



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

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DEADLINES AT A GLANCE:

- MAR 10 – Virtual Scholarship & Interview Trg. – [Microsoft Teams LINK](#) @7PM
- MAR 10 – [2022 Texas 4-H Indoor Archery Match Registration DEADLINE](#)
- MAR 11 – [Texas 4-H Salute to Excellence Volunteer Nominations DUE](#)
- MAR 12 – [Youth Garden Spring Educator Training](#)
- MAR 12-13 – [Land, Water, & Expedition Mentor Training in Kyle, TX](#)
- MAR 14 – [Bexar County Photography Contest DEADLINE](#)
- MAR 15 – [TX Brigades Youth Conservation & Leadership Camps DEADLINE](#)
- MAR 15 – [Bexar ANR Committee Scholarship DEADLINE](#)
- MAR 17 – **County Council Meeting @7PM at Bexar Co. Extension Office**
- MAR 19 – **Mission San Juan Farm Community Service Day: 8:30 – 11AM**
- MAR 20-24 – [2022 National 4-H Conference \(Virtual\)](#)
- MAR 21 – [TX 4-H Congress nominations](#) due to ntcervantes@ag.tamu.edu
- MAR 22 – [Bexar County Food Handler's Course](#)
- MAR 24 – Virtual Beginner Record Book Trg. – [Microsoft Teams LINK](#) @7PM
- MAR 25 – [4-H Youth Project Fair Entry DEADLINE](#)
- MAR 26 – [Bexar 4-H Open Horse Show \(Final show of the season!\)](#)
- MAR 28 – [National 4-H Youth in Action Awards Application DEADLINE](#)
- MAR 31 – [Texas 4-H Council At-Large Delegates Application DEADLINE](#)
- APR 1 – [Leon County Youth Livestock Judging/AG ID Contest DEADLINE](#)
- APR 1 – [YALL Tour Application DEADLINE](#)
- APR 4 – [National 4-H Healthy Living Summit Registration DEADLINE](#)
- APR 6 – District 10 **Spring Round Up & Meat Judging CLOSING** on [4HOnline](#)
- APR 6 – [Capital Farm Credit Scholarship DEADLINE](#)
- APR 7 – [TX 4-H Fashion & Interior Design Ambassador Applications DUE](#)
- APR 7 – Advanced Record Book Story Trg. – [Microsoft Teams LINK](#) @7PM
- APR 9 – [2022 4-H Youth Project Fair](#)
- APR 9-10 – [STEM & Natural Resources Leader Training](#)
- APR 11 – [2022 Picture Your World Photography Exhibition Contest DUE](#)
- APR 12 – Bexar 4-H Scholarship Help Session by Appointment
- APR 13 – [District 10 2022 Meat Judging @ San Angelo](#)
- APR 15 – [TX 4-H Wildlife Habitat Education Project State Contest DEADLINE](#)
- APR 15 – [District/State Horse Validation DEADLINE](#)
- APR 18 – [Steer Validation Tag Order DEADLINE](#)
- APR 18 – [Taylor County Horse Extravaganza Registration Form Due](#)
- APR 20 – [The Jason Krueger Memorial Scholarship Application DEADLINE](#)
- APR 23 – [Bosque County Classic @ Clifton, TX Fairgrounds](#)
- APR 25 – [Spring/Summer Heifer Validation form DEADLINE](#)
- APR 28 – Advanced Record Book Report Forms Trg. – [Microsoft Teams](#) @7PM
- MAY 1 – [2022 Texas 4-H Advocacy Academy Application DEADLINE](#)
- MAY 1 – [PVAMU Scholarship Application DEADLINE](#)
- MAY 1 – [Texas 4-H Livestock/Equine/Poultry Ambassador App DEADLINE](#)
- MAY 1 – [4-H CORE Academy Tour Registration DEADLINE](#)

QUICK LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Upcoming Reminders:

From Sam Womble:

If you have questions or need help with your projects feel free to contact me Email – Sam.Womble@ag.tamu.edu

Steer Validation Tag Order Form (FORM)

All steers to be shown at the county and major livestock shows must be state validated. Cost will be \$22.00 per head. If you are showing through Bexar County 4-H, please return attached form and fees to the Bexar County Extension Office at 3355 Cherry Ridge Dr, Suite 212, San Antonio, TX 78230 by **MONDAY, APRIL 18TH, 2022**. Make checks payable to Bexar 4-H Fund. Validation will take place in June. Date, time and location will be announced soon

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From Natalie Cervantes:

- Bexar 4-H County Council will be hosting a community service project on **Saturday March, 19, 2022 at the Mission San Juan Community Farm from 8:30-11:00 AM**. Our work on the farm will directly support the SA Food Bank! How to Volunteer: Sign up with Sarah Nichols at sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu

NEW! 2022 4-H Youth Project Fair on April 9th, 2022

Event: 2022 4-H Youth Project Fair at the Helotes Activity Center on April 9, 2022. Judging begins at Noon & Awards@3PM
Who: ANY Texas 4-H member are welcome to submit their 4-H artwork, baked goods, photos, science fair projects and MORE into our annual 4-H Project Fair Contest! Awards will be given to the 1st- 3th place winners in each age division and class. We will also select division winners and a BEST IN SHOW award winner for the Fair. **For full information see our 2022 4-H Project Fair Rules (See Rules). Deadline for entries will be March 25th, 2022!**

***NEW THIS YEAR:** Division 8 has changed into a S.T.E.M Fair Category! Do you have a Science Fair project you would like to enter? Please check out our new S.T.E.M. Fair Division Rules [HERE](#)!

4-H Youth Project Fair Forms:

- [General Rules with Links to ALL PAPERWORK](#)
- [Divisions & Classes](#)
- [Labels for ALL Entries](#)
- [Recipe Card for Division 1 Entries](#)
- [Rules for Division 8 \(S.T.E.M. Fair\) Entries](#)

4-H LIVESTOCK & HORSE EVENTS



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TSCRA Cattle Raisers Roundup

Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association announced it's first TSCRA Cattle Raisers Roundup July 25-29. The event is open to students who have just completed their sophomore to senior years of high school and are interested in gaining in-depth beef industry knowledge. TSCRA Cattle Raisers Roundup will include tours at cattle operations and beef packing plants, as well as the opportunity to speak with industry leaders. Applications are due April 15, 2022. [For more information, or to apply, click here.](#)

Upcoming Livestock Programs, Clinics & Shows

- **Leon County Youth Livestock Show Invitational Livestock Judging Contest – Apr. 15, 2022**
[FLYER](#) Registration online through JudgingCard Registration Deadline April 1 / Late Entry Deadline April 6
- **Leon County Youth Livestock Show Ag Product Identification Contest – April 15, 2022**
[FLYER](#) Registration Deadline April 1 / Late Entry Deadline April 6
- **Bosque County Classic @ Clifton, TX Fairgrounds– April 23, 2022 ([flyer](#))**
Steer/Heifer 3 division format, Lamb 5 breed format, Goat 3 division format, Swine 6 breed format. Entry fee \$25 per head, showmanship \$5 at the gate. For more information contact Elisha Walker (254) 979-7312 or louann.thiele@vmisd.net.
- **Texas 4-H Livestock, Equine and Poultry Ambassador Programs ([POULTRY FLYER](#))**
The Texas 4-H Livestock & Equine Ambassador program returns for 2022 **AND** is excited to announce the Texas 4-H Poultry Ambassador Short Course! This course will be modeled after the Livestock and Equine Ambassador Short Courses and will be held at Texas A&M University in collaboration with the Poultry Science department this summer. Please see the attached flyer for more information about the new program. More details regarding all 3 programs can be found at www.texasyouthlivestock.com.

2022 Short Course Offering:

1. Texas 4-H Equine Ambassador Short Course, Tarleton State University – **June 13-16, 2022**
2. Texas 4-H Poultry Ambassador Short Course, Texas A&M University – **June 15-17, 2022**
3. Texas 4-H Livestock Ambassador Short Course, Texas A&M University-Kingsville – **June 20-23, 2022**
4. Texas 4-H Livestock Ambassador Short Course, Texas A&M University – **July 18-21, 2022**
5. Texas 4-H Livestock Ambassador Short Course, West Texas A&M/Texas Tech University – **July 25-28, 2022**

Application Process:

1. Applications will be released on (www.texasyouthlivestock.com) on February 15, 2022
2. Student will complete the application and enter the contact information of supervising County Extension Agent
3. CEA will be automatically emailed a recommendation survey
4. A selection committee will review the applications and accept up to 25 participants per short course
5. Applications are due May 1, 2022



Horse Project Events & Resources



Upcoming Bexar County 4-H Open Horse Show Schedule (21-22)

- **Information:** The Bexar County 4-H Horse Leaders will be hosting a series of Open Horse shows for the 2021-2022 4-H Year. All 4-H members who are involved in the Bexar County 4-H Horse Project are welcome! Below are the dates and information for each show. You can also see the flyer [HERE](#).
 - **March 26, 2022**
- **All shows will be held at the Guadalupe County Fair Grounds in Seguin, TX!** Stalls, RV Hookups, Concessions are available at the show. Open arena the night before. \$85 All Day Fee or \$10 per Class (+Office/Stall/Ground Fees)
- **Awards:** Grand/Reserve for all divisions (English, Western, Speed). Performance All-Around awards in each age group and Ribbons (1st-10th in every class). Series prizes awarded at end of the year (eligibility required).

Show Information: Upcoming show information is available on the [Bexar 4-H Horse Leaders Facebook page](#). 4-H member competing for end of the year awards & prizes MUST complete an academic eligibility form to remain eligible for competitive awards.

2022 Texas 4-H Horse Validation - GUIDELINES



Texas 4-H Horse Validation for the 2022 season is now open in 4-H Online. **Horse Validation will be open from March 1 – May 1, 2022.** The family can submit payment of \$10.00 per horse (\$20.00 after April 15th, or \$250 from May 1st to May 5th), in the form of a **credit card ONLY**.

- From March 1 – April 15, the validation cost for each horse is \$10.00. **The \$10.00 cost is only guaranteed if the animal validation is approved by the county office by the April 15th deadline and the payment is processed.**
- From April 16 – May 1, the validation cost for each horse is \$20.00. **The \$20.00 cost is only guaranteed if the animal validation is approved by the county office by the May 1st deadline and the payment is processed.**
- Each validation must include front view, right side view, and left side view images. **The entire horse should be included in the photo and markings should be clearly visible.**
- **If the horse is registered, a copy of the registration papers must be uploaded.** These papers must list the 4-Her, sibling, parent, stepparent, grandparent or legal guardian as the current owner. If the ownership is in the process of being transferred, please list “pending” in the registration number area. Once the updated registration papers have been received, please email me a copy of the new papers and I will add it to the validation.
- Image uploads must be in the form of a .jpg, .gif or .png file. **PDF documents are not an accepted file type.**
- **Families should validate each horse only one time.** Once the horse is validated, any sibling within that family is eligible to show the horse at their district show and/or the State 4-H Horse Show.
- **Youth validating a futurity horse must be at least 12 years of age (as of Sept. 1, 2021) and at least in the 6th grade.**
- Validation walk-through guide for families: https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/4honline_family_guide_horse_validation.pdf
- For additional one-pagers and other resources, please visit <https://texasyouthlivestock.com/horse-validation/>
- Validation walk-through video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z8drSWuiZ_o
- The family will receive an automated message from 4-H Online when the County Extension Agent has approved the horse at the county level. **This approval does NOT guarantee eligibility.** After it is approved at the county level, the validation will then be reviewed at the state level. **The family will be notified by June 1st if there are any issues with the validation at the state level.**
- If you have any questions regarding validation, please reach out to me via email at Kelley.Ranly@ag.tamu.edu or by phone at 979-321-5327.

The Saddle Light Center

[The Saddle Light Center for Therapeutic Horsemanship](#) is offering a volunteer service program at The Saddle Light Center. They offer professional equine therapy – hippotherapy and therapeutic horseback riding – to the disabled population of the San Antonio area to improve both their self-esteem and quality.

As a volunteer for The Saddle Light Center, you would be the backbone of their program. They not only help with the physical need for horse leaders but provide the riders with the best learning and therapy environment - as their friends, role models, and an extension of the instructor. Most importantly, volunteers provide the safety needed to conduct a program such as this. The Saddle Light Center relies on the participation of dedicated volunteers to help facilitate daily lessons in a safe and supportive environment. Each of our riders requires the assistance of one to three volunteers in order to achieve their goals. In addition to lesson/therapy session volunteers, they need people to work “behind the scenes” helping with facility maintenance and barn chores on the weekends. You can find further details on our volunteer requirements and schedule [HERE](#). They host monthly volunteer trainings. **Next training is March 26th.**

Please email the volunteer coordinator, Rebecca Hollington: volcoor@sbcglobal.net



Taylor County Horse Extravaganza – [Participation Registration Form](#)



TAYLOR COUNTY 4-H HORSE CLUB PRESENTS

THE HORSE EXTRAVAGANZA

ON APRIL 23, 2022 – LOCATED IN THE FIRST FINANCIAL PAVILION



- > **Open to surrounding Counties**
- > **Participation fees waived for all Taylor County 4-H members!**
- > **Surrounding County 4-H members - \$15 participation fee per rider!**
- > **MUST be an enrolled 4-H member!**
- > **NEGATIVE Coggins REQUIRED!**
- > **No Stallions allowed!**
- > **A fun day with games, direct instruction, and fun prizes!**

Participation forms are due to the Taylor County Extension Office by 3 p.m. on April 18, 2022!

*Mail the participation form and payment to
1982 Lytle Way,
Abilene, TX 79602*

Contact margaret.louton@ag.tamu.edu or amy.acosta@ag.tamu.edu for any questions!

Texas 4-H 2021-2022 Scholarship Information

Connecting with Today's Youth



Looking for ways to help parents and student navigate their *college and career journey*? Make plans to join the Rural Student Success Initiative team as they offer strategies for agents to use at the local level to improve college and career readiness of youth.

Tuesday, March 8th 10am-11am. Click on link to join via TEAMS.

<https://tinyurl.com/3ywp3r87>



Bexar Ag / NR Committee Scholarship for Agriculture Studies – DEADLINE MARCH 15

The Bexar County ANR Committee has released the scholarship paperwork and deadline for this year's academic scholarship. Please access the application [HERE](#)

Capital Farm Credit Youth Scholarship (FLYER)



Capital Farm Credit supports rural communities and agriculture with reliable, consistent credit and financial services. Through our youth scholarship program, we invest in the next generation of agriculture and the vibrancy of rural communities throughout Texas. Application submissions are accepted at the nearest Capital Farm Credit office of the applicant. To locate an office, visit CapitalFarmCredit.com. **Applications and all supporting documents must be received by April 6, 2022.**

The Jason Krueger Memorial Scholarship (FLYER)

Requirements:

1. Must be an active 4-H or FFA member
2. Must be a SENIOR in High School
3. Must have exhibited a steer in Texas Steer Shows

For Application to be considered, the following must be submitted:

1. Completed General Information sheet (see flyer attached)
2. Resume or Student Biography (note high school achievements, honors, awards, activities, extra-curricular, community service, and 4-H/FFA involvements)
3. An essay from the applicant telling about him/herself which includes wishes, dreams, ambitions, and future educational goals. **Not to exceed 300 words.**
4. Two letters of recommendation (not from a family member)

Application, Deadlines and Announcement of Winners:

1. Applications must be received **no later than April 20, 2022**
2. Amount and number of scholarships may vary depending on number of applicants
3. Scholarship award notice will be sent to the High School Counselor and/or 4-H/FFA Chapter advisor in May 2022.
4. Scholarship money will be sent directly to the recipient upon receipt of the following:
 - Proof of enrollment for Summer/Fall 2022
5. Mail completed application and if awarded, final requested documents to:

Leroy Krueger
2195 West County Road 326
Jourdanton, TX 78026

PVAMU Scholarship Application – Due May1st, 2022

Have you been accepted to Prairie View A&M University in the fall? We are offering 5 scholarship (\$15,000) for academic support for incoming first year students. Applications due May 1st. Apply here: <https://bit.ly/3BbFNyz>

Bexar 4-H S.A.L.E. Scholarship Announced! Due Friday, May 6, 2022 by 5 PM

The 2022 Bexar 4-H S.A.L.E. Scholarship will be offered to graduating seniors scheduled to graduate in the Spring of 2022, and attend an accredited Texas College/University for the Fall semester of 2022. Please see timeline below.

March 1, 2022	Application Guide & Information Released! (An official 4-H Record Book required)
March 10, 2022	Optional: Scholarship & Interview Virtual Training on Microsoft Teams @ 7PM
March 24, 2022	Optional: Beginner Record Book Training on Microsoft Teams @7PM
April 7, 2022	Optional: Advanced Record Book Story Training on Microsoft Teams @ 7PM
April 28, 2022	Optional: Advanced Report Forms Training on Microsoft Teams @ 7PM
May 6, 2022	Bexar 4-H S.A.L.E. Scholarship Due by 5PM to our Office
May 20, 2022	Bexar 4-H S.A.L.E. Scholarship Applicant Interviews ALL DAY (no alternative date)
End of May	Scholarship Winner Notifications
August 6, 2022	4-H Awards Banquet (Tentative)
*** CONTINUING this year – Universities and Colleges are continuing to have the ACT/SAT optional for the 2022 application year so we will not be requiring it again this year	

Tarleton State University

The College of Agriculture and Natural Resources at Tarleton State University provides the premier hands-on undergraduate educational experience in Texas with a focus on both agricultural and natural resource sciences. The College is comprised of 45 faculty and ~2,300 students in three academic departments: AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATION, ANIMAL SCIENCE, and WILDLIFE AND NATURAL RESOURCES .

Our graduates are in high demand by business, government and industry due to our outstanding faculty, superior classroom and laboratory facilities, and our personal, hands-on approach to teaching and learning. Mastering academic challenges is only part of a successful college experience. Developing interpersonal, leadership and social skills is also essential. To hone those skills, students can participate in numerous student organizations, competitive teams, and show teams. Add the many other extracurricular opportunities on and around campus and the essentials for becoming a society-ready graduate await you in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. If you are interested in graduate studies, our many partnerships with industry, the Center of Agribusiness Excellence, the Texas Institute for Applied Environmental Research, and the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center, all located in Stephenville, make for varied and exciting opportunities for graduate work. [Click here to learn more](#) or email COANR@tarleton.edu.

Texas 4-H Council At-Large Delegate Position – Application Deadline March 31st



The 2022-2023 Texas 4-H Council At-Large Application information has now been posted at <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/ambassadors/> under Texas 4-H Council. Interested 4-H members will apply on 4HOnline by selecting the “2022-2023 Texas 4-H Council At-Large Application” event. Applications will be accepted for the Texas 4-H Council At-Large Delegate positions and narrowed to a pool of applicants (approximately 12 or so to complete the speech/impromptu question part of the process) by the selection committee. The At-Large Delegate Presentations will take place on Monday, June 6th as part of the LEAD Academy Kickoff event. Elections will be held using an electronic method and results announced Thursday, June 9th at the general assembly.

Youth Agriculture Lifetime Leadership (YALL) Tour – July 17-21, 2022



(YALL) = An opportunity for 4-H members to learn about production agriculture by touring dairies, feed lots, grain mills, universities, and crop farmers. Don't forget to get your application in for the 2022 Y.A.L.L Experience! We are headed to East Texas and are excited to explore and experience agriculture in this new region of Texas!

<https://gillespie.agrilife.org/yall/> **DEADLINE APRIL 1st**

Texas 4-H Congress– July 17-20, 2022 Austin, TX – Nominations due March 21, 2022



Texas 4-H Congress is a four-day mock legislative experience for 4-H members in grades 9th to 12th (at the time of the event). During this time, 4-H members assume the roles of legislators, lobbyists, and press corps to gain a first-hand understanding of how the legislative process works. Bills that are written and sponsored by 4-H members focus on issues concerning Texas and Texas youth. These bills are assigned to the appropriate committee, debated in committee meetings, and then on the floor of the House or Senate. If a bill is successful in negotiation and the legislative debate in all three stages, it is delivered to the Governor of Texas 4-H Congress for his or her signature or veto. Copies of all the bills that are signed into law during Texas 4-H Congress are provided to the Office of the Governor for review. [Click letter to learn more.](#)

If you would like to apply, please email ntcervantes@ag.tamu.edu with your NAME, AGE as of July 15, 2022 and the # of YEARS in 4-H. Selected applicants will be notified at the end of March.

Tractor Supply Co. Paper Clover dates for 2022 are:

Spring: April 27th – May 8th & Fall: October 5th – October 16th. Watch for more information to come soon!



2022 Texas 4-H Salute to Excellence Awards! Nominate a Volunteer TODAY!

Nominations are now open online through [Formsite](#) to recognize volunteers, donors, and AgriLife personnel for their continued commitment to the Texas 4-H Youth Development Program. These can be supporters (individuals, couples, businesses, organizations) who assist at the county, district, regional, or state level. You can see a full detail of criteria and application guidelines in the [2022 Salute to Excellence Awards Volunteer Recognition Packet](#). The 6 recognition categories are:

- ◆ Leader Legacy
- ◆ 4-H Alumni
- ◆ Meritorious Service
- ◆ Citation for Outstanding Service
- ◆ Commendable Service
- ◆ Salute to Excellence

How to Submit: Please use the [ONLINE FORMSITE SUBMISSION PORTAL](#). **NOMINATIONS DUE FRIDAY, MAR. 11, 2022**

Recognition Process (NEW): Honorees will be presented their awards locally through surprise celebration events and signs that award recipients can place in their front yards. Nominators will need to plan to take high quality videos and photos from the surprise award presentation and send them to Laura Huebinger (lhuebinger@ag.tamu.edu) and Callie Cline (callie.cline@ag.tamu.edu) so that they may be used to share through the state-wide recognition efforts.

Roundup Reception: During Texas 4-H Roundup, a casual, come-and-go celebration reception will be held for our award winners who are attending Texas 4-H Roundup, their families, and their County Extension Agents. It will be on **Tuesday, June 7, 2022** in the downtown Bryan area prior to the assembly for that evening's recognition. Award winners are not required to attend the reception to be honored or to receive their plaque. We hope to encourage more nominations by no longer having a formal luncheon.

NEW APPLICATION! All nominations will include a 1–2-page (750-1500 words) narrative description of why the nominee should be considered for the award. Read the award description before preparing the narrative to ensure it contains all the needed information. Feel free to include any quotes from members or volunteers that were influenced by the nominee.

You will need the following information before completing the nomination form:

- Name of award nominee
- Phonetic spelling of nominee's name
- Mailing address, phone number, and email address of nominee
- Photo of nominee. (See notes below about photo.)
- County Extension Agent's email to receive a copy of the nomination
- Nominator's name, county, mail address, phone number, and email address
- 75–100-word description written in third person to be used as a script for award presentation
- 1-2-page (750-1500 words) nomination narrative. It is suggested to use a word processing program to write, edit, and review the award descriptions prior to accessing the online nomination system. After all information has been written and proofed, copy and paste text into the online form.

PRIOR HONOREES A list of prior award winners is attached and can be found [HERE](#). Please review this list to ensure the person you are nominating has not been honored with the award previously. An award can only be presented one-time to an individual and/or supporter.

TIMELINE:

- Online nominations accepted: Today – Friday, March 11, 2022
- Announcement of winners: Mid to late April
- Salute to Excellence Social and Video Premiere: Tuesday, June 7, Time TBA

2022 National 4-H Conference (Virtual) – March 20-24, 2022 (FLYER)

Attached you will find updated information in regards to the 2022 National 4-H Conference. Please note that for 2022, Texas will be participating **virtually**. It will cost \$475 to participate in the event. **Registration will be open on 4Honline February 2-10, 2022**

2022 Texas 4-H Summer Camp Registration is LIVE!

We are super excited to share that 2022 Summer Camp registration for camps here at the Texas 4-H Conference are live!
[2022 Summer Guide](#): In the Summer Guide, you will find information on what camps we are offering as well as dates and prices.

- **Mission Possible Mentors:** Mission Possible Mentor applications are live and can be applied for [HERE](#). If you have any senior level members in your clubs that you would recommend for Mission Possible, encourage them to apply!
- **Summer Camp Staff Opportunities:** If you have any 4-H members that have aged out of your program and think they would like to work at camp, encourage them to apply on our website. [That link can be found here.](#)

2022 Texas 4-H Advocacy Academy



We are excited to be opening applications for the second phase of the Texas 4-H Livestock and Equine Ambassador Programs. The “Advocacy Academy” is a unique experience for those wishing to take the next step as a Texas 4-H Ambassador. You will not find another immersive leadership course like this anywhere else in the nation!

As you know, the first year of the Texas 4-H Livestock/Equine Ambassador Programs was primarily focused on mentoring families and applying animal/equine science knowledge. In the Advocacy Academy, the course focuses on building your understanding of the importance of the political world surrounding agriculture, providing a global perspective of agriculture and giving you the tools to effectively educate others about agriculture. Most of our meetings and educational sessions will be in and around the Texas Capitol.

Here is what you should expect:

- Meet agricultural lobbyists and advocacy groups
- Personal meetings and communication with State Representatives, State Senators and other elected officials
- Immersive media training
- Learn ethical considerations of raising livestock and horses for food and entertainment
- Ethical considerations of reproductive/growth technologies/GMOs
- Investigate agricultural law
- Communicating with elected officials
- Unique insight to collegiate internships in Austin and Washington D.C.
- Messaging through social media
- Participate in agriculture issue debates

Dates: June 27-June 29, 2022

Location: Austin, TX

This is your chance to meet the heavy hitters in Texas Agriculture. If you are interested, please complete the application below. In addition to your application, you will also be evaluated on your contributions to the program throughout the year. Be sure that you stay caught up with reporting your hours online!

Application Link: https://agrilife.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_4HeJGaNQ95D3iS

Applications open on March 1, 2022 are due May 1, 2022.

Veterinary Science Certificate Program (FLYER)



Currently, Day Camp registration is open for the following:

- East Foundation on April 18th <http://weblink.donorperfect.com/eastfoundationcamp>
- McMullen County June 10th <http://weblink.donorperfect.com/daycamps>
- El Paso County July 7th <http://weblink.donorperfect.com/daycamps>

Overnight Camp Applications are open until **March 8th**. Apply now at: <https://forms.gle/3BVxLKAfPKQW6fpe7>

Fashion & Interior Design Applications Open

Help spread the news! Applications for the 2022-2024 4-H Fashion and Interior Design Ambassador program are open for the next 2-year term. Up to 30 youth will be selected to serve in this statewide leadership position. The 4-H FID Ambassador program is looking for youth that are dedicated, mature and dependable.



Fashion and
Interior Design
AMBASSADOR PROGRAM



APPLICATIONS WILL BE OPEN FROM
MARCH 7TH-APRIL 7TH

4-H Fashion & Interior Design Ambassador

If you have a passion for Fashion & Interior Design and are a senior level 4-H member you may be interested in serving as a Fashion & Interior Design Ambassador.

For more information visit the Texas 4-H Fashion & Interior Design website for the Ambassador guidelines and applications.

To be eligible, youth must be:

- A senior 4-H member for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Be passionate for, and active in the 4-H Fashion & Interior Design project.
- Provide a minimum of 40 hours of leadership and service per year.
- Attend the MANDATORY ambassador training the week of July 25th-29th.

The complete application guidelines and link to the application can be found on [Texas 4-H Fashion and Interior Design](#) website. Applications close on **April 7th**.

Aperture Academy (FLYER)



This is a summer camp held at the Texas 4-H Conference Center for youth grades 5-8 and is intended for beginners. We will have DSLR cameras and all sorts of equipment for campers to use at this camp. The camp is led by our fantastic adult volunteers and Photography Ambassadors, and is scheduled for July 10-13. Space is limited to 25 campers, so get your members to register now!

Junior Master Photographer & Photography Ambassador Program



Full details about these two youth leadership programs will come out later in the summer. However, training dates for JMP workshops have been set and you are encouraged to promote these to members. **JMP Workshop 1 – September 24. JMP Workshop 2 – December 3. Both workshops will be held in Dallas.** To become a Photography Ambassador, youth must first complete both JMP workshops, which are only offered once a year. If youth came to workshop 1 in a previous year, but missed workshop 2, they only have to come back for the latter. Regardless of prior knowledge and skills, this is the only pathway to becoming an ambassador. Until summer, you can view more information about these two programs in the leadership section here: <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/photography-video/>

Healthy Living and Agri-Science Summits (CHANGES):

The current COVID surge and omicron variant have introduced new complexities as states begin to plan their travel to and participation in the National 4-H Healthy Living Summit, scheduled for February 10-13, 2022. After consulting with Extension leadership and the Healthy Living Summit planning team, **Council has postponed the National 4-H Healthy Living Summit to April 21-24, 2022. The deadline to register has been extended to April 4, 2022.** Any participant currently registered for the Summit who is unable to attend during the new April dates will receive a full refund. [Click here to register now.](#)

4-H CORE Academy Tour: (Flyer) (Application)

June 20-24th. The tour's mission is to provide high school youth an opportunity to explore career and leadership opportunities in a diverse global economy as well as learn about post-secondary degree institutions across Texas. This year we will be traveling to East Texas (College Station, Huntsville, Houston). This tour will only be limited to 30 youth to participate. Applications and more information will be distributed in January. **Registration Deadline May 1st**

Western Governors' Leadership Institute

The Western Governors' Foundation has launched the Western Governors' Leadership Institute to recognize, reward and encourage the effective exercise of leadership by young adults across the West, and encourage its future development. The Institute will select one young adult and one alternate from each western state and territory to attend an all-expense-paid leadership forum and the Western Governors' Association Annual Meeting in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, **July 24-28, 2022**. [Learn more.](#)

Opportunity of a Lifetime: 4-H Youth in Action

It's that time of year again – time for all 4-H youth ages 15-19 to apply to be a 2023 4-H Youth in Action Award winner! Now is the chance for 4-H'ers across the nation to tell us how they're impacting their communities through service and leadership. Four selected recipients will each earn a \$5,000 scholarship and an opportunity to serve as a national youth spokesperson. Learn more about the application process and set your calendar to apply by **March 28, 2022**. [Learn more by clicking here.](#)

Texas 4-H Jerky Jackpot



The Texas 4-H Foundation is excited to announce that our partnership with rodeo legend and Texas rancher Bob Tallman will be continuing, and the **Texas 4-H Jerky Jackpot** will be returning this fall. Last year we sold nearly 3,000 bags! This year the Foundation is celebrating our 60th anniversary, with that in mind we challenge you and your 4-Her's to sell 6,000 bags! Just like last year, this fundraiser is organized completely through the Foundation which means you do not have to handle the money or the product. All we need is for you to share the information and encourage your 4-H members to participate. For each bag of Bob Tallman's Authentic Cowboy Jerky sold your county will receive \$4 directly back into your county's account. The 2022 Jerky Jackpot Fundraiser will begin September 1st and will continue through December 31st. Save the date and be on the lookout for more information and materials to provide for your 4-Her's as the start date approaches!

4-H Project Trainings

4-H Speaker Request Form- **PERSONAL CLUB VIRTUAL TRAININGS OFFERED!**

- Information:** If you are interested in having a 4-H staff member speak at your event/club meeting, please complete this [form](#) and submit to ntcervantes@ag.tamu.edu at least 2 weeks prior to the requested date. Please allow 3-5 business days for confirmation. If you have any questions, please contact us at 210-631-0400.

2022 Upcoming Virtual/In-Person Trainings			
<i>Virtual Scholarship & Interview Training</i>	3/10/22	VIRTUAL @ 7PM Click here to join the meeting	Be sure to login on Thursday, March 7 th to learn about scholarship opportunities that exist for you child in the Texas 4-H program. We will cover in detail the Bexar 4-H S.A.L.E. scholarship application process as well as interview skills for youth!
<i>Food Handler's Course</i>	3/22/22	3355 Cherry Rdg, Ste 208 San Antonio, Tx @ 6PM	Tx Dept of State Health Services accredited food handlers program is now being offered in-Person. The class is a basic overview of food safety practices that are necessary to ensure you serve safe food at your establishment. Cost is \$20 / person. See FLYER for details. Questions contact: Angie Gutierrez @ 210-631-0400 or aogutierrez@ag.tamu.edu
<i>Virtual Record Book for Beginners Training</i>	3/24/22	VIRTUAL @ 7PM Click here to join the meeting	Are you new to 4-H Record Books? Are you planning on starting one this year? Join us for this information session where we look at how to start a 4-H Record Book for beginners. You will be provided with all the information on how to start and complete a stellar record book this year!
<i>Virtual Record Book STORY Training</i>	4/7/2022	VIRTUAL @ 7PM Click here to join the meeting	Do you or your 4-H member struggle with writing an impactful and effective story? Are you looking for new tips on how to improve your 4-H Record Book Story? You won't want to miss this virtual training focusing on the 4-H Story! Learn how to write impactfully and creatively.
<i>Bexar 4-H S.A.L.E. Scholarship HELP SESSION</i>	4/12/2022	Virtual or In Person via appointment	If you are a graduating senior this year and will be applying for our 2022 Bexar County 4-H S.A.L.E. Scholarship, you are encouraged to set up an appointment with Natalie Cervantes, ntcervantes@ag.tamu.edu for help and guidance on completing your scholarship. On Tuesday, April 12th, I'm happy to setup up an appoint with youth in the morning, afternoon on evening.
<i>Virtual Record Book Report Forms Training</i>	4/28/2022	VIRTUAL @ 7PM Click here to join the meeting	The 4-H Record Book report forms are a challenging but essential component to a quality 4-H Record Book. Report forms document all of your activities and can be used in the future for college and scholarship applications. Learn how to put your best foot forward and build good habits in maintaining quality report forms.

Connecting with Today's Youth



Looking for ways to help parents and student navigate their *college and career journey*?

Make plans to join the Rural Student Success Initiative team as they offer strategies for agents to use at the local level to improve college and career readiness of youth.

Tuesday, March 8th 10am-11am. Click on link to join via TEAMS.

<https://tinyurl.com/3ywp3r87>



Texas Brigade Youth Conservation & Leadership Camps (Flyer [HERE](#))

Youth Conservation & Leadership Summer Camps. Application period November 1st – March 15th. Brigade camps are wildlife and natural resource-focused leadership camps that provide an intensive & exciting educational experience. Cadets learn from professionals about the biology, habitat and ecology of each camp's focus subject while strengthening leadership, team-building, and critical-thinking skills. For more information visit www.texasbrigades.org or view attached flyer. **Deadline for sign up is March 15, 2022.**

STEM & Natural Resources Leader Training (Flyer [HERE](#))

Join us for a hands-on 4-H leader training in the project areas of STEM and Natural Resources. This training will be led by two state 4-H specialists, Derrick Bruton, STEM Specialist, and Larry Hysmith, Natural Resources Specialist. A great opportunity for leaders looking to start a STEM or Natural Resources project in your county, or maybe your project just needs a refresh with new and exciting ideas. Volunteers will leave with materials, activities, and ideas that can be immediately implemented in county programs. It will be held April 9-10, 2022 at Palo Duro Canyon State Park in Canyon, Texas. Find more details on the attached [PDF](#)

New Resource: Texas Beekeeping 101

The website and its content is intended to be used by both the educators as well as those seeking to learn. We hope that you will find the site to be fun, easy to navigate, useful and most of all informative as you begin your beekeeping journey or help someone else begin theirs! The website is available free of charge and can be accessed at <http://www.texasbeekeeping101.com/>.

Picture Your World Youth Photography Program (Flyer [HERE](#))

2022 Picture Your World Youth Photography Workshops hosted by Green Spaces Alliance. The nature photography workshops are open to youth ages 8-18 and are held monthly on Sundays from 1:00-4:00 pm at natural areas around San Antonio. Students may bring their own digital camera or we will provide one for them. Registration and information is also available on-line at www.greensatx.org/events

Land, Water, & Wildlife Expeditions ([FLYER](#))

The Land, Water, & Wildlife Expeditions program would be a good extension of a local 4-H project involving activities in the outdoors. This program's mission is to introduce youth age 11-17 and their families to the great outdoors through 1-3 day expeditions utilizing a variety of activities such as bird watching, fishing, outdoor photography, and much more. To get this program started, TWA has designed a Mentor Training for adults interested in leading this program. Attached is flyer with more details on the Mentor Training **March 12 & 13, 2022 in Kyle TX**. Register at <https://www.texas-wildlife.org/evaluation/public-expeditions>

Space Exploration What do we need to get humans to Mars? Visit 4-H at Home for the latest Space Exploration activity, brought to you by HunesNet, to find out how scientists are preparing for this epic journey with trips to the Moon. [Get started by clicking here.](#)





CONTEST PAGE:



District/State Contest Reimbursement Form

- **Information:** The Bexar 4-H Council has money set aside to reimburse for selected District and State events to encourage participation and help ease the financial burden for active 4-H families. The money reimbursed will need to be requested from our office; no longer automatically mailed. See details below:
- **How:** Please fill out and return the [Reimbursement Form](#) to ntcervantes@ag.tamu.edu

2022 4-H Youth Project Fair on April 9th, 2022

Event: 2022 4-H Youth Project Fair at the Helotes Activity Center on April 9, 2022. Judging begins at Noon & Awards@3PM
Who: ANY Texas 4-H member are welcome to submit their 4-H artwork, baked goods, photos, science fair projects and MORE into our annual 4-H Project Fair Contest! Awards will be given to the 1st- 3th place winners in each age division and class. We will also select division winners and a BEST IN SHOW award winner for the Fair. **For full information see our 2022 4-H Project Fair Rules (See Rules).** **Deadline for entries will be March 25th, 2022!**

***NEW THIS YEAR:** Division 8 has changed into a S.T.E.M Fair Category! Do you have a Science Fair project you would like to enter? Please check out our new S.T.E.M. Fair Division Rules [HERE](#)!

4-H Youth Project Fair Forms:

- [General Rules with Links to ALL PAPERWORK](#)
- [Divisions & Classes](#)
- [Labels for ALL Entries](#)
- [Recipe Card for Division 1 Entries](#)
- [Rules for Division 8 \(S.T.E.M. Fair\) Entries](#)

2022 Bexar County 4-H Photography Contest OPEN!

Who: Bexar 4-H members are welcome to submit their 4-H County photos into our annual County photography contest! Awards will be given to the 1st- 5th place winners in each age division and category. Seniors (9th-12th graders) who place 1st in a category will qualify for the **State Photography contest (See Rules)**. **All submission & judging of photos will be conducted ONLINE.** **Deadline for photos will be Monday, March 14, 2022 at 11:59 PM.** For County rules/guidelines please click [HERE](#).

Deadline for Submission: All photos will need to be submitted by **Monday, March 14, 2022 @ 11:59 PM** via our online Google Form here: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdWbqZpZD2OiwDPUG1V1r5_2ie1wK-](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdWbqZpZD2OiwDPUG1V1r5_2ie1wK-GF_bJBjZXAUetMBA8jg/viewform?usp=sf_link)

[GF_bJBjZXAUetMBA8jg/viewform?usp=sf_link](#) **Late Entries:** Late entry of photos will be accepted by our office with a late fee of \$10 per photo until March 16, 2022 (End of business 5pm). Member will need to bring with them **payment and a jump drive** with all photos being submitted. **We will NOT ACCEPT PHYSICAL PHOTOGRAPHS.**

Texas 4-H Videography Contest



Texas 4-H is excited to announce a brand-new state contest, and thanks to the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation, there is some great prize money available for the top 3 entries! Click [HERE](#) to find the rules for the **2021-2022 Texas 4-H Videography Contest**



District 10 2022 Meat Judging @ San Angelo – April 13, 2022

The District 10 Meat Judging contest will be held in San Angelo University Meats Lab (7945 Grape Creek Rd., San Angelo TX) on April 13th, 2022. **Regular Registration will OPEN March 21 – and CLOSE April 6, 2022;** Late registration April 7-8 (+\$25 Late Fee) on 4HOnline. Click [HERE](#) for full letter of rules and information.

2022 District 10 4-H Spring Round up – April 19-23, 2022

Registration will be conducted on 4-H online. Cost of registration is \$30 for Livestock Judging and \$15 for Range & Pasture ID, Range Evaluation, Mohair Judging, Wool Judging, Leaders 4 Life, Soil Judging, Duds to Dazzle, Fashion Show, Share-the-Fun, Smallbore Rifle. Regular registration will be open on 4-H connect **March 21-April 6**. Late registration April 7-8 for additional \$25 fee. Click [HERE](#) for guide and forms.

Texas 4-H State Roundup UPDATES



A general overview of the week is as follows so you can begin planning your week.

- **Monday, June 6** – LEAD Academy College/Career Fair – Kickoff Event – Texas 4-H Council At-Large Elections
- **Tuesday, June 7** – Contests – LEAD Academy “Day of Service” – Assembly Downtown Bryan – Post event Street Dance
- **Tuesday, June 7** – Contests – LEAD Academy Workshops (Adult and Youth) – Assembly Wolf Pen Creek Amphitheater – Post Event Dance / Activities
- **Tuesday, June 7** – Contests – LEAD Academy Workshops (Adult and Youth) – Assembly Reed Arena – Texas 4-H Foundation Gala (Reed Arena 3rd Floor) – Closing Concert and Dance

REGISTRATION AND FEES

All registration for the 2022 Texas 4-H Roundup will be conducted on the Texas 4HOnline system. It is the responsibility of the 4-H members and their parent to ensure they are registered for Texas 4-H Roundup on time, correctly, and the registration has been accepted.

Everyone attending Texas 4-H Roundup will have to be a paid, registered attendee.

POTENTIAL CHANGES Contest registration fees may vary based on the contest. Rather than a week-long pass fee for all contestants, we are reviewing the potential of each contest having a specific fee associated with them. Some contest may be higher based on the cost associated with facilitating that contest. We will communicate this information early Spring once we have a better idea of our fundraising efforts.

Like in 2019, LEAD Academy will have a separate fee associated with participation in that event.

We are reviewing our fees associated with non-contestant youth, scholars who are not competing in a contest during the week and adults for our 2022 event as well.

The general refund policy for 4HOnline is that no refunds are provided to a 4-H member or family once the registration is approved. In extreme circumstances, such as death in immediate family, severe illness/accident, or cancellation of an event, refunds will be provided, minus any expenses already incurred by the event/activity.

State Record Book Guidelines (21-22) Family Guide [RELEASED!](#)

- The 2021-2022 Record Book Guide for families is now available [HERE!](#) Check out the guide now to make yourself aware of changes that may impact your 4-H'ers record books this 4-H year.

Other 4-H Invitational Contests:



2022 Picture Your World Youth Photography Exhibition (Info [HERE](#))

Registration is now open for the **2022 Picture Your World Nature Photography Exhibition** hosted by Green Spaces Alliance of South Texas ([ENGLISH FLYER](#) // [SPANISH FLYER](#)). The annual exhibition is a juried **nature photography competition that is open to all area youth ages 8-18** in Bexar and surrounding counties. **Awards and cash prizes are given in two age groups: students 8-12, and students 13-18**, with 3 winners and 12 honorable mentions from each age group. The **deadline for entry is Monday, April 11, 2022 at 5:00 pm**. **Winners will be announced at an award ceremony and reception at the Witte Museum on Thursday, May 5, from 6:00-7:30 pm**. Winning photos will be exhibited on the digital screen at The Tobin Center For Performing Arts, the GSA website and REI, San Antonio. A detailed flyer (English and Spanish versions) is attached. Registration and information is also available on-line at: https://secure.lglforms.com/form_engine/s/Fm_ETSHQJhNouqiaXmhUjw If you have any questions, please email carra@greensatx.org

- **4-H Beekeeping Essay Contest**

The Foundation for the Prevention of Honey Bees, Inc. **will soon** announced the 2022 4-H Essay Prompt. For those interested in monitoring their website for the announcement, you can bookmark

<https://preservationofhoneybees.org/essays>

- **2022 Texas 4-H Wildlife Habitat Education Project State Contest (FLYER)**

- Contest will be held in Calhoun/Matagorda Counties on May 14-15, 2022. Registration is open to all age divisions on 4HOnline. Registration will open on March 14th, and close April 15th, 2022. For complete details go to: [Texas 4-H Wildlife & Fisheries Website](#).

- **2022 Texas 4-H Virtual Reel 'em in Fishing Skill-a-thon (FLYER & Guidelines)**

We are excited to release the 2022 Texas 4-H Virtual Reel 'em in Skill-a-thon Rules of Play! Registration will open via 4HOnline on **February 1st** as will access to FishDonkey. New and exciting changes for 2022:

- We have partnered with FishDonkey app to use their official tournament judging program to assist in making this skill-a-thon more user friendly and to provide youth a realistic tournament experience (use of Facebook platform will no longer be utilized to post fish pics and for judging).
- Real-time leaderboards.
- More sponsors and more to be added in the near future.
- Addition of a Saltwater division.
- New educational components to learn about 4-H sportfishing, cooking healthy with fish, and techniques to hook the "big one."

- **Photography Judging Invitational**



If you are new to Extension and/or have not heard of this Roundup contest, kids rank different sets of photos based on quality, composition, etc. If you are familiar with livestock judging or CDM, it's just like that, but the subject matter is obviously different. This is an invitational (open) contest at Roundup that all senior members can compete in. It will take place on **Tuesday, June 7**. Details can be found on the Roundup [WEB PAGE](#).

- **2022 Texas 4-H Dog Show – July 7-9, 2022**

Texas 4-H Dog Show will be held on July 7-9, 2022 at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds in Conroe, Texas. To be eligible for this show, dogs must have been validated by January 10, 2022 in 4-H Online. 2022 Texas 4-H Dog Show Rule Book will be posted <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/dog-care-training/>. The 2021 Rule Book is currently available. There will be some minor changes in the regular portion of the show. We are working on an NEW Dog Olympics program for members to exhibit their training skills in a different way. We hope to have those details ironed out before the end of the month.

There will be a couple of opportunities to practice with your dog whether you validated or not. On June 18 – Wise County Dog Show: For more information click [HERE](#) for Texas 4-H Dog Validation Process or contact Michelle Mihalek at mmmihalek@ag.tamu.edu

Quick Glance for ALL UPCOMING Shooting Sports Events/Trainings

- **Access all shooting sports events, trainings, & contests here:** [4-H Natural Resources Program Activity and Event Schedule - Google Docs](#)

- **2022 State 4-H Indoor Archery Match – Deadline March 10, 2022**

The 2020 State 4-H Indoor Archery Match registration is now open on [4-H Online](#). There will be 5 locations available for 4-H'ers to choose from. All information regarding registration is available here:

[shooting_sports_indoor_archery_information_2022.pdf \(tamu.edu\)](#) Want more information? See our website: <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/shooting-sports/> It is located under the "Contests" Heading. As always, registration will only be through 4-H Online.

• **2022 Rimfire Program Launch March 14, 2022**



On behalf of Federal and CCI Ammunition, I wanted to reach out and let you know to mark your calendars for the launch of the **2022 Rimfire Program** on **Monday, March 14th**. Adjusting the typical launch date should not affect the overall program and delivery of the product to your locations, but rather allow us to be sure everyone has an exceptional experience while making their purchases. Our goal continues to have all orders delivered by the end of May. Program information is provided below to assist you in planning for the **March 14th launch**.

- All orders must be sent via email.
- Maximum for purchase of 25,000 rounds.
- Product being offered:
 - 1.) Federal Champion Training 22 (Part # 729B800)** 1200 fps 40 grain lead round nose in **3,200** rounds per case, the cost is \$200.00 per case.
 - 2.) CCI Standard Velocity (Part #35)** 1070 fps lead round nose 40 grain, **5,000** rounds, the cost is \$325 per case.
 - (Note, this is the same as CCI #32, but is packed in 50 round boxes rather than 100.)
- Pre-pay program.
- **Preferred** Visa or Mastercard. Provide the best phone number as the Customer Service Team will contact YOU for payment.
- Orders paid by check or ACH payment will be accepted. The Customer Service Team will contact YOU with further instructions.

• **Helotes 3-D Archery Shoot – April 2, 2022 (FLYER)**

Location: Helotes Ag Booster Club Youth Ranch 1825 CR 2615, Rio Medina TX. For pre-registration or to become a sponsor email schottgw@aol.com or mashelotes@aol.com Call or text 210-241-4748 or 210-240-6422

• **District 7 Shooting Sports Coach Certification Training (Brownwood, TX)**

Who is eligible? This training is open to any eligible potential coaches **statewide**.

Where is the training held? Texas 4-H Conference Center 5600 FM 3021 Brownwood, TX 76801 **And a new online portion

When will it be? March 12, 2022 Events begin at 8:00am on March 19th. -tentatively, events end at 8pm on March 19th.

How much does it cost? Early bird (before Feb. 17th): \$110, Late (February 18th- March 3rd): \$160

Lodging is available for an additional cost, available Friday and Saturday night:

- Hotel-style lodging: \$90/room/night
- Dormitory-style lodging: \$31/person/night

An online “Green Injection” training is required before attending. This training is \$20 and the link will be sent to you when you register for this event. The event fee has been lowered to accommodate this online training fee. Taking this online portion ahead of time will allow us to keep the in-person training limited to a 1 day event.

Registration details: Register via the Texas 4-H Center’s registration website: <http://texas4hcenter.tamu.edu/> **(NOT 4HOnline)**

Registration will open February 1st and close March 3rd. Registration includes meals and course materials

Additional details: Only one discipline certification (archery, pistol, rifle, shotgun or muzzleloading) is obtainable per participant at this training. **Muzzleloading will require two days of training. Participants will need to be present on both Saturday March 19th and Sunday March 20th** Tentative schedule, what to bring list, and release forms can be found on the 4-H Center website and will be sent to each participant in a confirmation e-mail. Please Note: Even though registration will be done through the 4-H Center Registration System, **all participants still MUST have an ACTIVE Profile in 4-H Online and** have passed the Background Check **PRIOR** to participating in the training. (This will be checked!- NO EXCEPTIONS) Please refer to the participant letter at the end of this document. You will also receive it in the confirmation e-mail.

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2021-2022 County – District – State CONTEST/EVENTS CALENDAR

This is calendar is subject to change. Please make sure you check contest guidelines closely and adjust dates/locations/times as necessary

Mar. 12, 2022 – County Fashion Show/D2D/Storyboard Contest

Mar. 12, 2022 – County Share-the-Fun Contest

Mar. 14, 2022 – County Photography Contest (Virtual) Rules POSTED!

Mar. 21, 2022 – District 10 Spring Roundup Registration OPENS on v2.4honline.com Rules Posted

Mar. 21, 2022 – District 10 Meat Judging Registration OPENS on v2.4honline.com

Apr. 6, 2022 – District 10 Spring Roundup Registration CLOSES on v2.4honline.com

Apr. 8, 2022 – District 10 Spring Roundup Registration LATE ENTRY CLOSES on v2.4honline.com

Apr. 6, 2022 – District 10 Meat Judging Registration CLOSES on v2.4honline.com

Apr. 8, 2022 – District 10 Meat Judging LATE ENTRY CLOSES on v2.4honline.com

Apr. 9, 2022 – County Project Show (Drop off of Entries to Office by April 6th) Letter/Rules POSTED!

Apr. 13, 2022 – District 10 Meat Judging @ San Angelo – Letter/Rules POSTED!

Apr. 19-23, 2022 – District 10 Spring Roundup (Several Locations)

- April 19 – Leaders for Life (Seguin, TX)
- April 20 – Livestock Judging (Fredericksburg, TX)
- April 21 – Range Evaluation, Range/Pasture ID, Wool/Mohair Judging, & Share-the-Fun (Fredericksburg, TX)
- April 22 – Soil Judging, Fashion Show, Duds 2 Dazzle, and Fashion Storyboard (Fredericksburg, TX)
- April 23 – Smallbore Rifle Contest (Floresville, TX)

May 1, 2022 – Texas 4-H Videography Contest opens v2.4honline.com

May 6, 2022 – Bexar County S.A.L.E. Scholarship Applications DUE

May 15, 2022 – Texas 4-H Videography Contest CLOSES v2.4honline.com

May 20, 2022 – Bexar County S.A.L.E. Scholarship Interviews- *NO ALTERNATIVE DATES WILL BE AVAILABLE*

June 6-9, 2022 – Texas 4-H State Roundup in College Station, TX Roundup Website

June 13, 2022 – County Record Books/Awards/Ambassador Applications Due Record Book Guide POSTED!

June 15-16 2022 - District 10 Horse Show (Dripping Springs, TX)

June 29 – July 1, 2022 - District 10 Leadership Lab (Camp Kubena)

July 8, 2022 – Bexar County Gold Star Interviews- *NO ALTERNATIVE DATES WILL BE AVAILABLE*

July 7-19, 2022 - Texas 4-H State Dog Show

July 16, 2022 – Bexar County Club Officer Training

July 17-23, 2022 - Texas 4-H Shooting Sports State Games, National Shooting Complex

July 2022 (Dates TBA) Texas 4-H Horse Show (Bryan, TX)

August 6, 2022 – Bexar County 4-H Awards Program & Silent Auction