



Clover Kids:

According to Texas A&M AgriLife Extension membership in the 4-H & Youth Development program, “Clover Kids” are youth in grades Kinder-2nd. This is further defined as youth who are eligible to enroll in kindergarten on September 1st and have not entered the third

4-H Clubs

grade on September 1st. Clover Kids will meet with the Elementary Club on the third Tuesday of the month at 5:30p.m. in the 4-H Building.

Elementary Club: Youth between the ages of 8 (and in the third grade) to 11 meet the third Tuesday of the month at 5:30 p.m. in the 4-H Building.

Junior High Club: Members are between the ages of 12-14. They meet the third Tuesday of the month

at 6:30p.m. in the 4-H Building.

High School Club:

Members are in the 9th—12th grades. They meet the third Monday of the month at 8pm in the 4-H Building.



September Club Meetings

Elementary Club: September 22, 2015 at 5:30pm.

Junior High Club: September 22, 2015 at 6:30pm.

High School Club: September 21, 2015 at 8:00pm.

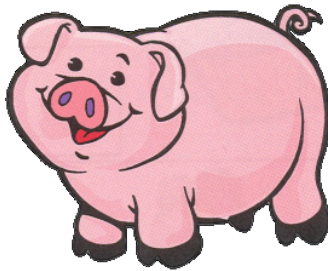
***NOTE:** Please make sure that you sign in upon arrival. Anyone who does **NOT** sign in will be counted absent. Remember that you must be enrolled and active on 4-H Connect to be considered a 4-H member.*

Major Show Swine Tags

Pig Buying Time

Its time to start looking for Show Pigs for this upcoming County & Major Stock Show Year. July born pigs

work well for January shows, August Pigs work well for February shows and early Sep-



tember Pigs work well for March shows. If you need help selecting or purchasing a show pig, give Richie Griffin a call at 830-876-4216

Any individual interested in attending a major show with a show pig must have their projects major show validated. Deadline for ordering a major

show swine tag is September 15th.

Let the Extension office know how many show tags you will be needing. It is **important** that you let us know so we can get the order placed, and get the tags in for your show projects. Cost of the tags will be \$10.00 which will be paid at validation.

Stock Show Eligibility Rules

The Dimmit County Junior Livestock Show Association eligibility rule is as follows:

"Each exhibitor will be required to attend at least three (3) meetings, clinics, or workshops con-

ducted by their 4-H club or FFA Chapter during the current year, prior to show date to be eligible to show at the Dimmit County Junior Livestock Show." If you are unable to attend our regular club

meeting, you may attend one of the other club meetings.

All exhibitors are required to follow UIL Guidelines of No Pass No Play.

Don't forget to sign in!

Dimmit County and Major Show Broilers

Orders for broilers for Dimmit County Jr. Livestock Show are due at the Extension Office by October 1st at

5:00pm. Call or come by the office to place your orders. For major shows, there is a minimum order of 50 broilers.



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4-H Parent/Leader Association 064

The Parent/Leader Association assists in planning, implementing, and evaluating county, district and state 4-H events and activities through the exchange of ideas among adult parents and leaders. They also assist in the development of resources to support the 4-H leadership development program in Dimmit County and provide youth scholarships for qualified 4-H members. The parent/Leaders Association helps interpret the program to the public with the emphasis on leadership development and self esteem for all youth. They are instrumental in recruiting volunteers to work with the program. The parent/Leaders Association meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. at the 4-H Building. All 4-H parents and leaders are cordially invited to attend.

The first meeting will be on:

Wednesday, September 9th at 5:30 pm.



Up Coming Validation Dates

Validation dates are important dates for all livestock exhibitors to be aware of. These dates are the last dates that you have to get show animals validated in order to show at the Dimmit County Jr. Livestock Show, or a Major Livestock Show. These dates are set by the Dimmit County Jr. Live-stock Show Association, and IF YOU KNOW YOU WILL BE HAVING A CONFLICT WITH THESE DATES, let us know in advance so that we can try to validate your show project **prior** to that date in order for you to be eligible to show. **There will be no validations after the official county validation day.**

Validation Dates:

Goat/Lamb:

October 24th 8am-12 noon

Clinic will be on October 24th from
1:00pm-2:00pm.

Heifer:

October 24th 8am-12noon

Heifers must be present at validation.

An electronic copy of your heifer's registration papers must be submitted prior to validation day on October 20th.