



Merry Christmas!
KLEBERG-KENEDY 4-H NEWSLETTER
DECEMBER 2024



With the holidays upon us, Let us give thanks to the people that have surrounded us with harmony. The 4-H program has evolved from countless, selfless people that have enriched the lives of so many youth. We are thankful for their time and effort of the 4-H Program.

Merry Christmas and a
Prosperous New Year!

The Kleberg-Kenedy
County
4-H Newsletter contains
information on activities,
events, and deadlines that
allows families to select
their interest in the
respective project(s).

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Coming Up

- **Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show entries DEADLINE 1/06**
- **Kleberg-Kenedy Junior Livestock Show late entries 12/1**
- **Foster Child Christmas Gift project Deadline 12/09**
- **Foster Child Christmas Gift project and Scavenger Hunt Christmas Food Drive 12/09**
- **Paper Clover Dates: November 29th – December 15th**

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<http://www.facebook.com/klebergkenedy4H>

Americans with Disability Act of 1990:

Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service, or accommodation in order to participate in any 4-H event are encouraged to contact the County Extension Office (361.595.8566) at least two weeks in advance of the program to see how reasonable accommodations can be made.

School Eligibility:

Kleberg-Kenedy County AgriLife Extension Service complies with the law set forth by legislature regarding eligibility and school absences. Members competing or simply participating in a 4-H event (judging events, presentations, livestock shows, etc.) must be certified as eligible to participate by their respective school. School Officials will be provided with a list of students entered in competitive/non-competitive 4-H events. Should a student be ineligible according to their school, 4-H members will be notified in writing of their ineligibility status by our office.

4-H Council Meetings for the year:

Dates:

September 16th

November 4th

January 13th

March 3rd

May 5th

- **All meetings will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the County Extension office.**
- **Club managers make your council delegates aware of the council meetings during your regular monthly club meetings.**

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KKJLS Rulebooks:

If you would like a hardcopy, please come by the Extension Office to pick one up.

Please note several changes as you prepare for the upcoming show.

Rulebook will also be available on: kkjls.com

AgStart Loan Program at Capital Farm Credit

Is your family interested in participating in youth livestock projects, but rising input costs have prevented you from taking the next step? Capital Farm Credit offers a loan program that may be your solution. The AgStart Loan program provides youth interested in agriculture projects with the tools and resources they need to prepare for a successful career in the agricultural industry. This loan program is available to 4-H and FFA members involved junior market, breeding and commercial livestock projects.

The funds can be used to purchase and care for a junior livestock project or for a general purpose youth agricultural loan and must be repaid following the sale of the animal(s). The AgStart Loan Program is designed to offer educational and financial awareness to youth while supporting the next generation of farmers and ranchers.

For more information, visit [AgStart Loan Program | Capital Farm Credit](#) or contact Kendall Huey at Kendall.Huey@CapitalFarmCredit.com.

Foster Child Christmas Gift project :

Annual Foster Child Christmas Gift project. Gifts will be provided to foster children on December, Monday 9th at 5:30 p.m. at the Extension Office. Arrangements have been coordinated through Child Protective Services who provide a list of foster children under their care. 4-H Clubs will be providing gifts to two foster children. Council Officers will be providing one gift to a foster child. Each gift should be a minimum of \$20, placed in a Christmas bag (can't be wrapped), and delivered to the Extension Office by Monday, December 9th.



Scavenger Hunt Christmas Food Drive

The Annual Scavenger Hunt Food Drive is scheduled for Monday, December 9th ; 6:00 p.m. at the Extension Office. Activities will begin with the presentation of the Foster Child Christmas gift project to Child Protective Services followed by the popular Scavenger Hunt Food Drive. The nonperishable food items collected will be given to a local food pantry and/or County Indigent Office for distribution to needy families. Everyone is invited for snacks and refreshments. Anyone interested is encouraged to attend!

Permission Slip



To Whom It May Concern:

We do hereby consent and agree that it is satisfactory for our minor son/daughter, _____, to attend any 4-H activity. We do not hold the County Extension/Office or Club Managers, or any other person connected with this activity responsible for liability of bodily injury or any other damages or loss sustained or suffered while said minor is at said function.

Function: 2024 Scavenger Hunt Food Drive

(Participant will ride with adult volunteer in personal vehicle)

I also hereby grant permission and authorization to the County Extension Agent, Club Manager, or project Leader to see and obtain such emergency care, first aid, or medical treatment as may be necessary in the event my child should be injured in any manner or should become ill for any reason.

Date

Parent Signature

POP THE TOP

Save your pull tabs to make a difference for kids and their families.

Contest begins with the new 4-H year on September 1.

You will have the entire 4-H year to collect your tabs!

All tabs are due to the Extension Office at the May 6, 2025 County Council meeting.



IRS FILING:

Please complete this requirement. Clubs not filing for three consecutive years will automatically lose their tax-exempt status. Revocation of the organization's tax-exempt status will happen on the filing due date of the third consecutively-missed year.



DEADLINE: DECEMBER 20, 2024

New Paper Clover Dates: November 29th – December 15th

To embrace the holiday spirit, the Paper Clover campaign moved from October to November and December this year, officially launching on Black Friday! Running from November 29th to December 15th, we are thrilled that TSC is hosting this event during the season of giving. Members are encouraged to ask family members and friends to support the campaign by purchasing paper clovers.

Club Managers will be contacted directly for work schedule.



2024 Texas 4-H Foundation Opportunity Scholarship

Important Dates:

November 1, 2024 – Application will be available online

February 15, 2025, by 11:59 PM – Deadline to Apply

April 25-27, 2025 – Interviews in College Station

May 2025 – Award Notifications

June 2025– Scholarship Banquets in College Station



<https://texas4hfoundation.org/about-scholarships/>

District 12 Southern Classic Prospect Show

NOVEMBER 22, 2025 - DIMMIT COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

District 12 4-H is announcing the District 12 Southern Classic Prospect Show!

The prospect show will be open to 4-H and FFA members 3rd through 12th grade!

We will be hosting a clinic in the morning for cattle, lambs, goats, and hogs with a prospect show to follow lunch!

Rabbits and Poultry will have clinics in the morning (no prospect show)!

District 12 Photography

NEW! RULES AND GUIDELINES RELEASED!

District 12 4-H has updated the rules and guidelines to the District 12 Photography Contest! Please review the information <https://d124-h.tamu.edu/4-h-event/photography/> as many contestants will start taking their pictures NOW!

3 NEW categories have been added to reflect the State Photography Contest! This will allow a total of 19 categories per age division to be entered into the contest!



KLEBERG-KENEDY COUNTY

DIGITAL FASHION STORYBOARD CONTEST

Want to learn more?

Go to the District 12 4-H Website:
<https://d124-h.tamu.edu/4-h-event/fashion-show/>

Please send all Digital Fashion Show entries to Ms. Lopez email:
Phyllishia.lopez@agnet.tamu.edu

Digital Fashion Show Storyboards will be due by:
December 9, 2024

**If you have any question please the
Extension Office at 361-595-8566**

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EXTENSION

MEMORANDUM

To: District 12 County Extension Agents

Subject: 2025 District 12 4-H Digital Fashion Storyboard Contest

District 12 will be hosting the 4-H Digital Fashion Storyboard Contest for 4-H'ers in District 12. The contest will be open to all three age divisions (Junior, Intermediate, and Senior).

The Design Brief will be Greener Future. As environmental awareness rises, upcycled and recycled fabrics are becoming pivotal in fashion and interior design. Circular fashion, emphasizing the reuse and recycling of materials, is revolutionizing the industry by merging sustainability with style. Your challenge is to create a digital storyboard that embodies this eco-conscious movement, showcasing how sustainable materials can be transformed into innovative and stylish products for 2025. Let your storyboard reflect the principles of circular fashion and inspire others to make eco-friendly choices that are both trendy and responsible. The title for each storyboard is Design for a Greener Future. The title should help the viewer to understand the overall theme or feel of the storyboard. *A unique description under the title can be added to the storyboard to add your own creativity.* All entries must be saved as a PDF, JPEG, JPG, or PNG. The contest will be done online including submission of storyboards and judging.

The 2025 District 12 4-H Digital Fashion Storyboard Contest Rules are attached and currently available on the District 12 4-H website at <http://d124-h.tamu.edu>.

of Entries per County

Each county is allowed one (1) Digital Fashion Storyboard entry per category in each of the three age divisions for a total of 18 eligible storyboards. Counties should plan on hosting a county storyboard contest to determine which entries will qualify for the District contest. Counties with multiple entries in the same category could result in disqualification of those entries for that category and age division.

Age Division	# of Entries
Junior	6 (1 per category)
Intermediate	6 (1 per category)
Senior	6 (1 per category)
Total Per County	18 Entries Max

Registration, Fees and Deadline

Each 4-H'er will register and pay through **4-H Online** for the Digital Fashion Storyboard which will require uploading (PDF, JPEG, JPG, or PNG) their digital storyboard. The registration fee will be \$10.00 per contestant. Online registration will be open December

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19, 2024, and will end January 8, 2025. Payments made by 4-H check must be postmarked within three business days of registration submission. No late entries will be accepted. No refunds will be given.

There will not be a late registration period or on-site registration. NO REFUNDS will be given to a county and/or individual. This makes it very important for registrations to be correct. Payment is due prior to the event date. Please note, once you submit your registration for approval, you are agreeing to fulfill payment for registration regardless of whether or not you attend this event. **If you have a balance with Texas 4-H or District 12 4-H on 4-H Online, you will not be allowed to participate until the balance is paid IN FULL.**

Submitting Digital Fashion Storyboards

All digital storyboards must be submitted as part of the **4-H Online** registration process. Please read the submission rules and requirements very carefully to prevent disqualification of entries. **Digital Fashion Storyboard must be in the correct format (PDF or JPEG/JPG/PNG for proper evaluation).** Entry steps, categories and other submission requirements are included in this resource.

Attention Juniors & Intermediates: There will be different submission and judging requirements for Juniors and Intermediates this year. Seniors remain unaffected by these changes and will follow state guidelines.

- **Submissions:** Entries submitted may be **either a digital design or a photo** of an actual poster creation. In other words, they may create their design on poster board, take a photo of the design, and submit the photo as their entry. It is going to require a photo with good quality, lighting and focus to make sure it can be judged equitably. All other requirements remain unchanged.
- **Judging:** There will be no distinguishable difference or preferences given to either type of submission referenced above. Entries will be evaluated based on content, and not on the type of entry (**digital design or photo**). Either type image should be of adequate quality to allow for judges to see/review/evaluate content easily.

Judging and Judges

All entries with submitted eligible digital storyboards will be judged between January 10th via an online evaluation process. To ensure uniformity in the judging process all state judging criteria will be used for all submitted storyboards, except as not above. Be sure to review the attached judging guidelines. All judges will be able to evaluate entries and provide individual feedback for respective fashion storyboards. Counties are encouraged to identify any volunteers that may be qualified to serve as a judge. A formal solicitation of judges will be forwarded to county 4-H coordinators closer to the event.

Awards

A summary of the results will be available **after the judging and tabulation period** and will be posted online. The award structure will be as follows for all eligible submissions:

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Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show:

If interested in entering the Rio Grande Livestock Show with a breeding animal, please submit entries to the Extension Office no later than January 6, 2025.

No entries will be accepted after January 6th.

Entry forms can be retrieved at: <https://www.rgvls.com/>

Please submit entry form and payment by the deadline. NOTE: Provide copy of registration papers for all breeding animals if required by the breeding division.

2024-2025

Kleberg- Kenedy County 4-H Club Information



Animal Round-Up 4-H	Christina Gonzalez	(361) 720-1819	TBA	TBA	Contact Manager
Country Wranglers 4-H	Christina Titus	(361) 522-7707	2nd Sunday	7:00 PM	Ricardo Baptist Church
Douglass Youth Center 4-H	Lisa Clore	(361) 522-5257	2nd Sunday	5:00 PM	Douglass Youth Center
	Nichole Saenz	(361) 522-4718			
Lil Bit of Everything 4-H	Victoria Guevara	(361) 522-1869	3rd Sunday	3:00 PM	Riviera VFD
	Crystal Jimenez	(361) 455-2570			
Lone Star 4-H	Stacie Ewers	(361) 522-7421	2nd Tuesday	6:30 PM	184 E CR 2120, Kingsville
Outdoor Country 4-H	Jennifer Alexander	(361) 455-6053	3rd Sunday	3:00 PM	347 Brenda Lane
Ricardo JackRabbits 4-H	Elias Arredondo	(361) 449-0987	1st Sunday	4:00 PM	Ricardo Jackrabbits Headquarters 232 W CR 2163
Ricardo Lucky Leaf 4-H	Carmen Tankersley	(361) 455-0106	2nd Monday	6:30 PM	Ricardo School Cafeteria
	Leslie Cortez	(361) 228-3995			
Santa Gertrudis 4-H	Julie De La Rosa	(361) 522-5997	2nd Monday	6:30 PM	Santa Gertrudis High School
Sarita Vaqueros 4-H	Leroy Salinas	(361) 296-4562	1st Sunday	2:00 PM	Sarita School Cafeteria
	Juli Salinas	(361)-296-4636			
South Texas Junior Leaders 4-H	Cynthia Bustamante	(361) 228-1288	2nd Sunday	2:00 PM	KC Hall on 14th Street/Zoom
TJLAers 4-H	Tracy Beadle	(361) 296-4667			Prospect Shows - Please contact for Date/Time/Place
Trailblazers 4-H	Melissa Green	(361) 455-1224	2nd Sunday	4:30 PM	Kleberg County Extension Office
Wild Horse Desert 4-H	Angela Bull	(361) 443-5262	3rd Sunday	4:00 PM	TBA

Updated: 08/13/2024

Kleberg-Kenedy County Junior Livestock Show Association, Inc.

P. O. Box 648
Kingsville, Texas 78364-0648

A 501(c)(3) Organization

Text: 361-219-9062

FEIN: 51-0195386

2025 VALIDATION DATES

KLEBERG-KENEDY COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW ASSOCIATION, INC.

BEEF:	August 24, 2024 (Saturday) TAMUK Farm 8:00-10:00 a.m.	State Steer and Heifer Validation June 25 (Tuesday) and June 27 (Thursday) 2024 **Specific date/time will be sent to families** TAMUK Farm (309 N FM 1355) (Next to City/County Health Department)
SWINE:	November 16, 2024 (Saturday) J. K. Northway Parking Lot (East Side) 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	State Swine Validation November 9, 2024 (Saturday) Kingsville FFA Farm 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
LAMBS:	October 29, 2024 (Tuesday) Kenedy County Agriculture Education and Conservation Center / Sarita 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	State Lamb Validation October 28, 2024 (Monday) 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Riviera FFA Ag Farm
GOATS: COMMERCIAL DOES:	October 29, 2024 (Tuesday) Kenedy County Agriculture Education And Conservation Center / Sarita 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	State Goat Validation October 28, 2024 (Monday) 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Riviera FFA Ag Farm
RABBITS:	November 2, 2024 (Saturday) / Intermediate Breeder Validation November 2, 2024 (Saturday) / Validation for Breeder Bucks and Breeder Does November 2, 2024 (Saturday) / Validation of Does bred for kindling Market Rabbits & Single Fryers 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. January 4, 2024 (Saturday) / Validation for Market Rabbits & Single Fryers 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Location for all Rabbit Validations: J. K. Northway Coliseum / East Side, Brown Building October 21, 2024 (Monday) breeding date for rabbits Spot Checking will start after November 24, 2024 (Sunday)	
PEE-WEE GOATS:	December 14, 2024 (Saturday) Kenedy County Agriculture Education and Conservation Center / Sarita 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	
PEE-WEE HOGS:	December 2, 2024 (Monday) / Showmanship Clinic / Do not bring pee wee pigs to validation 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 pm. 5450 South Highway 77 / 4R BBQ	
PEE-WEE CATTLE:	December 8, 2024 (Sunday) 1:30 - 2:00 p.m. Riviera Ag Farm	Pee Wee Cattle Clinic 2:15 - 3:30 p.m. Riviera Ag Farm
PEE-WEE RABBITS:	No Validation but MUST HAVE VALID ONLINE ENTRY on ShoWorks	
STOCK HORSE:	October 26, 2024 (Saturday) 5:00-7:00 p.m. / 6044 U.S. Highway 77 South, Riviera, Texas	
FARM SHOP:	December 15, 2024 An online form will be used for validation of Farm Shop Projects	
POULTRY:	Delivery and Handout of Market Poultry Broilers will be held at Ricardo Ranch and Feed in Ricardo on December 20, 2024. Chicks will be available for pickup between TBD. Time may be adjusted if delays are encountered with delivery. (This is the best information we have at this time. We encourage you to please call 361-846-0165 or 361-296-4000 for verification of delivery time. Mr. Colston will also have an email list serve with updated information regarding chicks and distribution so please check your email messages around this time.)	
YOUTH HOMEMAKING	Online Validation will start Friday, November 1, 2024. The template will be on the kkjls and county extension websites: email to kkjls_homemaking@hotmail.com In Person Validation will be Tuesday, January 7, 2025 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Kleberg County Extension Office Deadline for Validation is Tuesday, January 7, 2025 at 10:00 p.m.	

Updated: 10-22-24

KLEBERG-KENEDY COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW ASSOCIATION, INC.

2025 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 2025

7:30 p.m. KKJLS Scholarship Concert

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19, 2025

4:00 p.m. Queen's Contest, TAMUK – Jones Auditorium

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2025

8:00 a.m. Check-In of Pee Wee Rabbits

8:30 a.m. Pee Wee Rabbit Show

10:00 a.m. Check-In of Pee Wee Pigs

11:30 a.m. Pee Wee Pig Show

1:30 p.m. Check-In of Pee Wee Goats

2:30 p.m. Pee Wee Goat Show

4:30 p.m. Check-in of Pee Wee Cattle

5:00 p.m. Pee Wee Cattle Show

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2025

8:00 a.m. Set up for Livestock Show

10:00 a.m. Check-In and Registration for Horse Show

11:00 a.m. Horse Show, J. K. Northway Coliseum – Outdoor Arena

4:00 - 7:00 p.m. Youth and Adult Homemaking Entries Check-In

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 2025

9:00 a.m. Judging of Youth Homemaking

9:00 a.m. Judging of Adult Homemaking

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 2025

9:00 a.m.-12 noon Farm Shop Exhibits Check-In

4:00-7:00 p.m. Arrival, Weighing, Sifting and Classifying of Breeding & Market Rabbits, and Fryer Rabbits (must be in line by 7 p.m.)

9:00 p.m. Barn Closes — All exhibitors, parents, guests, and vendors must be out of barn

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, 2025

7:30 a.m. Barn Opens

10:00 a.m. Judging of Breeding Rabbits, Market Rabbits, and Fryer Rabbits followed by Rabbit Showmanship

10:00 a.m.-2:00 pm Arrival of Market Swine (must be in assigned pen by 2 pm)

1:00-4:00 p.m. Arrival and Sifting of Poultry

10:00-8:00 p.m. Youth & Adult Homemaking Exhibits on Display - Open to the Public

1:00-9:00 p.m. Commercial Exhibits open to Public

12:00-4:00 p.m. Arrival of Breeding Cattle and Market Steers (must be in assigned stall by 4 pm)

2:00-5:00 p.m. Weighing, Sifting and Classifying of Market Swine

4:00-5:00 p.m. Weighing, Sifting, and Classifying of Breeding Cattle and Market Steers

4:00-6:00 p.m. Arrival, Weighing, Sifting of all Goats and Commercial Does (must be in line to check-in by 6 pm)

4:00-6:00 p.m. Arrival, Weighing, Sifting and Classifying of all Lambs (must be in line to check-in by 6 pm)

5:00 p.m. Youth Homemaking Awards announced

6:00 p.m. Poultry Judging

11:00 p.m. Barn Closes – All exhibitors, parents, guests, and vendors must be out of barn

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 2025

6:00 a.m.	Barn Opens
10:00 -8:00 p.m.	Youth & Adult Homemaking Exhibits on Display - Open to the Public
9:00 a.m.	Judging of Market Lambs followed by Lamb Showmanship
10:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.	Commercial Exhibits open to public
10:00 a.m.	Judging of Farm Shop Exhibits
11:00 a.m.	Judging of Commercial Does immediately followed by Judging of Market Goats followed by Goat Showmanship
5:00 p.m.	Farm Shop Awards announced
6:00 p.m.	Judging of Market Swine followed by Swine Showmanship
6:00-7:30 p.m.	Silent Sale of Youth Homemaking Rosette Winners
11:00 p.m.	Barn Closes – All exhibitors, parents, guests, and vendors must be out of barn

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 2025

6:00 a.m.	Barn Opens
9:00-10:00 a.m.	Arrival of Stock Horse Futurity Projects
10:00-8:00 p.m.	Youth & Adult Homemaking Exhibits on Display – Open to the Public
10:00 am-9:00 pm	Commercial Exhibits open to public
11:00 a.m.	Judging of Stock Horse Futurity
4:00 p.m.	Judging of Breeding Cattle and Market Steers followed by Beef Cattle Showmanship
8:00-9:00 pm	Youth & Adult Homemaking Projects must be picked up
9:00 p.m.	Barn Closes – All exhibitors, parents, guests, and vendors must be out of barn

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2025

12:00 noon	Presentation of Special Awards & Recognition
1:00 p.m.	AUCTION SALE OF STOCK HORSE, FARM SHOP, YOUTH HOMEMAKING, SWINE, BROILERS, RABBITS, GOATS, LAMBS, AND STEERS

All take home projects must be removed from the barn within 30 minutes of the conclusion of the auction. All entries MUST check-out with the General Superintendent or Division Superintendent (per the show rules).

ALL EXHIBITS AND CARNIVAL OPEN TO PUBLIC ALL DAY

2024 SOUTH TEXAS SERIES

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JK NORTHWAY EXPOSITION CENTER - KINGSVILLE, TEXAS

SOUTH TEXAS SERIES

SEPTEMBER 21-22 2024

NOVEMBER 2-3 2024

DECEMBER 21-22 2024

STEER AND HEIFER CHECK IN: 9:00-10:00 A.M.

LAMB AND GOAT CHECK IN: 8:00-9:00 A.M.

PIG CHECK IN: SATURDAYS 12:00-1:00 P.M.

SUNDAYS 8:00-9:00 A.M.

Saturday Schedule:

Steers: A, B, C, and D

Lambs: A, B, C, and D

Pigs: A and B

Sunday Schedule:

Heifers: A, B, C, and D

Goats: A, B, C, and D

Pigs: C and D

Barns open: Friday, 4:00 p.m. | RV spots available - \$25/night

PIGS MUST STALL 2 PER PEN. BRING DIVIDERS

NO TACK ALLOWED IN STALL AREA!

**PENS ARE AVAILABLE ON A
FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS!
NO SAVING PENS OR STALLS!**

AIR-CONDITIONED FACILITY

OVER 210 BUCKLES AWARDED IN THE SERIES.

MUST ENTER 2 OF 3 SHOWS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR SERIES BUCKLE.

ENTRY FEES:

ALL SPECIES \$25 PER HEAD, PER RING

NO REFUNDS

LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED-LATE FEE \$10 PER HEAD

Count as many head as you show.

**Series winner buckles awarded at the end
of the December show.**

SERIES FEE:

**ONE TIME FLAT FEE OF \$50 OR PURCHASE
OF CURRENT YEAR RAFFLE TICKET**

**AWARDS GIVEN IN ALL 4 RINGS
AT ALL SHOWS**

Make checks payable and mail to:

South Texas Series | c/o Tracy Beadle

603 S CR 1110 | Riviera, Texas 78379

Entries must be postmarked the Monday before each show.

For more information call Tracy Beadle, 361-296-4667

We accept cash, check, credit card and cash app!

Embracing our Past. Engaging our Present. Defining our Future.

The Norman Borlaug Youth in Agriculture Program is an academic enrichment program for outstanding high school students from around Texas. This experience pursues to immerse urban and rural youth in solving complex challenges in our state, requiring leaders from both backgrounds to deliver solutions.



Faculty will support students through a multi-faceted educational strategy, paired with instilling proven professional habits; positively impacting the trajectory of the next generation of leaders.

Students will learn first-hand about the needs and challenges of Texas' urban and rural communities while learning valuable civic, social, and leadership skills.

NBYAP is sowing the seeds of collaborative relationships in Texas communities and creating the next generation of leaders sharing their stories.

"WITHOUT FOOD, MAN CAN LIVE AT MOST BUT A FEW WEEKS; WITHOUT IT, ALL OTHER COMPONENTS OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ARE MEANINGLESS."

-Norman Borlaug

1970 Nobel Peace Prize Laureate
Credited with saving more than one billion lives



RURAL APPLICATION



URBAN APPLICATION

Thank You, Program Sponsors!



Save the Date!

**4-H, FFA and Jr. MANRRS
Youth Leadership Program
at the 2025 American Farm
Bureau® Convention**

Sunday, January 26th, 2025

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Henry B Gonzalez Convention Center
San Antonio, TX**



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**HIDALGO COUNTY
4-H & FFA
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QUALIFIER**

DECEMBER 15, 2024

Location: Mission Skeet & Trap Club
1306 S. Conway Avenue Mission, Texas 78573

**DISCIPLINES:
50 TRAP & 50 SKEET**

Secure your spot
before 12/8/24
by visiting:
ICLAYS.COM

REGISTRATION FEE
\$80
PER MEMBER
INCLUDES LUNCH

Shooting Begins: 8am

Questions? Contact:

Hidalgo County Extension Office (956)-383-1026

Aaron Alvarado (956)-393-7678

January 3rd-
January 5th

**TEEN
RETREAT**

REGISTRATION
FEE
\$170

Join us in January for Teen Retreat! (this is not Camp Ambassador training)
Teen retreat is a fun camping experience for those teens ages 14-18
(current HS senior) who have aged out of traditional camp (ages 8-13).
During the weekend we will explore everyone's favorite camping activities
from archery/rifery, high-ropes, low-ropes challenge course, songs,
dances, and games, and of course a campfire!

Texas 4-H Conference Center
5600 FM 3021
Brownwood TX, 76801

MORE INFORMATION

WWW.Texas4HCenter.tamu.edu
(325)-784-5482

4-H MEMBER CONTESTS AT "BUC DAYS"

Buc Days Clays 4-H Youth Shoot

Date(s): February 22-23, 2025

Location: Corpus Christi Gun Club

\$35,000 in prize money and scholarships

NEW: Male & Female Division!

Info/Registration: <https://bucdays.com/buc-days-clays-4-h-shoot/>

Buc Days Construction Junior

Date: May 3, 2025

Location: Throughout Buc Days Festival grounds

Informational Meeting on October 29th, 2024, at the Buc Days Office

Info/Registration: <https://bucdays.com/buc-days-construction-junior/>

Buc Days Food Show

Date: May 9, 2025

Location: On Buc Days Festival grounds in the American Bank Center Exhibit Hall

\$7,500 in prize money

Info/Registration: <https://bucdays.com/buc-days-food-show/>

Buc Days Food Challenge

Date: May 10, 2025

Location: On Buc Days Festival grounds in the American Bank Center Exhibit Hall

\$5,000 in prize money

Info/Registration: <https://bucdays.com/buc-days-food-challenge/>