

Wheeler County 4-H Newsletter



Happy Valentine's Day

February, 2019

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DATE'S WE ARE OUT...

Thomas- Fort Worth Stock Show 4th-8th

Wendy- Feb 4th

Office Closed- February 18th
Presidents Day

Thomas- San Antonio Stock Show
18th-22nd

**Congratulations Etta Corse is the
monthly photography WINNER!!!**



2019 Wheeler County Jr Livestock Show Results
<http://counties.agrilife.org/.../fil.../2019/01/FULL-RESULTS.pdf>

**Good Luck to all the Exhibitors headed to Major Shows!!!
Watch facebook for links to watch live and results.**

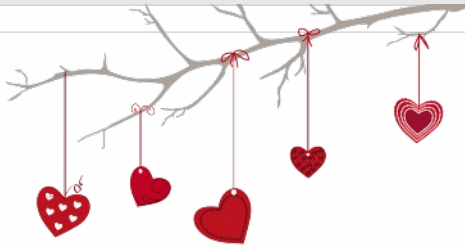
[Photography Spot light Monthly Photography Contest](#)

Each month, we will spotlight a photography category and accept contest entries at the Extension Office. (At the end of the month, the winner will receive a prize!) Each participant may enter one picture and it must pertain to the category. We will also be sharing a link to a helpful video that will give you photography tips and tricks: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eDZrwVV028s> Entries can be emailed to wheeler-tx@ag.tamu.edu or dropped off at the office. Remember to save your photos so that you can enter them in future photography contests! For more information on the 4-H Photography contest, visit: <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/photography-video/>

February Category: SPORTS

Photo that captures individual or team sports. Can be either professional or amateur (human) and the focus could be on the sportsperson, the sport environment, the effort expended, or the conflict/rewards. Must reflect a strong message.

4-H HAPPENINGS...



St Patrick's Day Float

Wheeler Co 4-H will be having a float in the St. Patrick's Parade in Shamrock. We would love for as many people as possible to come join the fun.

We would like everyone to bring a bag of candy. If you cant attend the parade you can leave your candy at the Extension Office.

More information in March!!!

Big Fun in D1 **Spring Round Up**

April 25th-27th in Canyon TX

- ~Storyboard
- ~ Duds to Dazzle
- ~ Soil Judging
- ~ Range Evaluation
- ~ Grass ID
- ~ Livestock Judging
- ~ Consumer Decision Making
- ~ Education Presentations
- ~ Public Speaking
- ~ Share the Fun
- ~ Fashion Show

*If you would like to participate in one or more of these evens please contact our office at
806-826-5243!!!*

MARK YOU CALENDARS **Judging Is Coming Soon!!**

Plant Id– Learn to identify 73 different grass species and their characteristics .

Wildlife Contest- Learn to tell the difference between different types of fish and game animals by learning about animal species.

Watch in upcoming newsletters & Facebook for practice dates/times.

Clothing Project Meetings

Mark your Calendar

4:00-5:00 PM

February 13th

February 16th - Quilt of Valor workday

February 27th

March 6th

March 13th

March 20th

March 23rd- Quilt of Valor workday

March 27th - County Fashion Show

District Round Up Dates

April 25th-27th, 2019

Flyer is located on facebook page .

If you are planning on participating in Shooting Sports or any other summer event and have not re-enrolled in 4-H please contact Shantell ASAP!!!!!!

Mark your Calendar **Summer Date's**

June 4th - **Sweet Affair**

June 19th, 20th, 21st - **Chef School**

June- **Fish N Fun**

June- **Caprock Canyon Camp**

June 15th or 16th - **County Camp**

August 2nd- **Craft Camp**

August 5th- **Science in the Kitchen**

Livestock Low Down..

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Wheeler County Livestock Show.

Thank you to all our Livestock superintendence and livestock board members, Ag Teachers, and Mr. Cunningham for all your dedication.

A BIG Thank You to Capital Farm Credit for donating the meal at the sale, Bayer for sponsoring the Showmanship buckles, & our Commissioners Court for sponsoring the Grand and Reserve buckles.

With out these people the Wheeler County Livestock Show wouldn't be possible!!!

Results and Photos from the Wheeler County Jr Livestock Show will be posted on the Wheeler County 4-H Facebook page and the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Facebook page.

Want to keep up with the kids Major show ... Watch facebook for updates , pictures and links to watch it LIVE!!!

Attention 4-H Livestock Exhibitors and Parents

State Validation personnel are going across the State and making spot checks in all species to make sure validated animals are in the County at their proper location and that all validation tags and papers match the animals under the designated exhibitors name. It is ok to go out of county to have hooves or hair trimmed, but animals are not to be out of exhibitors care for more than 48 hours as stated by State Validation guidelines. If you plan on leaving the county for animals to be trimmed, please let me and/or the validation chairman know prior to leaving the county.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Major Stock Show Dates

Fort Worth Stock Show

February 5th-9th

Steers & Swine

San Antonio Stock Show

February 12th-15th

Heifer, Lamb & Goats

February 16th-22nd

Swine & Steers

San Angelo Stock Show

February 1st- 4th

Lamb, Goats, Wether Doe & Wether Dam

February 7th-14th

Cattle, Gilts and Barrows

Houston Livestock Show

March 5th-9th

Lamb, Goats & Heifers

March 9th- 15th

Barrows & Steers

Don't forget before you leave for a major stock show to pick up your passes at the Extension Office



Club Meetings...



Wheeler 4-H Club

February 6th
4:00-5:00 (this month only)
Wheeler Ag and Family
Life Center

Club Managers:
Bronwyn Huff
Barbie Elmore

club meeting first
Wednesday of the month

Fort Elliott 4-H Club

February 6th
3:30-4:30
School Cafeteria

Club Managers:
Hayle Begert
Kim Angeley

club meetings first
Wednesday of the month

Shamrock 4-H Club

February 20th
3:45 PM

club meeting will be third
Wednesday of the month
In the Cafeteria

Kelton 4-H Club

February 7th
12:17 (lunch)

club meeting will be first
Thursday of the month
Mrs. Coulter's Room

County Council Meeting

February 27th
5:30 PM

At the Extension Office
Discussion topics:
St. Patrick's Day Float
County Camp
Elect Officers

SHOOTING SPORTS

WHEELER COUNTY
SHOOTING SPORTS
COMPLEX,
SHAMROCK TX

Sunday, 3:00 PM

Weather permitting

Direction: from 83, turn on
county road Z next to the
old sale barn/landfill rd.

More information & details
on facebook and
reminder101

FYI: We will be posted a
Open Shoot Again during
St. Patrick. If you are
available to help please let
us know. More information
coming SOON

Shamrock After School Project Watch upcoming
newsletters and Facebook for the kick off date.

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			San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo				
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