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**Veritas 4-H Club serving at a local church festival
One Day 4-H Project!**



Bexar County One Day 4-H – Barn Buddies



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- APR 20 Range/Pasture ID and Range Evaluation
- APR 20 Share the Fun
- APR 20 Wool and Mohair Judging
- APR 21 Soil Judging
- APR 21 Duds 2 Dazzle
- APR 21 Fashion Show and Natural Fibers
- APR 22 Smallbore Rifle
- APR 28 Virtual Fashion Storyboards
- JUN 14-15 District 10 Horse Show
- JUL 13 District 10 Record Book Judging

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 sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu

2022 – 2023 District 10 4-H Calendar

FALL & WINTER DATES

District 10 Mega Meeting – Comfort, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Thurs. Sept. 1, 2022	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tues., Sept. 13, 2022	
LATE REGISTRATION: W-F, Sept. 14-16, 2022	
EVENT DATE: October 1, 2022	
District 10 FALL Roundup – Kerrville, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Friday, Oct. 7, 2022	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2022	
LATE REGISTRATION: Wed. – Fri. Nov 2-4, 2022	
Fall Roundup CONTEST DATES	
Nov. 29, 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Livestock & Horse Quiz Bowl • Ed. Presentation & Public Speaking
Nov. 30, 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Show • FCH Quiz Bowl • Entomology Judging
Dec. 1, 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Challenge
District 10 4-H S.A.L.E. Contests	
**All 4-H members must submit Stock Show entry forms/fees to their County Office to compete in any District 10 4-H contest that is being held conjunction with the San Antonio Livestock Show & Rodeo.	
DISTRICT REGISTRATION OPENS: January 2, 2023	
DISTRICT REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Jan. 17, 2023	
DISTRICT LATE REGISTRATION: Jan. 19-20, 2023	
Feb. 2023 TBA from SALE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Horse Judging • Consumer Decision Making
District 10 4-H VIRTUAL Photography Contest	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Wed., Feb. 1, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Mon. Feb. 20, 2023	
LATE REGISTRATION: Tue-Wed. Feb 21-22, 2023	
Feb. 20, 2023	4HOnline Registration CLOSES
Mar. 31, 2023	Photography Results Released

SPRING & SUMMER DATES

District 10 SPRING Roundup – Fredericksburg, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Friday, March 3, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tues., Mar. 21, 2023	
LATE REGISTRATION: Wed.-Fri, Mar. 22-24, 2023	
Spring Roundup CONTEST DATES	
TBA April 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meat Judging (San Angelo, TX)
April 18, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leaders 4 Life
April 19, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Livestock Judging
April 20, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Range/Pasture ID & Range Evaluation • Share the Fun • Wool & Mohair Judging
April 21, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soil Judging • Duds 2 Dazzle • Fashion Show & Natural Fibers
April 22, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smallbore Rifle (Floresville, TX)
April 28, 2023 Virtual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Virtual Fashion Storyboard Results Released
District 10 Horse Show – Dripping Springs, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Monday, May 1, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tues. May 16, 2023	
LATE REGISTRATION: W-F, May 17-19, 2023	
TENATIVE EVENT DATE: June 14-15, 2023	
District 10 Leadership Lab – Brownwood, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Monday, May 1, 2023	
EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE: May 28, 2023	
LATE FEE REGISTRATION: May 29-31, 2023	
TENATIVE EVENT DATE: June 21-23, 2023	
District 10 Record Book Judging – Location TBA	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Thurs., June 1, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Tues., June 27, 2023	
LATE REGISTRATION: Wed.-Fri. June 28-30, 2023	
TENATIVE EVENT DATE: July 13, 2023	

***County deadlines may differ from district deadlines to allow county extension staff time to review and complete submissions**

2022 Bexar County Public Speaking / Ed. Presentation – November 12th – DEADLINE November 1st (Registration and Rules)

The 2022 Bexar County Public Speaking and Educational Method Contest will be held Saturday, November 12th at Cornerstone Christian School. Please review the guidelines and complete the registration above. This will be a PRACTICE CONTEST for district. Anyone may sign up to participate in the district contest that will be held November 29th in Kerrville, Texas. IF you have any questions regarding the entry form or categories, please email Kevin Knapick at kevin.knapick@ag.tamu.edu.

2022 District 10 Fall Roundup – DEADLINE November 1st (GUIDE)

The 2022 District 10 Fall Roundup contests will be held in Kerrville, Texas November 29th – December 1st. REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN on 4-H Online and will close on November 1st with a late registration period from November 2nd – November 4th. The attached Guide contains all details, rules, and guidelines for the following contests: Livestock and Horse Quiz Bowl, Educational Presentations, Public Speaking, Food Show, FCH Quiz Bowl, Entomology Judging, and Food Challenge. If you have any questions regarding the rules or guidelines for these contests, please reach out to Kevin Knapick at kevin.knapick@ag.tamu.edu.

2023 Roundup Guide Posted

The 2023 Texas 4-H Roundup Guide has been updated and posted with most contest updates posted as well. Please review for the changes that have been made to the 2023 Roundup. [Click here to access the guide and contest information.](#)



Local 4-H Events / Training

4-H Speaker Request Form- **PERSONAL CLUB TRAININGS AVAILABLE**

- **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 sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu at least 2 weeks prior to the requested date. Please allow 3-5 business days for confirmation. Please contact us at 210-631-0400 with questions.

2022-2023 Upcoming Virtual/In-Person Trainings

Beginner Record Book Training	11/21/22 @ 7:00pm	Virtual TEAMS LINK	This training will cover the basics of starting a Record book, and how to compile this document to serve your 4-H member in the future it will be a great lesson for beginners and seasoned 4-Hers.
4-H Scholarship Training	12/5/22 @ 7:00pm	Virtual TEAMS LINK	Senior 4-H members (9th -12th) are encouraged to attend this informational scholarship training to help correctly apply for the Texas 4-H Foundation Scholarships
County Council Meeting	11/17/22 @ 7:00 pm	3355 Cherry Ridge, Suite 208	Agenda TBA
County Council Meeting	1/19/23 @ 7:00 pm	3355 Cherry Ridge, Suite 208	Agenda TBA
County Council Meeting	3/16/23 @ 7:00 pm	3355 Cherry Ridge, Suite 208	Agenda TBA
County Council Meeting / County Officer Elections	5/18/23 @ 7:00 pm	3355 Cherry Ridge, Suite 208	County Council officer elections for the 2023-2024 4-H year will be conducted.

*If your club has news or events they would like to see in our newsletter please email to sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu Here you will see highlights and major announcements. Club events and other announcements will be included in the 4-H Events & Training portion of the newsletter.

Send Us Your Pictures

We would love to use pictures from your contests and events for flyers, brochures, and to recognize the kids hard work in our newsletter. Email pictures to sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu

Academic Eligibility

As some of you already know, we are doing academic eligibility differently this year. ANY event/contest that your child participates in representing Bexar County 4-H MUST let us know in advance to request academic eligibility form. We will complete the form and email to the email address you have on your 4-HOnline account. It will be your responsibility to get it to the school to be signed and return to us. This can be returned electronically to sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu. You will use that same form to turn in to your school attendance office for excused absences. Please call if you have any questions.



Bexar Agriculture & Natural Resource Committee Scholarship-DEADLINE March 15th
(FLYER) (APPLICATION)

Bexar Agriculture & Natural Resource Committee Scholarship is \$1000 for 2023-2024 Academic Year for Agriculture Studies.

Qualified applicants must be:

- A resident of Bexar County or attending school in Bexar County
- A currently graduating high school senior with at least a 3.0 GPA
- Attending a Texas college on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 hours/semester) for the 2023-2024 academic year
- Pursuing an Agriculture-related degree (i.e. Animal Science, Animal Nutrition, Ag Development, Ag Education, Ag Business, Veterinary Medicine, etc.)



Livestock News & Events

If you have questions or need help with your projects feel free to contact Sam.Womble@ag.tamu.edu, office # 210-631-0400 or cell # 361-649-5836

2022-2023 Validation Dates	
Fall Heifer	Swine
	Nov. 8th 4:00-6:00pm Judson HS (BJCLS Only)
Oct. 29th 9:00-11:00am East Central HS	Nov. 12th 2:00-5:00pm O'Connor HS (State & BCJLS)
	Nov. 22nd 2:00-5:00pm East Central HS (State & BCJLS)

2022-2023 Livestock Project Meetings			

*** PLEASE RSVP to sarah.nichols@ag.tamu.edu for all Project Training Events ***

2023 Major Show Entry – November 1st thru November 4th

Deadline for ALL major show entries will be **November 4th**.

We will have appointment times to come meet with Sam to complete entries November 1st – November 4th. Click link [HERE](#) for sign up. Appointments are NOT required. You can come in during normal business hours and meet with Sarah to complete paperwork if you do not need to meet with Sam. All paperwork and entries fees are due by deadline. ALL livestock, individual and team events and contests for all major shows listed above will be due by 5pm Friday, November 4th. There will be a late fee for any entries after deadline. Late fees for livestock / animal entries are \$100 after November 4th. Late fees for contests will be double entry fee plus \$20 after November 4th. All Major show entry forms and premium books are on our website. **We can ONLY accept check or cash.** There will be a notary available for any documents that need to be notarized. Parent or guardian must be present, the exhibitor does not need to be present.

Please check our website [HERE](#) for current information. We are updating it as information is published by the individual shows.

Fort Worth Stock Show – January 13th-February 4th (DEADLINE November 4th)

Hill District Grandstand Show – January 15th-21st (DEADLINE November 4th)

The Hill District Grandstand Show located in the Texas Hill Country is pleased to announce the addition of a statewide turkey show for those exhibitors who order major show birds. Exhibitors will be eligible for premium money and prizes. In addition to turkeys, they'll offer a statewide breeding sheep, ag mechanics and livestock judging contest. **Entries will be completed in our Bexar County Extension office with all other Major Show entries November 1-4th.**

San Angelo Stock Show – January 25th-February 19th (DEADLINE November 4th)

Texas Elite Gilt Show – February 9th-12th (DEADLINE November 4th)

Entries will be completed in our Bexar County Extension office with all other Major Show entries November 1-4th.

San Antonio Stock Show – February 9th-26th (DEADLINE November 4th)

Houston Livestock Show – February 28th – March 19th (DEADLINE November 4th)

Rodeo Austin – March 10th – 25th (DEADLINE November 4th)

Upcoming Livestock Programs, Clinics & Shows

South Texas Double Trouble Prospect Show – October 29th (FLYER)

South Texas Double Trouble Prospect Show Steer and Heifer Show – October 29, 2022 - Cowboy Fellowship, 561 FM 3350, Jourdanton, TX 78026

Yell Practice Show La Vernia Texas – November 5th (FLYER)

More than a show! Join us for speakers/clinics, door prizes and showmanship. Come enjoy the day in La Vernia! All pre-entered exhibitors receive a t-shirt.

60th Annual Bexar County Junior Livestock Show - December 26th-30th

BCJLS as posted the 2022-23 Annual Rules and information on their website:

[BCJLS Animal Validations](#)

[Show Schedule](#)

[BCJLS 2023 Rules](#)

[BCJLS 2023 Creative Arts Show Rules](#)

[BCJLS Creative Arts Entry Form](#)

[BCJLS Belt Buckle Sponsor Form](#) – 60th anniversary buckle. The buckle design is going to remain a secret until the show, but we are working with Legend! If you or someone you know would like to sponsor a buckle please complete attached form. Thank you.

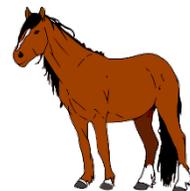
2023 Walter Gerlach Livestock Show and Sale – January 20th – 28th (RULEBOOK)

Eligibility Rules (see Rule 15 of rulebook):

- Exhibitors must be an active member of an “invited” FFA Chapter or 4H Club (ASTA FFA, Helotes 4H LSO, LSP, and Unlimited Clubs, and Leon Springs 4H) **and** must reside in the Northside ISD or legally attend a NISD school during the entire feeding period and throughout the duration of the show. (See Rule 12 for animal eligibility).
- Exhibitor must attend an accredited private, home school, or public elementary or secondary school and has not yet graduated from high school (in the Northside school district boundaries)
- Exhibitor must personally feed and care for his/her animal for the entire duration of the feeding and fitting period.
- An exhibitor attending the NISD Alternative Center may not participate.
- An exhibitor who is a 5th year high school student may not participate.
- All exhibitors must be between the ages of 9 and 19 on August 31, 2022 or may be 8 years old and in 3rd grade on August 31, 2022.
- Exhibitors who are ineligible under Texas Education Code 33.081 “No Pass, No Play” are not allowed to participate in any WGLS activity, including the showing of a project and/or auction. Any project owned by an ineligible exhibitor is also ineligible for competition and auction. This includes Ag Mechanics entries.

For more information visit the Walter Gerlach Livestock Show Webpage at www.waltergerlachlivestockshow.org

Horse News & Events



Upcoming Bexar County 4-H Open Horse Show Schedule (2022-2023)

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! Check back soon for 2022-2023 season!



4-H Shooting Sports

Learn by Doing

Access all shooting sports events, trainings, & contests here:

[4-H Natural Resources Program Activity and Event Schedule - Google Docs](#)

D8 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Certification Training – November 12-13th – DEADLINE

October 28th (FLYER)

This training is open to any potential coaches across the state. Registration will be conducted through 4-H Online. Look for 2022 D8 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Certification (Stephenville) (Open state-wide). Registration will be open starting October 10 and run through October 28, 2022. Cost is \$125 per person.

Coryell Gun Club S.A.L.E Qualifying Event – November 19th (FLYER)

November 19, 2022 Coryell 4H Gun Club will be hosting a S.A.L.E. qualifying event at the Waco skeet and trap club in Waco, Texas. This event will hold a trap division and sporting clay division for juniors, intermediates, and seniors. Cost will be \$75 for 100 trap targets and \$50 for 50 sporting clay targets all registration will be done on ICLAYS belt buckles will be awarded to division champions and HAA. For more Information please contact Jeff (254) 223-4514 or email jwpruitt99@icloud.com.

Family & Community Health Events



4-H Events & Training



2022 4-H Christmas Card Contest – Deadline October 28th

The Texas 4-H Foundation has kicked off this year's Christmas Card Contest. Send in your best artwork to be in the running for the OFFICAL Texas 4-H Christmas Card! Submissions are open now through October 28st. [For rules and registration forms click here.](#)



One Day 4-H Project Reporting – Deadline October 31st



Don't forget to report those awesome One Day 4-H projects you completed! All project reporting will be done via the linked Microsoft Form here: <https://forms.office.com/r/AmaWMDB2K8>. All reporting will close on October 31, 2022.

2023 Major Show Entry – November 1st thru November 4th

We to start major show entries **November 1st**.
Deadline all major show entries will be **November 4th**.

We will have appointment times to come meet with Sam to complete entries the week of November 1st. Click link [HERE](#) for sign up. Appointments are NOT required. You can come in during normal business hours and meet with Sarah to complete paperwork if you do not need to meet with Sam. All paperwork and entries fees are due by deadline. Late fees for livestock / animal entries are \$100 after November 4th. Late fees for contests will be double entry fee plus \$20 after November 4th.

Please check our website [HERE](#) for current information. We are updating it as information is published by the individual shows.

Capital Farm Credit Community Outreach Grant – DEADLINE November 1st (FLYER)

Capital Farm Credit's Community Outreach Grant Program provides grants to Texas FFA chapters and 4-H clubs to assist them in bringing positive change to local communities by establishing projects that make communities better places to live. Grants range from \$500-\$1000; dependent on the proposed budget of the chapter. Applications are NOW Open! Applications Close: Tuesday, November 1, 2022 For more information and application submission, please visit <https://www.capitalfarmcredit.com/about-us/community-support>. For questions regarding the grant program please contact grants@capitalfarmcredit.com.

Land Stewardship Ambassador Program – DEADLINE November 1st (FLYER)

The East Foundation has partnered with the Witte Museum in San Antonio, Texas to create the Land Stewardship Ambassador program. This is an extra-curricular program that is reading and writing intensive. There is no cost for students to participate in this program. **Cohorts meet Sundays in the Spring. At the end of the program, students receive a \$400 Stipend!** We are looking for high school students who are interested in the environment, veterinary science, wildlife, conservation and agriculture. A cohort of 15 students will be selected in each of the following locations: Bexar, Webb and Cameron Counties. See attached flyer for further information and instructions to apply.

TAMU Hunger Summit Texas A&M University – November 4th (FLYER)

2022 Central Texas 4-H Invitational Consumer Contest – November 19th – DEADLINE November 7th

4-H members from across the state are invited to an open invitation Consumer Decision Making contest. The Central Texas 4-H Invitational Consumer Contest will be held November 19th in Gatesville at the Boys and Girls Club. This contest is open to all 4-H youth that are in the 3-12th grades. Deadline to register is November 7th. For a complete list of the rules and link to the online form, check the link! [Click here to register.](#)

Dino Disco SPARK Retreat – November 11th -13th

This year's Texas 4-H Council is hoping to revive the traditional Junior Leadership Retreat experience by developing shorter morning workshop sessions which are more hands-on activities by the campers, less presentation style approach. After lunch, Council will host high energy group activities and games to keep the 4-H members engaged and learning. Of course, what's a 4-H camp without a dance, so Saturday evening they will host a "Theme" dance. This year's theme will be announced in September. There will also be a service-learning activity where campers will be asked to provide items to donate but will be taken a step further where they will be actively involved in preparing kits to be donated to a local organization, so they get a better understanding of why they brought items to the Center. More detail to come soon including Registration information, but we wanted to share the new vision for the camp with you so you could start promoting it with your 4-H members and their families. If you have recommendations, please share those as well so we can provide feedback to the Texas 4-H Council as they plan to "Spark" a fun, state-wide experience for 4-H members in the 3rd – 8th grades.



2022 EnVision Conference – November 12th

On behalf of the Student Engineers' Council (SEC) at Texas A&M University, your students are invited to the annual EnVision Conference, which will be held on Saturday, November 12th, 2022 from *8:30 AM-5:30 PM. EnVision is an all-day engineering conference for students in elementary through high school who are interested in STEM: science, technology, engineering, and math. It will be held at the Zachry Engineering Education Complex at Texas A&M University. During this event, students have the unique opportunity to delve into the fields of science and engineering and explore their interests. There are stories of students who have pursued engineering at Texas A&M University because they attended this event while they were in school. The students also get to experience what makes Texas A&M an amazing, inclusive university while learning about the traditions that make up the Aggie experience! [Register now by clicking here.](#)

4-H Hunting Project Coach Training – November 12th – 13th (FLYER)

Registration is now open for the 4-H Hunting Project Coach Training to be held on November 12-13, 2022, in Callahan County, District 7. This training is open to 4-H members, volunteers, and CEAs/Program Assistants statewide.

TAMU Hunger Summit in Dallas – November 18th (FLYER)

4-H & FFA Day at Sam Houston State University – November 19th (FLYER)

Sam Houston State University will be hosting a 4-H & FFA Day at their football game on Saturday, November 19th. Youth can take tours and learn more about the campus life at Sam Houston, while attending the football game at a discounted rate! [Purchase your tickets now by clicking here](#) and find the tour schedule attached to this email.



Sumo Bot Contest – December 3rd – DEADLINE November 19th (FLYER)

Registration ends November 19th. \$60 per team. Information at guadalup4hrobots@gmail.com.

60th Annual BCJLS Stock Show – December 27-30th

[BCJLS Animal Validations](#)

[Show Schedule](#)

[BCJLS 2023 Rules](#)

[BCJLS 2023 Creative Arts Show Rules](#)

[BCJLS Creative Arts Entry Form](#)

2022 Junior Master Photographer Workshop 2 – DEADLINE November 28th (FLYER)

2022 Junior Master Photographer workshop dates are set! Share with your photography-interested youth. There is no application process for the JMP program, but spots are limited in the workshops, so encourage youth to sign up soon. Applications for certification and ambassadorship come later for those who have completed the trainings and a few additional requirements. Find additional information about the program in the attached brochures.

2023 Texas 4-H Dog Show T-shirt Contest – DEADLINE February 15th (FLYER)

See attached flyer for guidelines and entry instructions.

4-H Day at the Capitol – March 29th

This year's 4-H Day at the Capitol is set for March 29, 2023! Be on the lookout for [more information!](#)

2023 National 4-H Conference – April 14th – 19th

Mark your calendar for the 2023 National 4-H Conference, which will be held April 14-19 in person at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City in Arlington, Virginia, and online. Deemed “the Secretary’s Conference,” this Conference is the flagship youth development opportunity of USDA. Today, the Conference remains true to its original intent to develop the next generation of leaders while continuing to be future-focused. The Conference brings together youth, volunteer leaders, county and state Extension staff, Land-grant University faculty and administrators, as well as state and federal government officials from across the United States and its Territories. During the Conference, delegates will become familiar with the government and future career opportunities and share their voice with federal agencies and congressional committees. More information to follow



Summer 2023 Texas 4-H is going Abroad (FLYER)

Texas 4-H is going to Barcelona and Madrid in Summer 2023! To participate in the Global Citizenship Tour, 4-H members must be 14 years old. Join us for a virtual information session Thursday, October 20th at 6 PM on Zoom. Click the link below to register for the meeting or to receive follow up information! [Register now by clicking here.](#)

4-H Serves Florida: Hurricane Ian Relief

Hurricane Ian impacted thousands of Floridians, causing unimaginable losses in Lee County and surrounding areas. These communities, including 4-H families, need critical supplies to continue the clean-up and rebuilding process. For Texas 4-H families hoping to support those in Florida, there are two options for giving back.

- Short time supply drive
- A monetary donation drive

[Get the full information by clicking here.](#)

Allergen-Free Baking Recipes for Kids

Just about everyone loves delicious baked goods, but some people are allergic to the standard gluten-based flour used in most recipes. These simple alternatives from Kristin Osika, the 2021 4-H Youth-in-Action Winner, leave out the gluten but pack all of the scrumptious taste. [Get started by clicking here.](#)

Texas 4-H Jerky Jackpot



The Texas 4-H Foundation has once again partnered with rodeo legend and Texas rancher Bob Tallman to create an exclusive fundraiser that will put money RIGHT IN YOUR COUNTY’S POCKET! All you need to do is send some emails, make a few social media posts and wait for the money to head your way. No collecting money, no order sheets, no door to door. It’s all done online and completely managed by the Foundation.

Here is the link to order: <https://texas4hfoundation.givecloud.co/texas-4-h-jerky-jackpot>

Here are some tools to help you share this fundraiser: [Download Toolkit HERE!](#)

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