



Lubbock County 4-H News



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COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE OPERATION

The County Extension Office is open for regular business hours 8-12 pm and 1-5 pm daily. Agents are still in and out of the office, depending upon our schedules. So if you are going by the office to see an agent, be sure to call ahead or schedule an appointment with the agent directly to be sure they are in the office. Please also remember to practice social distancing and if possible to wear facial covering.



4-H LAMB AND GOAT JACKPOT FUNDRAISER

We need everyone's help to assist with the annual 4-H Lamb and Goat Jackpot Fundraiser. This year we will be at the South Plains Fairgrounds Livestock Pavilion for the actual show on Saturday. You do not have to have experience to volunteer; we have several jobs that everyone can help with.

Friday/August 14 - 6 pm meet at the Texas Tech Livestock Pavilion

(we will be loading hauling panels to set up the arena, to the Fairgrounds); if you can't make it at 6 pm, then come to the South Plains Fairgrounds around 6:45 pm - use the Broadway street entrance to the Fairgrounds.

South Plains Fairgrounds - Livestock Pavilion

Saturday/August 15 - Concession Stand Help

- 7-9 am
- 9- 11 am
- 11 - 1 pm
- 1 - 3 pm
- 3 - 4:30 pm (or when over)

Saturday/August 15 - Ring Help

(needs to be experienced at helping with this)

8:30 - 12 pm

- announcer
- gate help
- ring help
- runner



12-3:30 pm

- announcer
- gate help
- ring help
- runner

4 pm (or as soon as show is over)

Everyone to help load and haul panels back to Texas Tech!

4-H Parent Leaders Association and Teen Council Meetings

4-H Parent Leaders and Teen Council will have their regular meetings on Monday, August 17 at 6:30 pm at the County Extension Office; PLA will meet in the first floor meeting area; Teen Council will meet in the large meeting room.

CHANGES FOR THE NEW 4-H YEAR

As a result on planning for the unknown, there will be some major changes for when some of our 4-H projects will occur. Our September 4-H Newsletter will have a calendar for the Fall and Spring contest changes with dates. So please pay close attention to the September Newsletter.

2020 - 2021 4-H ENROLLMENT

Enrollment for the 2020-2021 will open on 4-H Connect, beginning August 15. 4-H Connect has been updated this year, so it may look a little different. If you have difficulties enrolling, please email Ronda and she will try to assist you. The following 4-H Clubs should be available for enrollment: Frenship, Wildcat, Shallowater, Red Raider and Trinity. Other clubs will be available when chartering information has been completed. Be sure to use your 4-H Family profile from last year.

SOUTH PLAINS FAIR - 4-H CHILDREN'S BARNYARD



As some of you may have already heard, we will be having a South Plains Fair and a 4-H Children's Barnyard. We will have some changes to the 4-H Barnyard, but we will still be open! 4-H clubs are still needed to assist with manning the barnyard each day. Club Mangers will be in contact with club members about signing up to work. One other fair change will be that there will not be a Women's Building or youth entries. This is for the current year only.

4-H CLUB MEETINGS

4-H Clubs will be able to begin meeting again! YEAH!!! Some changes will be required from what we have done previously. Club Managers will be contacting you soon about meeting plans. Be sure to get re-enrolled so that you don't miss anything.

Don't forget about the Teen Council Garage Sale that will be held on Saturday, August 22 from 8 - 1 pm at the corner of 19th and Brentwood Circle. Please contact Ronda if you have any donations for them.



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