Building Strong Families

IN CAMPBELL COUNTY



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OUR FOCUS

Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) Extension is committed to improving the health and well-being of individuals and families throughout Kentucky. Our educational programs focus on making healthy lifestyle choices, nurturing families, embracing life as we age, securing financial stability, promoting healthy homes and communities, accessing nutritious food, and empowering community leaders.

OUR SUCCESS

In 2018-2019, Family and Consumer Sciences Extension made

8,214 contacts with individuals and families in Campbell County.

SPOTLIGHT: CAMPBELL COUNTY Culinary Couch Potato Challenge Series



Understanding where your food comes from, the importance of activity, and choosing and preparing healthy foods while making the best economic decisions can be overwhelming for individuals and families. The Campbell County FCS and Horticulture Extension along with the Campbell County District Board and the Campbell County farmers' market conducted a six-part series called the Culinary Couch Potato Challenge (CCPC). The CCPC focused on the importance of shopping the local farmers' markets, gardening, selecting and using small kitchen appliances, preparing recipes using fresh produce, and becoming more physically active. Participants showed improvement in the decisionmaking process when purchasing a small kitchen appliance, in eating healthier foods, in being physically active having logged a total of 3,978,177 activity steps, and being more knowledgeable about bones and joints.

CAMPBELL COUNTY'S EXTENSION PROGRAMMING COMMUNITY IMPACT

Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) Extension professionals actively work to reach our goals by offering educational programs that serve to improve the quality of life for individuals and families in our commonwealth. Campbell County's FCS Extension programming in 2018-2019 led to the following results.







2,489 miles were walked by program participants.



participants reported gaining knowledge.



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