

## 4-H LEADER ADULT TRAINING

### National 4-H Leader Forum

For the first time in 1964, North Carolina 4-H Adult Leaders participated in the Adult 4-H Leaders Forum held at the National 4-H Club Center, Washington, D. C. The overall objective of this forum was to help the leaders become more effective in working with young people enrolled in 4-H Club Work. More specifically, the objectives were:

1. To broaden the leaders understanding of young people as they develop into responsible citizens in our democracy.
2. To broaden the leaders understanding of themselves as adults.
3. To develop inspiration and deepen the leaders commitment as adult leaders working with youth.
4. To increase the leaders skills in working with young people.

The North Carolina Production Credit Associations provided scholarships to pay the expenses for the leaders attending the forum.

The twelve leaders attending the Forum from North Carolina were:

Mrs. R. G. Whitley  
Mr. & Mrs. Carlton Perry  
Mr. William Costin  
Mrs. M. T. Bowen  
Mr. A. B. Hancock  
Mr. Jess Cunningham  
Mr. Warren Harper  
Mrs. Carl Powell  
Mr. Clay Cogart  
Mrs. Carl Pless  
Mrs. W. G. Dillard

### State 4-H Leaders Conference

The first State 4-H Leaders Conference, patterned from the National 4-H Leaders Forum, was held August 6-8, Roanoke Island 4-H Camp. The objectives were similar to the National Forum with adaptation to the state. The East, Northeast, and Southeastern districts participated in this piloting program. Dr. Charles Freeman, Program Leader, National 4-H Club Foundation and Frances Jordan, Extension Family Relations Specialist, and Maidred Morris, Extension Home Economics Editor of North Carolina State of the University of North Carolina assisted

with the training. 42 leaders, 11 men and 31 women representing 17 counties attended.

Recreation Training

The North Carolina Recreation Commission in cooperation with the Agricultural Extension Service conducted the Recreation Leadership Training. These County Trainings were planned with special emphasis given to the needs of the Community 4-H Clubs.

<u>County</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Mitchell	46
Western District	36
Guilford	14
Randolph	39
Lee	65
Sampson	45
Dare	61
Warren	45
Northeastern District	19
Davie	43
Lincoln	67
Western 4-H Leadership Conference	100

Camp Counselors

On a state-wide basis, counties were given the opportunity to bring Adult 4-H Leaders to camp for one week.

State 4-H Club Week

On a state-wide basis, counties were given the opportunity to bring one man and one woman 4-H Leader to State 4-H Club Week. A special Adult 4-H Leader Luncheon program honored the 43 leaders who attended.

North Carolina 4-H Adult Leader Recognition Program

Two all-expense trips to the 42nd National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Illinois, November 1964 was awarded by the North Carolina 4-H Development Fund, Inc. Selections for the trips were based on records submitted from each county. The state recognitions were received by Mrs. Ashley Lee and Warren Harper, Lenoir County.

Special Certificate

A "CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION" to be awarded to special 4-H friends and donors was designed for county use.