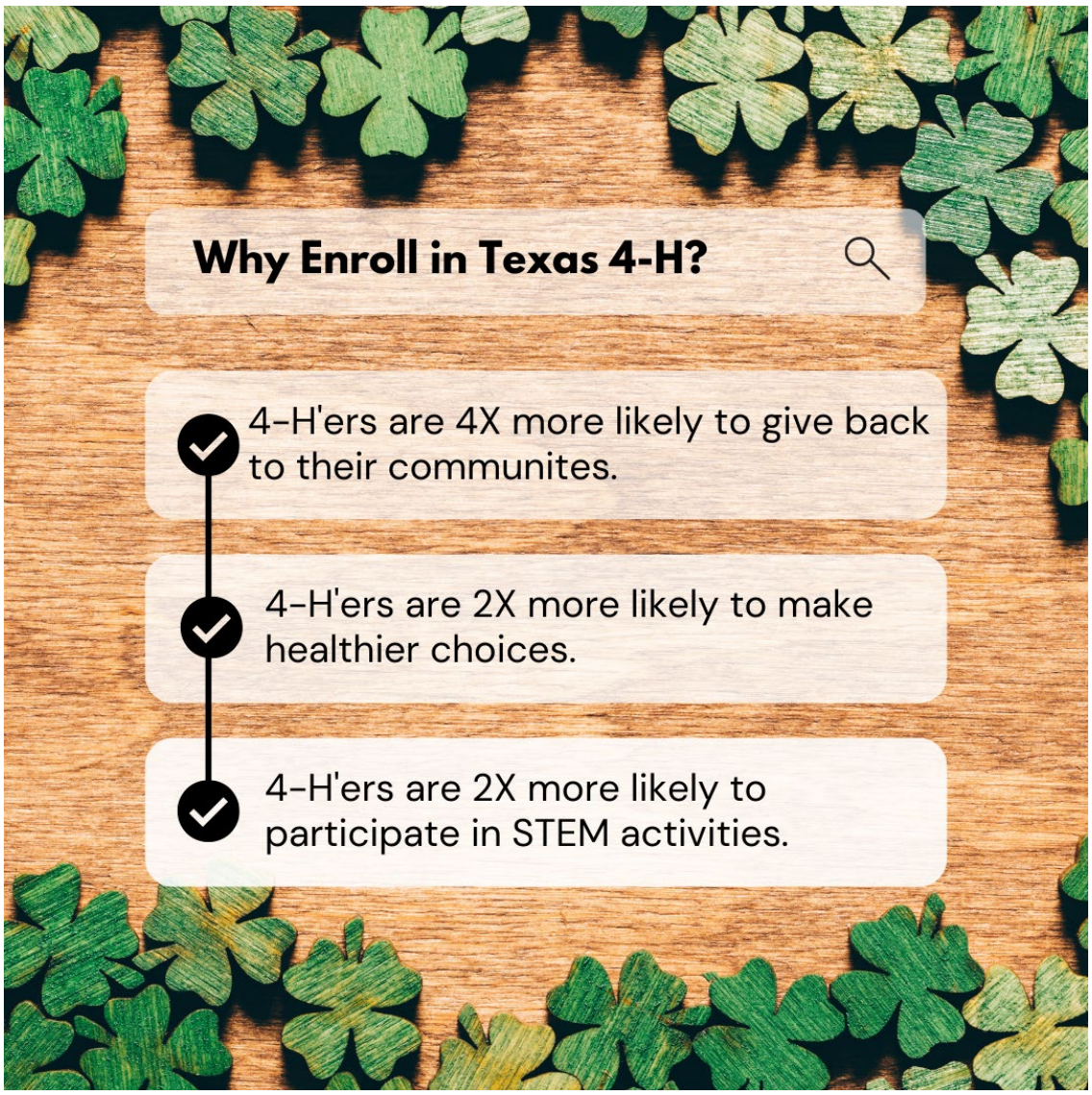
TGC 4-H Newsletter

October 2021



2021 - 2022 4-H Enrollment

Re-enroll in 4-H starting August 15th! If you participate or lead **ANY** 4-H activities you will need to re-enroll, this includes the Adult Leaders as well.

If you are a new 4-H member please wait until September 1 to enroll!

Please make sure to update all information in 4-HOnline (school, family email, contact information, ect.)

To re-enroll or enroll go to:

4-HOnline

OCTOBER
4-H Club Meetings

LONE STAR 4-H
October 3rd | 3:00
Wall High School

VERIBEST 4-H
October 3rd | 2:00
TGC 4-H Building

ANGELO BLUEBONNET
October 4th | 3:40
SACA

ADULT LEADERS & COUNTY COUNCIL
October 4th | 6:00
TGC 4-H Building

TGC RIFLE
October 5th | 6:00
TGC 4-H Building

TGC SHOTGUN
October 6th | 6:00
TGC Shooting Sports Facility

CHRISTOVAL 4-H
October 11th | 6:00
Christoval Community Center

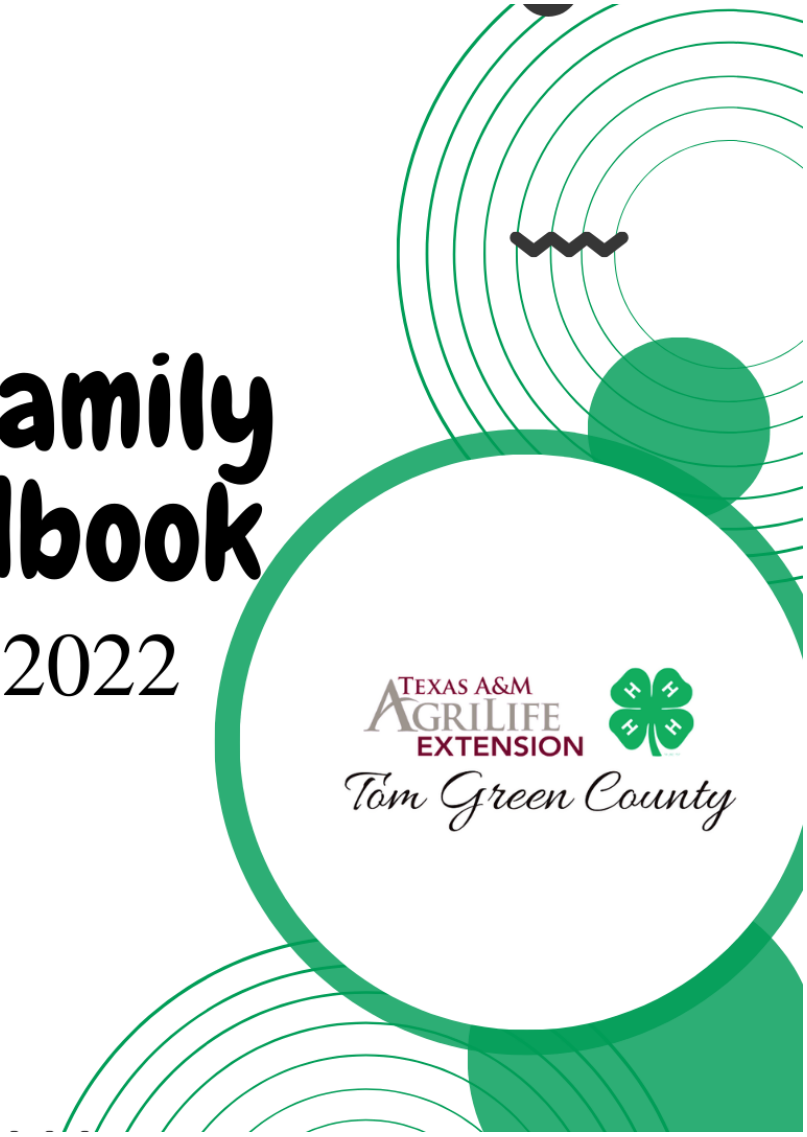
TGC HORSE CLUB
October 24th | 4:00
Sonrisas

WATER VALLEY 4-H
October 24th | 4:00
WVVFD

ARCHERY CLUB
Date, Time & Location TBD

4-H Family Handbook

2021-2022

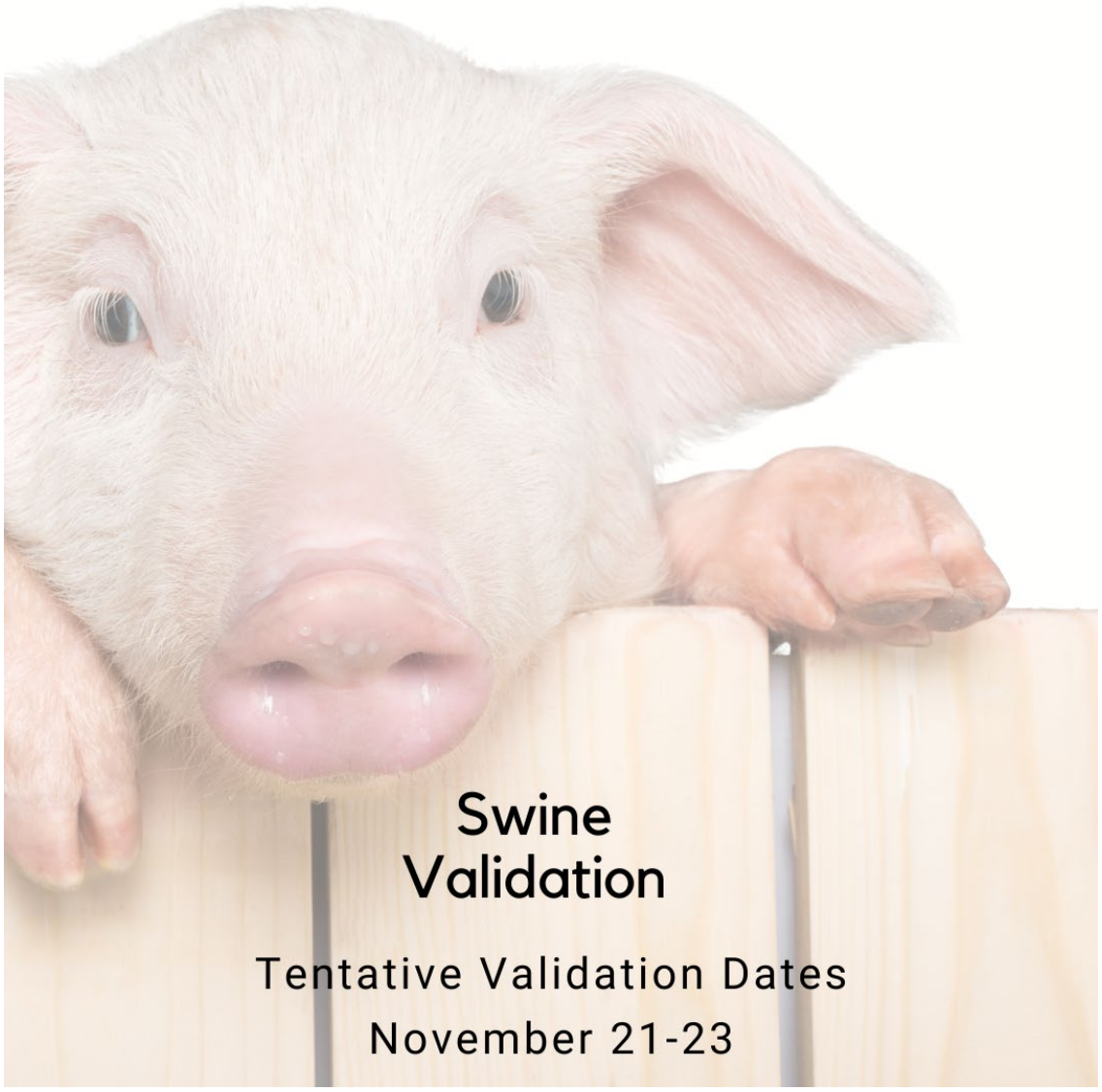


Family Guide

Sheep & Goat Validation

October 16th | Tom Green 4-H Building

All sheep and goats must be validated to be eligible to show in the 2021-2022 Stock Shows - including Tom Green County.



Swine Validation

Tentative Validation Dates

November 21-23

PLAN ON SHOWING?

Poultry Orders for both County & Majors are due October 4th to the Extension Office!

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND

Major Show Entry Meeting

November 3rd | 6:30 PM | TGC 4-H Building

OCTOBER 3RD - OCTOBER 9TH

DAY 1
October 3rd
Interact with this post either on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter.

DAY 2
October 4th
Share your favorite 4-H memory. Tag the 4-H page or email Hayley!

DAY 3
October 5th
Share a picture of what 4-H means to YOU! Tag the 4-H page or email Hayley.

DAY 4
October 6th
Join our Remind text @tgc4h to 81010 . Already a member, contact Hayley for entry.

DAY 5
October 7th
Enroll in 4-H! Already enrolled? Email or text Hayley to be for entry..

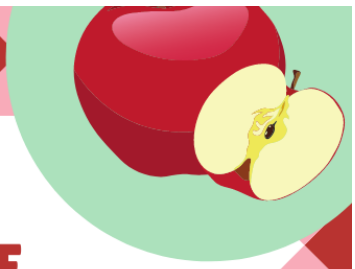
DAY 6
October 8th
Share a selfie of you in a 4-H shirt.

DAY 7
October 9th
Share how you are giving back to the community through One Day 4-H!

When participating, please make sure to share your 4-Hers name so I know who is a member of the drawing!

Facebook @tgc4h
Instagram @tomgreencounty4h
Twitter @tgc4h

Register Here



FOOD CHALLENGE PRACTICE DATES

All practices will be held a the TGC 4-H Building at 5:00 PM on the following dates.
Please make sure to bring a supply box & your team!

10.14.21

10.21.21

10.28.21

11.11.21

Tom Green County will be hosting an Invitational Food Challenge contest again this year! If you have a team that would like to compete make sure to get registered before November 1st!

Opened to the first 50 PAID teams

Register Now

ADULT LEADERS & COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING POSTPONED

New Date TBD but will most likely be in November.

2021 Food Show Theme

"Backyard BBQ"

Summer isn't the only time for a Backyard BBQ! Sometimes, a Backyard BBQ means you get to enjoy special dishes that you only see at a BBQ. The grill usually comes out and families have started gathering around to experiment with different flavors. Now is the time for you to get creative with flavors and recipes commonly found at Backyard BBQs. ABSOLUTELY NO open flames or outdoor type grills will be allowed.

Submit Recipe Here

Did you know rocketry is an actual project area in 4-H)? Now there is a chance to learn about it in San Angelo!

Veribest 4-H Club, the STEAM Central Makerspace, and Angelo State University's Department of Engineering invite you to join the West Texas Space Vaqueres, a rocketry club registered under the National Association of Rocketry (NAR). Participants will learn about rocket physics and design principles while building and launching rockets. A flyer is attached with all the meeting dates.

Here are some details:

- See the club web page at https://www.nar.org/local_club/west-texas-space-vaqueres-wtsv-896/
- The first meeting is **September 16, 5-8PM at the STEAM Central Makerspace** (in the downtown library, lower level)
- You can come to the first meeting to get information and learn the basics before building
- You may also bring your own rocketry kit and get help with building it (search on Amazon or see some good beginner ones at the Estes website)
- You do not have to be a 4-H member to attend - this rocketry club is for adults too, so we encourage parents and friends to participate!
- Please contact the Makerspace with questions at 655-7321

There can only be a MAXIMUM OF 4 (YOUTH & ADULT) present for the selling of clovers this year.

TSC Paper Clover Sale Date

Date	Shift	Club
10.09.2021	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	Angelo Bluebonnet
10.09.2021	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Lone Star
10.09.2021	2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	TGC Horse Club
10.09.2021	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	TGC Shotgun, Rifle, Archery
10.16.2021	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	Water Valley 4-H
10.16.2021	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Twin Mountain
10.16.2021	2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Christoval 4-H
10.16.2021	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Veribest 4-H

TSC TRACTOR SUPPLY CO

#4HPaperClover
#InspireKidstoDo

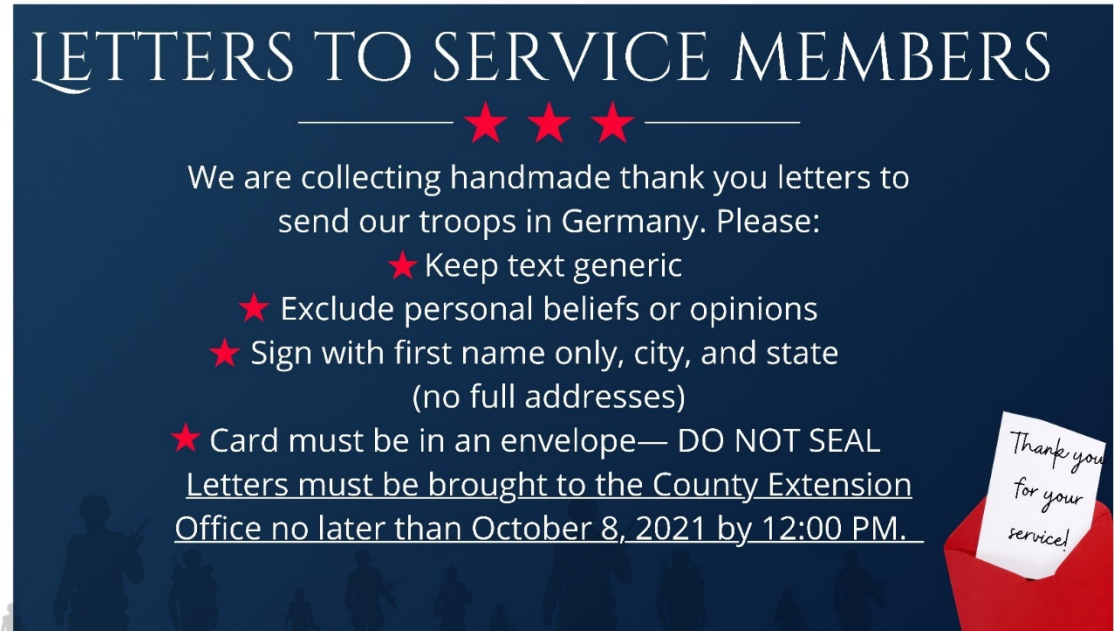
Food For Thanks

Community Service Project

One of our 4-Hers is leading up a community service effort to help collect food for local families this holiday season. If you are attending the events below, make sure to bring some thanksgiving type non-perishable items

to the event. If you aren't attending these events, but would still like to donate drop those items off at the Extension Office, anytime between now and November 13th.

COUNTY WIDE COMMUNITY SERVICE
FOOD FOR THANKS
FOOD DRIVE WISH LIST EXAMPLES
Canned Vegetables (green beans, yams, corn,etc.)
Cranberry Sauce
Instant Potatoes or Canned Potatoes
Canned Pumpkin
Canned Fruit
Cornbread Mix
Any Shelf-Stable Milk Products
Gravy Mixes
Any Other Non-Perishable Items.



Letters To Service Members

Community Service Project

A Soldier's Hand is a nonprofit organization that distributes individual care packages, unit by unit, with no soldier or sailor in the unit going unacknowledged. To date, they have distributed almost 15,000 of these packages. Inside each of the packages is a handwritten note of thanks and encouragement to each soldier/sailor.

By participating, this is a great way for 4-Hers in Tom Green County to tell a soldier/sailor that is in active duty right now how much they mean to us and how much we appreciate the sacrifices they are making for our nation.

If you have any additional questions, please contact the Extension Office or Mrs. Lori Wilson.

HAPPY HALLOWEEN

From the TGC Extension Office

FALL RABBIT SCHOOL
SPONSORED BY SWRRBA REP PROGRAM
OCTOBER 9TH
10:00 AM
17661 Booth St.
Water Valley, TX
Learn the Basics
Husbandry
Showmanship
Rabbit Terminology
Lunch is provided
For More Information Contact
Jackie Milton at (432)248-4742

A Check-List For
TGC Social Media
@tgc4h
@tgc4h
@tomgreencounty4h
Tom Green County 4-H
Text @tgc4h to 81010
https://tomgreen.agrilife.org/
(325)659-6522

TOM GREEN 4-H SOCIAL MEDIA - CLUBS

Angelo Bluebonnet
Facebook: @sanangelochristianacademy

Christoval 4-H
Facebook: @Christoval4H

Lone Star 4-H
Facebook: @lonestar4Htomgreen

Veribest 4-H
https://www.facebook.com/Veribest-4-H-Club-107122305030190

Water Valley 4-H
https://www.facebook.com/Water-Valley-4-H-Club-414074822297058

Tom Green 4-H Archery
https://www.facebook.com/Tom-Green-County-4-H-Archery-Club-1022542234528490

Tom Green 4-H Horse
Facebook: @tgc4HHorseClub

Tom Green 4-H Rifle
https://www.facebook.com/groups/tcg4hrifleclub

Tom Green 4-H Shooting Sports - Shotgun
https://www.facebook.com/Tom-Green-County-Shooting-Sports-725277890840443

District 7 Event/Contest Dates

Below you will find information about all our District 7 events and contest that take place throughout the 4-H year. For many of these events, you will have to first compete in a county contest prior to competing at the district level. If registration deadlines are missed you are unable to participate or you must pay a $50 late fee if you choose to register late.

2021-2022

District 7 Event Dates

Gold Star & Silver Clover Banquet 10.25.21	Livestock Judging 11.03.21	*Food Show 11.17.21
*Leaders 4 Life 12.02.21	Food Challenge 01.26.22	Consumer Decision Making 02.18.22
*Duds to Dazzle 03.29.22 (morning)	*Fashion Show 03.29.22 (afternoon)	*Photography Contest 03.31.22
Horse Judging Date TBD	Range Eval & Plant ID 04.09.22	Quiz Bowls: Horse, Livestock, FCH 04.12.22

2021-2022

District 7 Event Dates

Meats Judging 04.13.22	Rifle Contest 04.23.22	Wool & Mohair Judging 04.29.22 (afternoon)
*District 7 Roundup 04.29.22 (morning)	Livestock Skill-a-thon 05.16.22	Horse Show 06.14.22
Leadership Lab 06.21-24.22	*Record Book Juding 07.12.22	*must compete in a county contest to qualify for this event

FMI contact Hayley Meyer at
hayley.meyer@ag.tamu.edu OR (325)659-6522

Congrats to Braden Peiser who was selected for the USA National Junior Rifle Team and will be competing at the Junior World Championships in Lima, Peru September 30th through October

7th. He qualified by winning gold at the 2021 Junior Olympic National Championship for the under 18 age bracket. Braden is currently a member/club officer of the Tom Green 4-H Rifle Club.

Good Luck Braden!!

Make sure to download the Remind App stay connected with Tom Green County 4-H!

Club News

Angelo Bluebonnet 4-H

October meeting will be held on October 4th at 3:40 at the San Angelo Christian Academy. The program will be focused on our Food Challenge contest.

TGC Horse Club

The Tom Green County Horse Club had its meeting September 26th. Following the meeting was parade practice for those participating in the upcoming parades. The club discussed the one day project which will be after our next meeting and we will help clean and organize the tack room at Sonrisas Trails. Our next meeting is October 24th at 4pm and it will be held at Sonrisas Trails. We hope to see you there!

Lone Star 4-H

October meeting will be held on October 3rd at 3:00 at the Wall High School.

TGC Archery

The date, time, & location of the Archery meeting has yet to be determined.

Christoval 4-H

The October meeting will be held on October 11th at the Christoval Community Center at 6:00 PM.

TGC Rifle

The Rifle club will be meeting at 6:00 PM on October 5th at the Tom Green 4-H Building.

TGC Shotgun

The Shotgun club will be meeting at 6:00 PM on October 6th at the Tom Green 4-H Building

Veribest 4-H

The first meeting of the year will take place on October 3rd that the Tom Green County 4-H Building at 2:00 PM.

Water Valley 4-H

Water Valley 4-H will be hosting a canned food drive on October 24th at the Water Valley Volunteer Fire Department @ 4pm - 15710 Booth Street, Water Valley in conjunction with the monthly next meeting. This will be delivered to the food bank in time for Thanksgiving for the needy families of the Concho Valley.

Upcoming Events

October

1 | Food Show Recipe Submission Due - UPLOAD TO WEBSITE

3 | Veribest 4-H | 2:00 - TGC 4-H Building

3 | Lone Star 4-H | 3:00 PM

3 - 9 | National 4-H Week

4 | County Council & Adult Leaders Meeting | 6:00 PM - POSTPONED TILL NOVEMBER

4 | Angelo Bluebonnet | 3:40 PM - SACA

4 | Christoval 4-H | 6:00 PM - Christoval Community Center

5 | Rifle Club Meeting

6 | Shotgun Club Meeting

8 | Letters to Service Members DUE

9 | One Day 4-H & TSC Clover Sale

11 | Columbus Day - Office Closed

16 | Sheep & Goat Validation | TGC 4-H Building

16 | Tom Green County Food Show | 2:00 PM - TGC 4-H Building

21 | West Texas Space Vaqueres | 5:00 - 8:00 PM - Makerspace

23 | West Texas Space Vaqueres Community Launch

24 | Horse Club Meeting - Sonrisas

24 | Water Valley 4-H Club Meeting

MAJOR STOCK SHOW DATES

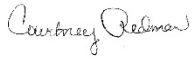
South Plains | Sept. 24 - October 2

State Fair of Texas | Sept. 24 - October 17

Heart of Texas | Oct. 1-17

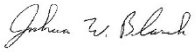
Hayley Meyer

CEA - 4-H & Youth Development



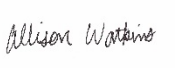
Courtney Redman

CEA - FCH



Josh Blanek

CEA - ANR



Allison Watkins

CEA - Horticulture

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