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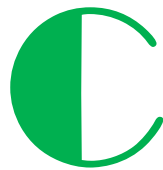
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CLUB CORNER



Clarksburg Helping Hands 4-H Club

By Wesley L.

The Clarksburg Helping Hands 4-H club held their monthly meetings on December 9, 2022 and January 13, 2023 at the Home Arts Building, at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds in Gaithersburg.

In December, the club enjoyed an end of year holiday party with pizza, ice cream, chips, and music. The members brought in can foods and other donations for the Clarksburg Local Church. The members went over past business and accepted the club's treasurer and secretary report. Near the end of the December's meeting, the club had a small gift exchange with all the members in the club. After the meeting was adjourned, the members made colorful Christmas candy cane ornaments for citizenship. "Wesley" noted that it was fun to celebrate Christmas early with the club members by eating together and sharing small gifts.

At the January's meeting, the club reviewed past business and accepted the club's treasurer and secretary report. The members approved minor updates to the by-laws. The club elected and voted new officers for 2023. The club members welcome and congratulate the new officers.

In January, the club had a guest speaker, Arnelle Quashie, Extension Youth Educator, 4-H Program. Arnelle Quashie gave a presentation about the 4-H program and the opportunities within 4-H for all 4-H members. After the presentation, Mr. Juan Carlos Ramirez worked with members on their flag bottle openers. In addition, the members made favors with Altoid boxes filled with small items for citizenship.

Most members submitted their record books for the year, and collected items for the Comfort Cases.

List of officers & their position:

President: Jason L

1st VP: Ryan L

2nd VP: Milo R

Secretary: Diego R

Corresponding secretary: Caitlyn Y

Treasurer: Wenqing

Historian: Emily T

Christmas Gift for seniors (Cards, Altoid boxes) & Comfort Cases Collection: Wesley L

Holiday Food collection & Christmas Tree Lighting (2023): Ryan T

