

# BAYLOR COUNTY 4-H CLUB NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2020



BAYLOR COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE  
500 N. MAIN STREET  
SEYMOUR TX 76380  
940-889-5581

Josh Kouns, County Extension Agent  
Joy Self, County Extension Agent  
Bobbie Ward, Office Manager

## CHRISTMAS PARADE and CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Baylor County 4-Hers will spread some Christmas cheer at the Christmas Parade on Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup>. Please be at the extension office at 5:30pm to start decorating the “float” and to have a meal provided by the 4-H Officers. We will line up for the parade at 6:30pm and the parade will begin at 7:00pm. After the parade, we’ll have hot chocolate, eggnog, and exciting activities. Don’t miss the fun! We had a blast last year! Masks will be required when necessary to comply with AgriLife expectations.

*Merry Christmas*



## BAYLOR COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW JANUARY 14 – 16

Entry forms will be available at the Extension Office. Remember that in addition to show animals and photography, Ag Fabrication and the Food Division has been added this year. Please watch for your email and Facebook once those are made available.

## 4-H PHOTOGRAPHY PROJECT OVERVIEW

It’s time for our Photography Project! Pictures will be displayed on January 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> at the Baylor County Junior Livestock Show. Watch your email for categories, format, updates, and deadlines.

## BAYLOR COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK CONCESSION STAND

Concession stand year! This is a great fundraiser for the 4-H club. Please help us with this great endeavor. We will need many volunteers so please call the Extension Office to sign up for a time to work.

## COUNTY VALIDATION DATES FOR RABBITS

Sunday, Dec. 13 @ 1pm at the Cliff Styles Building

## SHOOTING SPORTS – ARCHERY & TRAP

Be watching Facebook and emails for practice notices.

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS FOR SENIORS

Please get your FASFA completed this month. Let Josh know if you plan on completing a scholarship application so we can assist in the process and application. Open the link to start the process.

<https://texas4hfoundation.org/types-of-scholarships/> For 2021, SAT and ACT scores will not be required.

November 2020 – December 2020 Applicant complete FAFSA

February 15, 2021 Application deadline

April 4, 2021 Interview selection notification (tentative)

April 23-25, 2021 Interviews in College Station

May 5, 2021 Award notification (tentative)

June 7– 10, 2021 Awards Assembly in College Station

## 4-H RECORD BOOKS

Now is the time to start your 4-H record book. Pick your favorite project category to enter in (the one you are the most active in) and go to <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/recordbooks/> to get started. Contact us at the Extension Office for assistance. Record books will be due to the Extension Office at the end of June to go to the District Record Book Judging Contest. *Record books are required for project awards and Gold Star applicants, and are an important resource when filling out scholarship applications in high school.*

## OFFICE CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS Dec. 24,25,28, Jan. 1

## FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

Stay up to date on the latest events:

*"Baylor County 4-H Club"*

*"Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service-Baylor County"*

The members of Texas A&M AgriLife will provide equal opportunities in programs and activities, education, and employment to all persons regardless of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, genetic information, veteran status, sexual orientation or gender identity and will strive to achieve full and equal employment opportunity throughout Texas A&M AgriLife.

*The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating*