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June 1	Recordbooks due to Extension Office by 5 pm	June 15	Galaxy of Stars interviews @ Extension Office
June 1	Galaxy of Stars applications due to Extension Office by 5 pm	June 20-22	District 9 4-H Horse Show @ Montgomery County
June 6-10	4-H State Roundup @ College Station	June 27	4-H Recordbooks Due @ Extension Office for District Judging
June 8	Validation & Tag-In 3:30-7 pm @ Fairgrounds <i>State Fair Breeding Heifer, Lamb, Goat, Swine & Major Show Steer</i>	June 27	Validation & Tag-In - 4:30 to 6:30 pm @ Fairgrounds <i>State Fair Breeding Heifer, Lamb, Goat, Swine & Major Show Steer</i>
June 13	2017 Major Show Turkey Order Deadline by 5 pm	June 28-30	District 9 Leadership Adventure @ Texas A & M Galveston
June 15	County Recordbook Judging all day at Extension Office	July 4	Independence Day - Extension Office Closed



Newsletters available <http://galveston.agrilife.org/4h/>

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Galveston County 4-H Golf Tournament



**Thank you for making our 14th Annual
4-H Golf Tournament a success!**



G-Co Stars



GALVESTON COUNTY 4-H'ERS PARTICIPATE IN THE 2016 DISTRICT 9 ROUNDUP "BIG TIME IN D9"

Miky Alcorn (1st Place Photography - People; 1st Place Ed. Presentation; 2nd Place Fashion Show - Construction; 2nd Place Fashion Show - Natural Fibers; 5th Place Food Show; 4th Place Healthy Lifestyle Indv.), **Faith Antley**, **Serrick Auzston** (1st Place Share the Fun Dramedy), **Caroline Boysen** (1st Place Ed. Pres.; 5th Place Food Show; 2nd Place Share the Fun – Musical Instrument), **Katelynn Boysen** (3rd Place Ed. Pres.), **Naomi Boysen** (2nd Place Ed. Pres.; 1st Place Food Show), **Robert Boysen III** (1st Place Ed. Pres.), **Seth Bredbenner** (3rd Place Ag Products ID Contest; 3rd Place Ed. Pres.; 2nd Place Food Show; 3rd Place Photography Judging), **Melinda Cabe**, **Brianna Causer** (2nd Place Share the Fun - Choreographed Routines; 4th Place Ed. Pres.), **Faith Clark** (6th Place Fashion Storyboard, Wearable; 2nd Place Healthy Lifestyle Indv.), **Rebekah Clark** (3rd Place Ed. Presentation; 5th Place Healthy Lifestyle Indv.), **Emily Desormeaux** (5th Place Ed. Pres.), **Isabella Dise**, **Victoria Espinoza** (5th Place Fashion Storyboard, Non-Wearable; 5th Place Food Show), **Chelsea Hinson** (3rd Place Fashion Storyboard, Wearable), **Payton Kadlecek**, **Sydney Kennedy**, **Emily Korenek** (4th Place Food Show; 3rd Place Photography - Nature & Landscape), **Riley Mager**, **Brylee Maggiolino**, **Ryleigh Meek** (Photography: 3rd Place- People, 2nd Place Dominant Color), **Alexis Meyerhoff** (1st Place Fashion Storyboard, Jewelry), **Celeste Meyerhoff**, **Sydney Novelli** (3rd Place Food Show), **Kaitlyn Renz**, **Adison Roark**, **Aizlynn Roark**, **Evelyn Smith**, **Warren Smith** (2nd Place Ed. Pres.), **Wendell Smith** (1st Place Ed. Pres.; 4th Place Food Show), **William Smith** (4th Place Consumer Decision Making; 2nd Place Ed. Pres.), **Yvette Smith** (4th Place Ed. Pres.; 3rd Place Food Show), **Jason Stone** (1st Place Food Show Indv.; 1st Place Healthy Lifestyle Indv.), **Linnea Swanson** (Photography: 3rd Place – Animal-Wildlife; 1st Place Storyboard), **Christa Swartz**, **Hannah Tucker**, **Lamar Tucker**, **Jeremy Vega**, **Rory Vickery**, **Katarina Wilson** (1st Place Food Show, 3rd Place Share the Fun Musical/Instrument, Photography: 2nd place Night, 3rd place Catch-All, 1st place Animal/Wildlife, 3rd Place Animal/Domestic), **Matthew Wollam**, and **Logan Ziegelmann** (1st Place Ed. Pres.).

BEEF QUIZ BOWL

Moo-vers took 1st Place (Sr.) – Serrick Auzston, Emily Desormeaux, Victoria Espinoza, and Payton Kadlecek.

Beasts -took 3rd Place (Sr.) – Katelynn Boysen, Jeremy Vega and Logan Ziegelmann.

Legen-Dairy took 1st Place (Jr.) – Caroline Boysen, Ty Pickett, Hannah Tucker, and Lamar Tucker.

Moo-tastic took 2nd Place (Jr.) – Naomi Boysen, Isabella Dise, and Christa Swartz.

DUDS TO DAZZLE

Dazzling Divas took 2nd Place (Sr.) in Non-Wearable – Brianna Causer, Emily Desormeaux, Faith Antley, Rebekah Clark, Victoria Espinoza.

Glamour Girls took 5th Place (Sr.) in Non-Wearable – Mikayla Alcorn, Alexis Meyerhoff, Celeste Meyerhoff, Faith Clark, Katelynn Boysen.

FOOD CHALLENGE

Chuckwagon Chefs took 3rd Place (Sr.) – Jason Stone, Matthew Wollam, Brianna Causer, Faith Antley, and Mikayla Alcorn.

Fizzing Whizbees took 1st Place (Jr.) – Emily Kornek, Katarina Wilson, and Sydney Novelli.

Kitchen Commanders took 3rd Place (Int.) – Wendell Smith, William Smith, and Seth Bredbenner.

HEALTHY LIFESTYLE

Purple Team took 1st Place (Sr.) – Brianna Causer, Faith Clark, Rebekah Clark, and Jason Stone.

Healthy4Life took 4th Place (Sr.) – Mikey Alcorn, Faith Antley, Celeste Meyerhoff, and Warren Smith.

HORSE QUIZ BOWL

Gray Team took 1st Place (Sr.) – Faith Clark, Rebekah Clark, Celeste Meyerhoff, and Yvette Smith.

Green Team took 3rd Place (Sr.) – Mikayla Alcorn, Alexis Meyerhoff, and Warren Smith.

Indians took 1st Place (Jr.) – Aizlynn Roark, Sydney Kennedy, Evelyn Smith, and Rory Vickery.

White Team took 3rd Place (Jr.) – Major Schulze, Wendell Smith, and William Smith.

NUTRITION QUIZ BOWL

Green Team took 1st Place (Sr.) – Brianna Causer, Rebekah Clark, Yvette Smith, and Jason Stone.

DISTRICT 9 4-H RIFLE, AIR RIFLE AND AIR PISTOL CONTEST

Mikayla Alcorn, Allen Butler, Ryan Butler, Faith Clark, Rebekah Clark, Jaiden Garza, Ethan Hinson, Aizlynn Roark, Warren Smith, Kolby St. John, Jason Stone, Rory Vickery, and Logan Ziegelmann.

County 4-H

CONGRATULATIONS! 2016-2017 COUNTY COUNCIL OFFICERS

Chairperson– Yvette Smith
1st Vice Chairperson– Rebekah Clark
2nd Vice Chairperson– Logan Ziegelmann
3rd Vice Chairperson– Katelynn Boysen
PR Chairperson– Brianna Causer
Secretary– Faith Clark
Treasurer– Miky Alcorn
Parliamentarian– Jason Stone
Historian– Lamar Tucker



COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL MEETINGS

June 16, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

July 25, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

All meetings at the Extension Office.

Join us for the next Galveston County 4-H Council meeting. The Council is open to all Galveston County 4-H'ers who are 12 years old or serve as club president or council delegate. Through County Council, 4-H'ers plan and coordinate county involvement, develop leadership opportunities, and to promote and encourage 4-H work.

All interested 4-H leaders and parents are invited to attend.

RECORDBOOK JUDGING AT COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE

June 15, 2016 at 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. @ Extension Office

Judges needed! Please come by the Extension Office anytime between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Wednesday, June 15 to help judge our county recordbooks. We usually have around 40 recordbooks that need to be judged. As county agents are not allowed to judge recordbooks that have competition, we depend heavily on volunteers and parents to judge recordbooks. We appreciate your time!

COUNTY AWARDS BANQUET

July 26, 2016 at 6:30 pm @ The Wayne Johnson Community Center

RSVP BY THE FOLLOWING DATES:

Early RSVP: Tuesday, July 19 - \$5.00/person

Late RSVP: Monday, July 25 - \$7.00/person

Pay at the Door Registration: \$10.00/person

Come by the Extension Office

OR

Online at [Eventbrite](#)

This reserves you a meal and insures you will have a seat at the awards banquet.

At the banquet, we will recognize our 4-H'ers for their successes in competitive and noncompetitive events as well as the Gold Star, I Dare U, Silver Star, and Rookie of the Year awards. We will also recognize our clubs, parents and leaders for their accomplishments throughout the year and recognize them for their years of service.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR ATTENDING EVENTS

The Galveston County 4-H Council will reimburse a portion of registration fees for:

- ♦ Youth competing in **Qualifying State 4-H Contests**, including State Roundup, State Shooting Sports, and State Horse Show.
- ♦ Youth participating in the District 9 4-H Leadership Adventure (a.k.a. Leadership Lab)
- ♦ Excludes non-qualifying contests such as Dog Show and other invitational contests.
- ♦ Excludes fees for parents and/or siblings .

Details are as follows:

- ♦ Reimbursed up to \$30 for each **qualifying state contest youth participates in** (excludes parking and t-shirt fees).
- ♦ Reimbursed up to \$75 of the registration fee for youth attending District Leadership Adventure.
- ♦ Families must submit receipts from 4-H Connect and a Check Request Form to Darla Cox, 4-H Admin Assistant, by **5 p.m. July 14, 2016**.
- ♦ Checks must be cashed no later than July 25, 2016.

County 4-H

Reminder to Attend Validation & Tag-In

**TEXAS MAJOR SHOW STEER
&
2016 STATE FAIR LAMB/GOAT/
BREEDING HEIFER & SWINE**

For more information
Phoenix Rogers, CEA-AGNR

plrogers@ag.tamu.edu ♦ 281-309-5064

Melissa Anderson, AGNR Admin. Asst.
melissa.anderson@co.galveston.tx.us
281-309-5068

June 8, 2016

3:30 - 7 p.m.

OR

June 27, 2016

4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

**GALVESTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
Hitchcock, TX**

The following **MUST** be present AT VALIDATION

1. *Animal* being validated
2. *Parent/guardian* - must be present to sign paperwork.
Parents unable to attend **must sign waiver & paperwork** before validation

- * Ag Teachers **CANNOT** sign on behalf of parent
- * Parents may sign for exhibitor if child cannot attend

Families with conflicts

Must make alternate arrangements PRIOR TO VALIDATION, with their

- * Ag Science Teacher if showing under FFA
- * County Extension Agent if showing under 4-H

If you are no longer validating an animal, please email melissa.anderson@co.galveston.tx.us

2017 Houston Livestock Show, San Antonio Stock Show, Star of Texas Fair & Rodeo

MARKET TURKEY ORDERS



1. Get Forms

**Available
at Extension Office
or online**

[http://
galveston.agrilife.org/4h/
animals/major-show/](http://galveston.agrilife.org/4h/animals/major-show/)

2. Submit Payment & Forms

**No later than
June 13, 2016
5 p.m.**

**to the
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension
Service Galveston County Office
In La Marque**

\$3.50 per poult
Order 25, 50 or 75 birds per individual
OR Family

**No orders accepted
by...
phone**

3. Pick up your Turkeys

Pick up date TBD
Plan for first week of November 2016

Pick up birds from the Galveston

For Information, Contact: Melissa Anderson, Admin. Asst. AGNR, melissa.anderson@co.galveston.tx.us, 281-309-5068

Texas 4-H



<http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/>

TEXAS A&M HORSEMANSHIP SUMMER SCHOOLS

The Texas AgriLife Extension Summer Horsemanship School Program provides youth and adults a great opportunity to gain a solid foundation and advance riding skills, regardless of the riding discipline chosen.

Topics: Rein aids, hiping-in, side-passing, two-tracking, bridling-up (collection), stopping, backing, rollbacks, turnarounds (spins), gaits and leads, speed control, simple and flying lead changes, bits and equipment, horse theft awareness, ground safety, and other specialized events.



For schedule, cost, and registration information:

<http://animalscience.tamu.edu/livestock-species/equine/summer-horsemanship/>

BLINN COLLEGE LIVESTOCK JUDGING CAMP

When: Experienced, ages 14 and up, July 16-18, 2016.
Novice, ages 8-13, July 20-22, 2016

Where: 902 College Ave., Brenham, TX 77833

Deadline: July 1 (space is limited)

Cost to attend: \$250

For more information, contact Blinn Judging Staff Brice Mund: 979-224-4423, brice.mund@blinn.edu or Joe Rathmann: 512-988-0084, joseph.rathmann@blinn.edu

The livestock judging camp gives students a hands-on learning environment taught by one of the nation's top livestock judging teams. Former students and current livestock judging team members assist coaches with the instruction during the camp. Prizes and awards will be presented to top judges.

TAMU HORSE JUDGING CAMP

Up-to-date industry instruction on halter, performance, and new classes such as ranch/stock horse pleasure. Reasons option with group and personal instruction

When: June 22-24, 2016 & July 6-8, 2016

Who: Youth ages 12-18

Fee: \$300 per participant (includes meals, housing, judging manual, notebook and t-shirt). \$260 per participant if commuting and for coaches

Deadline: June 1, 2016

More Info: [Click here](#). Or contact Jennifer Zoller at jennifer.zoller@ag.tamu.edu.

WILDLIFE HABITAT EDUCATION PROJECT (WHEP)

An interactive program that teaches youth about wildlife, habitat, habitat management, and natural resources stewardship. Creating educated and involved stewards of natural resources is the long term goal.

When: June 25-26, 2016

Where: Southwest Texas Junior College - Uvalde, TX

Who: Any current 4-H member may register as a team member or individual

Fee: \$25 per individual

Deadline: June 13, 2016 - 4-H Connect

More Info: <http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects.wildlife-fisheries/>



Galveston County Fair & Rodeo

VISIT GALVESTON COUNTY FAIR & RODEO WEBSITE FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION, INCLUDING RULES & SCHEDULES
[HTTP://WWW.GALVESTONCOUNTYFAIR.COM](http://www.galvestoncountyfair.com)



- **Summer Series:**
June 9 - July 21, 2016
- **Winterfest:**
December 3, 2016
- **Galveston County Fair:**
April 21 - 29, 2017
NEW DATES!!!

Around the State

2016

TEXAS A&M
AGRI LIFE
EXTENSION

SUMMER PROGRAMS

Texas 4-H Conference Center



Which camp is for YOU?

CAMP	GRADE	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE	YOUTH FEE	ADULT FEE
Horizons	4th - 8th	June 27 @ 2 pm	July 1 @ 11 am	\$280	\$135
County Camp I		June 27 @ 2 pm	June 29 @ 11 am	\$180	\$85
County Camp II		June 29 @ 2 pm	July 1 @ 11 am	\$180	\$85
Mission Possible Mentor Training		July 5 @ 2 pm	July 6 @ 2 pm	\$100	
Mission Possible		July 6 @ 2 pm	July 8 @ 3 pm	\$175	\$100
County Camp III		July 6 @ 2 pm	July 8 @ 2 pm	\$190	\$90
Beginner Shooting Sports Camp I		July 11 @ 10 am	July 13 @ 10 am	\$180	\$85
Prime Time Extreme	8th - 11th	July 11 @ 2 pm	July 14 @ 11 am	\$230	\$110
Beginner Shooting Sports Camp II		July 13 @ 2 pm	July 15 @ 2 pm	\$180	\$85
Prime Time I	5th - 8th	July 17 @ 2 pm	July 20 @ 10 am	\$230	\$110
Prime Time II	2nd - 5th	July 20 @ 2 pm	July 23 @ 10 am	\$230	\$110
Fishing Camp	3rd & up	July 25 @ 2 pm	July 27 @ 11 am	\$180	\$85

To register, go to:
Texas4HCenter.tamu.edu
"Camps" page and click on
REGISTER NOW button.

All camp enrollment is based on grade completed in Spring 2016
4-H membership is NOT required to participate in any camp
Pre-order t-shirts
Send a link to friends to register for the same camp
Pay a deposit by June 14th or full amount
Discount for registering by June 14th