

Cochran County 4H Newsletter

Enrollment Information

Annual 4-H youth Re-enrollment or enrollment for 4-H Connect begins September 1st Cost is \$25 through October 31st, fee, then, changes to \$25 after October 31st. Adult enrollment fee is \$10

<https://4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>

Upcoming D-2 Events

4/6 – D2 Meat Judging

4/15- D2 Photography Entries due

4/23 - Horse Judging

5/1 - D2 Livestock Judging

5/2- Indoor Archery

Invitational Judging Contests

3-27 WT Judging

4-11 TTU Judging

4-17 SPC Judging

Why is Livestock Judging Important?:

1. Critical Thinking

2. Public Speaking 3. Communication 4. Confidence

5. Time Management 6. Teamwork

Livestock judging can be a stepping stone for those interested in careers in the livestock industry, such as animal science, veterinary medicine, or livestock grading.



Shooting Sports Guidelines:

Age Classifications Texas 4-H Member Categories

- Junior: Grades 3, 4, and 5
- Intermediate: Grades 6, 7, and 8
- Senior: Grades 9, 10, 11, and 12

Youth may participate in 4-H from September 1st of grade three through August 31st following completion of grade twelve, with these age restrictions:

- Minimum age - 8 (in addition to being in the 3rd grade) as of August 31st of the current year.
- Maximum age - 18 (as of August 31 of the current 4-H year)

- Archery
- Shotgun
- Pistol (NEW)

Calendar 2026:

There's Always Something To Do! Important 4-H Dates
All Upcoming 4H Events

4/6- Meat Judging

4/11- Rifle

4/13- Grass ID and Soil Judging

4/13- Storyboard Entries Due

4/15- District Photography Entries Due

4/20- Duds to Dazzle and Fashion Show

4/23- Horse Judging

4/27- District Roundup- Educational Presentations/Public Speaking/ 4-H Talent Showcase

5/1- Livestock Judging

5/2- Indoor Archery and Entomology

5/27-29- Junior Leader Lab- Registration opens 4/1

6/11-13- Power Camp

7/9- Record Book Judging

Persons planning on attending can request the need for special accommodations relating to hearing impaired or any other special need. *Texas A&M AgriLife Extension is an equal opportunity employer and program provider.*

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