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Campbell County Youth Send HeroBoxes and Learn About the Armed Forces

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Campbell County, GA February 2014 -- The Campbell County 4-H and The Boys and Girls Club of Campbell County have teamed up to teach youth about the armed forces. In a weekly service learning afterschool program called Helping Hands Healing Hearts, the youth from both groups gather to work with a 4-H Educator. Through this program, these youth have created monthly themed HeroBoxes to send to a deployed female U.S. service member. They have been sending HeroBoxes in this manner since November of 2013. While packing these HeroBoxes, they are attaining valuable skills and learning about what life is like for those that serve our country.

As the youth from Campbell County have shown, the myHero program is a great way for an individual or small group to send personalized care to a deployed U.S. service member. HeroBox Program Manager, Esther Cox, stated that *“packing a HeroBox is a great project for any group that wants to learn, have some fun and ultimately give back to those who serve this wonderful nation.”*

Herobox is a nonprofit organization with a mission to provide the physical and moral support our heroes need while they are away from home. We are able to achieve this mission through programs that are designed to engage America’s greatest resource—the people.

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