

Gracie Meredith

Escambia County 4-H

EXPERIENCE

Escambia County Council— *President*

September 2021-Present

- Led meetings every month of the year except for June, July, and August.
- Helped lead competitions and award ceremonies
- Worked with council members to complete projects for county

Escambia County Council— *Parliamentarian*

September 2020 - May 2021

- Participated in a pop-tab drive for the Ronald McDonald house
- Helped keep parliamentary procedure during council meetings
- Spoke at multiple county functions

Florida 4-H Executive board— *CCS committee member and Legislature committee member*

August 2022- June 2023

- Created graphics on Canva for state events
- Led Senate Education committee at state Legislature event
- Party Leader for state Legislature event
- Led a kickball tournament for 100+ participants

EDUCATION

West Florida High School of Advanced Technology, 150 E Burgess Rd. Pensacola, FL 32503— *Student*

August 2020-Present

Beginning my Senior year this fall in the Sports Medicine Academy.

Have earned certifications in:

- Microsoft Word
- Microsoft PowerPoint
- Microsoft Outlook
- CPR

SKILLS

Public Speaking

Sewing

Demonstrations

Leadership

Teamwork

AWARDS

Helping Hands Award-recognition from my county for going above and beyond in helping others

1st Place Florida 4-H State Meat Judging Individual- Competed in state contest for 3 years and after 3 years of hard work and dedication I placed 1st in every category and overall high scoring individual

2nd Place State Food Prep demonstration - Won county and district awards to advance to state competition. Did a demonstration on a Peanut Butter Yogurt dip and placed 2nd.

LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish (2 years of learning)
- American Sign Language(1 year of learning)

PROJECTS

Cloverbud Day Camp — June 13, 2023 & June 15, 2023

Helped lead Cloverbud Day Camp for children ages 5-7. This gave these children who are not old enough to join 4-H a look at what it has to offer. We taught the 4-H pledge, farming, crafts, sensory tools, and how to decorate a cupcake. The theme was “The Wizard of Oz” and we connected each event to each character.

County Events- March 4, 2023

Started the program out and welcomed all who showed up to participate. Had everyone break out into different rooms based on age group and their categories. Once all finished we held a dance party as we waited for awards to begin. Once the awards ceremony began, I got the group back together and started the program. My agent announced the awards while I handed them out to the winners.

County Banquet- August 6, 2021 & August 4, 2022

Worked with county 4-H staff and county council to plan a banquet to celebrate all the accomplishments of the county for the year. Came up with fun themes (2021-fiesta, 2022-mardi gras) and went to different party stores to find decorations. Had the county council come and help decorate and practice their speaking portions for the banquet. The day of the banquet I arrived early to get any last minute tasks completed. I welcomed everyone as they came in and started the banquet and dinner. After dinner we came back together for the program. We announced all the awards and welcomed our new officer team.

County Council Retreat- August 5, 2021

Planned an evening where all the new and returning county officers could come together and do team building exercises. We had pizza ordered and delivered for dinner while we all got to know each other. We played games, trivia, and helped set-up for the county banquet the next day. Doing this allowed our council to connect in a way we haven't before.