

Lubbock County Extension Program

The Texas AgriLife Extension Service, Lubbock County provides educational programs in four areas:

- Agriculture and Natural Resources
- Family and Consumer Sciences
- 4-H and Youth Development
- Community Development

Extension develops and delivers researched-based educational information designed to improve the quality of life for Lubbock County residents. Programs are based on the changing needs of County residents as identified by citizen advisory groups working with the County Extension Agents.

Extension values and promotes principles of citizen and community involvement, scientifically based education, life-long learning and volunteerism.

Texas Community Futures Forum

On May 10, 2007 a group of community leaders identified issues of concern impacting families. These issues for Lubbock County were identified:

Financial Management

- Credit to debt training

Water Conservation

- Water Conservation, urban issues, rural issues, water quality and future resources.

Teen Education

- Our community needs to find ways to address teen behavior, responsible choices, driving safety, self-esteem, drug and alcohol, STD's, and sexually related life complications.

Child Abuse Prevention and Education

- Seeking help before abuse occurs, recognizing signs of child abuse, and stopping the cycle of abuse. Drug and alcohol prevention/awareness.

Agriculture

- Agriculture awareness and economic impact, development and commodity marketing and environment impact.

This needs assessment information will help all area groups to more directly focus their activities and resources; it also reveals areas of common interest in which partnering groups can work together to solve community problems.



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Texas AgriLife Extension Service Lubbock County

Programs Available

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Agriculture and Natural Resources

Robert Scott
County Extension Agent
Agriculture and Natural Resources

Programs/Subjects:

- Agricultural Leadership / Awareness
- Horticulture - Vegetables/Trees
- Livestock Production / Beef Quality Assurance

C. Mark Brown
County Extension Agent
Agriculture and Natural Resources

Programs/Subjects:

- South Plains Cotton Production
- Alternative Crops
- *Lubbock County Ag Committee*
- Commodity Marketing
- Horticulture - Water-wise Plants / Turfgrass Management
- Irrigation Efficiency
- Landscape Water Conservation
- 4-H Shooting Sports
- *Master Gardener Association / Programs*

Brant A. Baugh
Extension Agent
Integrated Pest Management

Programs/Subjects:

- Integrated Pest Management - Urban and Crops
- Horticulture - Ornamental Plant Selection / Ornamental Pests
- Master Gardner Classes

4-H and Youth Development

Ronda Alexander
County Extension Agent
4-H and Youth Development

Program/Subjects:

- Youth Development Programs
- 4-H Clubs and Project Groups
- *4-H Volunteer and Youth Leadership Development*
- Volunteer Management
- School Curriculum Enrichment Materials and Programming
- Character Education Programs
- *4-H Club Managers*
- *4-H Parent Leaders Association*
- *4-H Teen Council*

Volunteer programs italicized

Call the identified County Extension Agent listed by program area at:
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Family and Consumer Sciences

E. Kay Davis, M.S., L.D., C.F.C.S.
County Extension Agent
Family and Consumer Sciences

Program/Subjects:

- *Partners for Parenting Coalition*
- *Building Strong Families: Tools For Success Conference*
- Parenting and Family Issues
- Developing Self-Esteem / Character
- Healthy Shopping and Eating Habits
- Health and Wellness
- My Pyramid
- Food Safety and Storage
- Special Food Needs / Diabetes
- Food Preservation
- *Extension Education Clubs*
- Better Living for Texans Family Nutrition Program

Susie Breitling, M.Ed.
County Extension Agent
Family and Consumer Sciences

Program/Subjects:

- Communication Skills
- Community Development
- Resource Management
- Recordkeeping
- Financial Management
- Consumer Fraud Issues
- Personal / Household Textiles Care
- Fiber Arts
- Leadership Development

Extension Assistant
Better Living for Texans

- Food Stamp Nutrition Education
- My Pyramid
- Food Safety
- Shopping Strategies and Label Reading
- Healthy Lifestyles