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Ulster County 4-H Offers Popular Vet Science Series at SUNY Ulster

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Ulster County's 4-H Youth Development Program and the SUNY Ulster Vet Tech Program are offering a five week Veterinary Science Series. Youth will explore the exciting world of veterinary science and medicine. The series is open to all Ulster County youth ages 14-19.

The series will meet on five consecutive Thursdays beginning January 28 in the Vet Tech Lab located on the SUNY Ulster Campus in Stone Ridge, NY. The fee is \$20 for enrolled Ulster County 4-H members and \$30 for those not currently enrolled in 4-H. This program usually sells-out. Space is limited to the first 24 paid registrants on a first come first served basis. Those who wish to participate **must** be pre-registered no later than Friday, January 15, 2010.

Unit 1: The Normal Animal Thursday, January 28, first night starts at 6:00pm.

Thursdays, February 4, 11, 18 and 25 will all be from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. (Snow date scheduled the following Wednesday)

Unit 2: The Abnormal Animal Thursday, March 4, first night starts at 6:00pm.

Thursdays, March 11, 18 and 25 will all be from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. (Snow date scheduled the following Wednesday)

Young people with an interest in animal health, veterinary terminology and practices, laboratory techniques, anatomy and physiology will explore the broad scope of veterinary medicine and animal health through hands-on learning taught by area Veterinarians and licensed Veterinary Technicians. For more information call Patti Zellmer at 845-340-3990. To register online click <http://www.cceulster.org/4-H/2010%20Vet%20Science%20Registration%20Form.pdf>

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