

# Hale County TEEA Hotline

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#### **UPCOMING DATES**



### August

17 1:30 EE Council Meeting, Extension Office

# September

- 7 Labor Day/County Holiday
- 10 2:00 Snyder Jr. EE Club Meeting
- 11 Patriot Day
- 15 State TEEA Conference, Waco
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- 25 Oct. 3 South Plains Fair, Lubbock
- 19 Plainview Cowboy Days
- 21 1:30 EE Council Meeting, Extension Office
  - 2:30 PM EE Yearbook Committee Meeting
- 23 First day of Autumn
- 28 1:30 Abernathy EE Club Meeting

## **FACEBOOK!!!!!**



Be sure and go to Facebook and like us. Get your friends and family to join also. This is a Great Way to keep updated on any upcoming events and activities!!

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# Clubs

\*\*Clubs be sure and let me or Cathy know if you have Special Activities or Recognitions you want announced in the newsletter or club meeting date changes.\*\*



"Life begins at the end of your comfort zone."

-- Neale Donald Walsch, writer



02 Sue Lott, Abernathy

Carol Williamson, Abernathy

27 Susie Starnes, Snyder Jr.

September

4 Pat Danford, Abernathy

#### **State TEEA Conference**

The State TEEA Conference will be held in Waco September 15-16. Members attending will be Abernathy-Kay Taylor, Pat Danford, Ann Reilly, and Carol Williamson. Snyder Jr.-Donnet Evans, Gena Doyle, Martha Todd, and Nelda VanHoose and Deana Sageser. State Board Secretary Kaylene Layton. Be sure and read the TEEA Messenger for any last minute information on the state meeting or by-law amendments. Let your voting delegates know your view to assist them in their voting. Which represents our Hale County view.

# **September Club Program**

Agent program by Deana. Healthwise Tips.

# A Taste of TEEA Hale County Recipes



Come by the office we still have cookbooks for sale. Abernathy has done an outstanding job of selling books.
Only \$10.00 per book.

### **Monthly Reports**

Clubs you were doing a great job of sending in report. I am guessing no one met in July. Once you start meeting again remember to send me your reports.

2013-2014 State Report

Total Program Dollars \$75,324.46.

Total Honor Roll of Counties Dollars \$3,249,408.59.

Total Value Donated for Year \$3,324,733.05.

Hale County contributed to the success of these numbers.

### South Plains Fair

Entry Due Dates:

**Textiles:** Tuesday September 22, 9 A.M. to 6 P.M. & Wednesday, September 23, 9 A.M. to Noon.

Crafts & Hobbies: Tuesday, September 22, 9 A.M. to 6 P.M. & Wednesday, September 23, 9 A.M. to Noon.

Crochet-Knitting-Tatting-Weaving: Tuesday,

September 22, 9 A.M. to 6 P.M. & Wednesday, September 23, 9 A.M. to Noon.

Culinary: Tuesday, September 22, 9 to 6 P.M. & Wednesday, September 23, 9 A.M. to Noon.

# **Facts on Waco**

The Texas city of Waco, county seat of McLennan County, is located in the center of the Texas manufacturing and technology corridor, about 90 miles south of Dallas and 100 miles north of Austin. Sitting along Interstate I-35, the city is serviced by several secondary thoroughfares which include U.S. Routes 77 and 84; and Texas State Highway 6. Waco is the home of Baylor University and the city where the Dr. Pepper soft drink was first established.

Named after the area's first inhabitants, the Huaco Indians, Waco began as a village which didn't take shape until 1849, when surveyor George B. Erath laid out its first streets. In 1856, Waco became incorporated as a city, and by the 1870s became a hub of commerce for the state of Texas with the arrival of several railroad lines. In 1886, Baylor University relocated to the city from Independence, Texas, merging with Waco University. By the turn of the century, Waco had established itself as one of the world's leading producers of cotton.

#### **Attractions in Waco**

One of the largest municipal parks in the state is Waco's Cameron Park, a favorite for visitors who enjoy outdoor recreation such as picnicking, hiking, canoeing and more. Nearby is the Cameron Park Zoo, a natural-habitat zoo which houses dozens of species from around the globe. Located in downtown Waco is River Square Center, a collection of restored warehouses which date back to 1900 and now feature a wide variety of restaurants, bars, and shopping. Other popular attractions in Waco include the following:

- Dr Pepper Museum: Home of the world's oldest major soft drink contains a replica of the drug store where Dr. Pepper was invented.
- Art Center Waco: Hands-on activities for the kids of all ages.
- Texas Sports Hall of Fame: Interactive displays and exhibits on sports of all types.
- Mayborn Museum Complex: Features themed discovery rooms.
- Armstrong Browning Library
- Homestead Heritage
- Lake Waco
- Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas
- Ranger Wing Of The Commemorative Air Force
- Texas Ranger Hall of Fame and Museum Waco Suspension Bridge



Sincerely,

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If you need any type of accommodation to participate in this program or have questions about the physical access provided, please contact Deana Sageser at the Hale County Extension office at 806/291-5270 at least 2 weeks prior to the program or event.