming.

Ag Literacy – is a new Task Force created in 2015. Gathered & shared fact findings of resources; existing programs that can be replicated; linking to national organizations; posted on website at: <http://www.nae4ha.com/committees-task-forces>

Animal Science – Members volunteered and assisted with review of the National Youth Quality for the Care of Animals (YQCA) curriculum. Updated the Animal Science Resource list. Four regional award winners for the Excellence in Animal Science Award.

Camping & Environmental Education – Board-supported seminar proposal accepted and Camp Evaluation Seminar for New Orleans. Solicited bid to host National Camping and Environmental Education Institute and awarded to Virginia who will be hosting in March, 2017.

Citizenship – Planned the Global Citizenship Meal and a workshop seminar to be presented at the 2016 NAE4-HA Meeting. Excellence in 4-H Global Programming Award was judged. Members delivered three quarterly webinars on outstanding citizenship programs with one more scheduled in November.

Communication & Expressive Arts – Poster and seminar presentations at 2016 conference to promote task force efforts. Continue expansion and development of Grab-n-Go lessons and website: www.4hwhatdoyousee.wordpress.com

Diversity & Inclusion – Organized a Pre-conference seminar for 2016 annual conference and webinars to provide education on creating safe spaces for LGBTQ+ youth.

Geospatial – Pre-conference workshop in New Orleans. Collected lesson plans and geospatial content into a central location. Monthly meetings that included professional development.

Healthy Living – Poster presentation highlighting National Specialty award winners. Organized the NAE4-HA Wellness Challenges in New Orleans including a new ap for conference participants.

STEM – One of the newest Task Forces, created in 2015, has nearly 50 members. Presenting a Pre-Conference Workshop on Citizen Science in New Orleans. 2016.

Urban Programming – Poster and seminar presentations in New Orleans to promote task force's efforts. Developing a survey tool that includes Common Measures to use with our Grab & Go Lessons.

Workforce Development – Developed submission process with peer review process for new Grab-n-Go lessons. Presented a supplemental workshop for a Seminar on Wheels and a networking activity for the new conference attendees' orientation to build awareness about the NAE4-HA programs task forces.

Youth Empowerment – Poster presentation along with a "Board Supported Seminar" focusing on the regional and national winners of the two youth leadership awards. Winners were invited to present their programs at the poster and seminar presentation. Youth/Adult Partnership research will also be presented.