

TEXAS A&M AGRI LIFE EXTENSION

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Eastland County

4-H Focus



November 2022



T.J. Cummings

Amy O'Brien-Glenn

The members of Texas A&M AgriLife provide equal opportunities in programs, education and employment, without regard to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, genetic information, or veteran status.



Club Meeting Dates



Carbon 4-H Club

**Monday, November 14th
@ 6:00PM**

Carbon Christian Academy
515 Anthracite St Carbon, TX

Club Leader: Randi Gibson

Phone: 254-631-9353

Email: randilynngibson@gmail.com

Cisco 4-H Club

**Thursday, November 17th
@ 6:30PM**

Myrtle Wilks Community Center
1498 I-20 Frontage Rd Cisco, Tx

Club Leader: Sarah Sellers

Phone: 817-602-2251

Highway 6 4-H Club

**Tuesday, November 1st
@ 5:30PM**

Leon River Cowboy Church
491 CR 447 Eastland, TX

Club Leader: ShaMarie Tamminga

Phone: 325-642-5336

Email: shamarietamminga@gmail.com

Rising Star 4-H Club

**Tuesday, November 1st
@ 4:30PM**

First Baptist Church
306 N Main Rising Star, TX

Club Leader: Caryl Lawrence

Phone: 325-642-8616

Email: hccattlecompany@gmail.com

Adult Leaders & 4-H County Council

Wednesday, November 16th @ 5:30PM

County Extension Office

102 N Lamar Ste 307 Eastland, TX 76448



Practice Dates



Archery

Monday, November 21st

@ 5:30PM

*This will be the last practice of 2022.
Practices will resume in March of 2023.*

Eastland Archery Range
CR 536 Eastland, TX

Project Leader: TJ Cummings
Phone: 254-629-2222
Email: tj.cummings@ag.tamu.edu

Rifle

Monday, November 14th

@ 5:30PM

*This will be the last practice of 2022.
Practices will resume in March of 2023.*

Eastland Rifle & Pistol Club Range
599 CR 536 Eastland, TX

Project Leaders:
TJ Cummings & Judge Jon Glenn
Phone: 254-629-2222
Email: tj.cummings@ag.tamu.edu

Plant ID

Monday, November 7th

@ 4:30PM

The Blue Store in Carbon
205 N Hwy 6 Carbon, TX

Project Leaders:
TJ Cummings & ShaMarie Tamminga
Phone: 254-629-2222
Email: tj.cummings@ag.tamu.edu

Photography

There will not be a
photography practice
this month.

Project Leader: Carolina Boelter
Phone: 254-629-2222



Practice Dates



Eastland County Corn Club



Food Challenge



Wednesday, November 9th

Wednesday, November 30th

@ 4:00PM

County Extension Office
102 N Lamar Ste 307 Eastland, TX

Project Leader: Amy O'Brien-Glenn
Phone: 254-629-2222
Email: amyobrien-glenn@ag.tamu.edu

Ag Product ID

Wednesday, November 9th

Wednesday, November 30th

@ 5:30PM

County Extension Office
102 N Lamar Ste 307 Eastland, TX

Project Leader: Amy O'Brien-Glenn
Phone: 254-629-2222
Email: amyobrien-glenn@ag.tamu.edu



For my club, my community, my country, and my world.

Stitching Saturdays

Youth: 2nd Saturday of each month

Adults: 3rd Saturday of each month

@ 10:00AM

JT Ranch Quilt Shop
106 Conrad Hilton Blvd Cisco, TX
Phone: 254-433-9050

\$20—supplies included
\$25—supplies and lunch included



4-H ENROLLMENT



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**ALL 4-H members will need to re-enroll for the 2022-2023 year.
2022-2023 enrollment will open on September 1st.**

The enrollment fee increased to \$30 on November 1st.

****All 4-H members who plan on participating in Rifle, Archery, Food Challenge and/or Duds to Dazzle, must be enrolled before attending their first practice****

QUALITY COUNTS

All 4-H members, 3rd grade and above, who plan to participate in any major stock shows will need a Quality Counts number.

All members who will be showing for the first time or members moving into a new age division will need to complete the Quality Counts curriculum and test at the following link: <https://www.texaslivestockvalidation.com/qc/qcregister.aspx>

****Entries for major stock shows cannot be submitted without a Quality Counts number****

For more information, please call the Extension Office at 254-629-2222.





STOCK SHOW ENTRY DAY



Tuesday, November 1st

8:00AM—7:00PM

@ Eastland County Extension Office

**All stock show entries and payments are due to the
Extension Office on this date**

Major stock show entries require a Quality Counts number to enter

We can only accept cash or check.

Checks should be made payable to “Eastland County Ag Fund”.

All payments will include a \$5 processing fee per family, per stock show.

**If you cannot make it to the office on this day, please call
us in advance to make other arrangements.**

For more information, please call the
Eastland County Extension Office at 254-629-2222.





DISTRICT 8



HOLIDAY CLASSIC

Saturday, November 5th—Sunday, November 6th

Bell County Expo Center

301 W. Loop 121 Belton, TX

Barns open at 6:00AM on November 5th

All livestock must be in the barn by 11:00AM

Open to all 4-H and FFA members in grades 3-12. No entry fee.

SHOWMANSHIP CLINIC

Saturday, November 12th

@ 9:00AM

Sheep & Goats Only

Gorman FFA Show Barn

Open to all 4-H and FFA members!

For more information, please contact the

Eastland County Extension Office at 254-629-2222.





SWINE VALIDATION



Tuesday, November 15th

ECLRA Show Grounds

2PM—6PM

All county and major show pigs must be present at validation
(both market and breeding animals)

RABBIT VALIDATION

Tuesday, December 13th

ECLRA Show Grounds

4PM—6PM

All market rabbits must be present at validation.

Breeding rabbits do not need to be at validation, but must text
TJ Cummings at 254-488-1249 with the following information:

Exhibitor's name, rabbit's age, sex, breed and tattoo.

*If you need assistance getting your animals to
validation, please contact the Eastland County
Extension Office at 254-629-2222.*





DISTRICT 8 4-H FOOD SHOW & FOOD CHALLENGE CONTESTS



**Wednesday, December 14th
Bell County Expo Center
301 W Loop 121 Belton, TX**

All 1st Place County Food Show winners will advance to the District 8 Contest.

All 1st and 2nd Place County Food Challenge teams will advance to the District 8 Contest.

DISTRICT 8 4-H AG PRODUCT ID CONTEST

**Thursday, December 15th
@ 9:00AM**

**Lakeview Baptist Church
7717 TX-317 Belton, TX**

**Entries are due to the Eastland County Extension
Office by 5pm on Friday, November 18th.**





COURTHOUSE & ANNEX CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATING



Eastland County 4-H will be decorating the Eastland County Courthouse and Courthouse Annex Christmas Trees.

Saturday, November 19th

@ 10:00AM

Come join us for this community service opportunity!

EASTLAND COUNTY 4-H CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 3rd

2:30PM—5:30PM

The Majestic Theater will open at 2:30pm for everyone to get refreshments and find a seat. (Enrolled 4-H members will receive a free popcorn and drink, family members/friends will need to purchase their own refreshments).

Free admission for all 4-H members, family and friends.

Movie begins at 3:00pm. (Will end at approximately 4:30pm)

We will walk over to the Judge Scott Bailey Center after the movie for Christmas activities and games. Bring a \$10 gift (inspired by your 4-H project) for a fun Christmas gift exchange!



Head over to One Starry Night and the Lighted Christmas Parade with your parents at 6pm for more holiday fun!





EASTLAND COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW



January 11th-14th

ECLRA Show Grounds

475 Hwy 3101 Eastland, TX

Entries due: Monday, November 21st

**Late entries will be accepted until 8pm on Wednesday, January 11th
and will be subject to a \$50 late fee**

Entry fees:	Cattle \$20	Commercial Heifers \$35	
	Sheep \$15	Goats \$15	Hogs \$15
	Broilers \$15	Turkeys \$15	Rabbits \$15

Entry forms and rule books can be picked up at the Eastland County
Extension Office or found at:

<https://eastland.agrilife.org/eastland-county-livestock-show/>

For more information,
please call the Extension Office at 254-629-2222.





EASTLAND COUNTY



CREATIVE ARTS CONTEST

January 11—13, 2023

Hutto-Humiston Building

ECLRA Show Grounds

**All contests are open to all Eastland County residents,
age 5 and up, including professionals!**

Youth Entries \$1 Adult Entries \$2 Professional Entries \$3

Contests include Art, Photography, Baking, Canning and Sewing!

Entries must be turned in at the ECLRA Show Grounds, Hutto-Humiston Building, on Wednesday, January 11, 2023 between 9am and 7pm.

Baking entries must be turned in at the ECLRA Show Grounds, Hutto-Humiston Building, on Friday, January 13, 2023 between 8:30am and 10:00am.

Judging will begin at 3:00pm on Thursday, January 12, 2023.

Judging for baking entries will begin at 10:30am on Friday, January 13, 2023.

Display will begin at 12:00pm on Friday, January 13, 2023.

All entries must be picked up between 5pm and 7pm on Friday, January 1, 2023.

For more information, call the Eastland County Extension Office at 254-629-2222.

Rules and entry forms can be found at <https://eastland.agrilife.org/fcs/creative-arts-contest/>





UPCOMING DATES



- 4-H Enrollment fee increases to \$30—November 1st
- District 8 Holiday Classic—November 5th & 6th
- Sheep, Goat & Pig Showmanship Clinic—November 12th
- Pig Validation—November 15th
- District 8 4-H Ag Product ID Contest entries due—November 18th
- Eastland County Stock Show entries due—November 21st
- Rabbit Validation—December 13th
- District 8 4-H Food Show and Food Challenge in Belton—December 14th
- District 8 4-H Ag Product ID Contest—December 15th

UPCOMING STOCK SHOWS

- SandHills Stock Show & Rodeo—January 4th—14th
- Eastland County Stock Show—January 11th—14th
- Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo—January 13th—February 4th
- San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo—January 25th—February 19th
- San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo—February 9th—26th
- Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo—February 28th—March 19th
- Austin Livestock Show & Rodeo—March 3rd—25th

