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Eastland County

4-H Newsletter



August 2023



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

Club Meetings will resume
in September.

Have a great summer!

Club Leader: Randi Gibson

Phone: 254-631-9353

Email: randilynngibson@gmail.com

Cisco 4-H Club

Club Meetings will resume
in September.

Have a great summer!

Club Leader: Sarah Sellers

Phone: 817-602-2251

Highway 6 4-H Club

Club Meetings will resume in
September.

Have a great summer!

Club Leader: Shandy Monty

Phone: 254-631-7105

Rising Star 4-H Club

Club Meetings will resume in
September.

Have a great summer!

Club Leader: Caryl Lawrence

Phone: 325-642-8616

Email: hccattlecompany@gmail.com

Adult Leaders & 4-H County Council

Wednesday, September 20th @ 5:30PM

County Extension Office

102 N Lamar Ste 307 Eastland, TX 76448



Practice Dates



Archery

Archery practices will resume in September.
Have a great summer!

Project Leader: Randi Gibson

Rifle

Rifle practices will resume in September.
Have a great summer!

Project Leader: Judge Jon Glenn

Pistol

Pistol practices will resume in September.
Have a great summer!

Project Leader: Chris Gibson

Beginning Sewing

“Make and Take”

Saturday, August 12th

10AM—2PM

JT Ranch Quilt Shop

706 Conrad Hilton Blvd Cisco, TX

\$25.00 per member

Bring good scissors, seam ripper,
fabric pins and lunch.

Call 254-629-2222 to sign up.



EASTLAND COUNTY 4-H RECORD BOOK JUDGING CONTEST



Junior Division

Fashion & Interior Design	1st Place	Stella Monty
Natural Resources	1st Place	Sawyer Monty
Poultry	1st Place	Mason Thurman
Visual & Performance Arts	1st Place	Izza Kochoa

Intermediate Division

Fashion & Interior Design	1st Place	Karsyn Dodrill
Goats	1st Place	Alysha Lankford
Public Speaking	1st Place	Pebbles Whitaker
Shooting Sports	1st Place	Colton Dodrill
	2nd Place	Urie Kochoa
Swine	1st Place	Canon Harris
Visual & Performance Arts	1st Place	Saylor Monty

Senior Division

Leadership	1st Place	Ryleigh Whitaker
Poultry	1st Place	Colt Lawrence
Rabbits	1st Place	Samantha Strickland
Visual & Performance Arts	1st Place	CJ Chaney



Congratulations to these hardworking 4-H members!





DISTRICT 8 4-H RECORD BOOK JUDGING CONTEST



Junior Division

Fashion & Interior Design	5th Place	Stella Monty
Natural Resources	1st Place	Sawyer Monty
Poultry	2nd Place	Mason Thurman
Visual & Performance Arts	2nd Place	Izza Kochoa

Intermediate Division

Fashion & Interior Design	5th Place	Karsyn Dodrill
Goats	3rd Place	Alysha Lankford
Public Speaking	1st Place	Pebbles Whitaker
Shooting Sports	4th Place	Colton Dodrill
Swine	8th Place	Canon Harris
Visual & Performance Arts	1st Place	Saylor Monty

Senior Division

Leadership	2nd Place	Ryleigh Whitaker
Poultry	5th Place	Colt Lawrence
Rabbits	4th Place	Samantha Strickland
Visual & Performance Arts	2nd Place	CJ Chaney



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TEXAS 4-H PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST



Carolina Boelter—Animals (Domestic)—Red Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Animals (Wildlife)—Blue Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Catch-All—Blue Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Elements of Design—Blue Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Enhanced—Blue Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Landscape/Nature—Red Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Motion/Action—Blue Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—People—Red Ribbon
Carolina Boelter—Theme (Reflections)—Red Ribbon

Congratulations Carolina!

TEXAS 4-H FASHION SHOW

CJ Chaney—Construction, Theater/Costume—2nd Place

Congratulations CJ!

TEXAS 4-H PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

Ryleigh Whitaker—1st Place

***Ryleigh will be advancing to the
National 4-H Public Speaking Contest!***



Congratulations Ryleigh!





4-H ENROLLMENT

V2.4HONLINE.COM



ALL 4-H Members & Adult Volunteers will need to re-enroll for the 2023-2024 year.

2023-2024 enrollment will open on September 1st.

The enrollment fee is \$25 until October 1st, and increases to \$30 on November 1st.

****All 4-H members who plan on participating in the Eastland County Stock Show must be enrolled in 4-H by October 31st****

****All 4-H members who plan on participating in Archery, Pistol, Rifle and/or Food Challenge, 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://agrifilearn.tamu.edu/s/product/quality-counts/01t4x000008HBZdAAO>

****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.





4-H COUNTY COUNCIL FUN DAY



Friday, August 11th

11:00 AM—2:00 PM

**Inez Springs Riverfront Resort
10505 I-20 Frontage Rd Eastland, TX**

Calling all 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 4-H County Council officers and members!

Join us for some fun at Inez Springs Resort!

Lunch & admission will be provided for all council members
(siblings and family members are welcome to attend, but will need to pay their own admission and bring a lunch)

HUNTER SAFETY EDUCATION COURSE

Saturday, August 26th

9:00 AM

Judge Scott Bailey Event Center

102 N Lamar St Eastland, TX

\$15.00 per attendee

To register, please visit:

<https://tpwd.elementlms.com/course-category/hunter-education-field-course/>

Before attending, visit the Texas Parks & Wildlife website and take the free TPWD Online Course. Print out your completed quizzes, and bring it with you!

<https://tpwd.texas.gov/education/hunter-education/online-course/introduction>

You will not receive your certification without completing the online course and bringing a copy of your TPWD Quizzes with you!



VALIDATION & CHICKEN ORDERS



Sheep & Goat Validation Tag Orders—due August 18th
Tags will be \$15. Payment is due at time of order.

Pig Validation Tag Orders—due September (date TBA)
Tags will be \$15. Payment is due at time of order.

Heifer UIN Orders—due September (date TBA)
UINs will be \$25. Payment is due at time of order.

Chicken Orders—due October (date TBA)
Further information will be released when available.

Sheep & Goat Validation—October (date TBA)
Further information will be released when available.

Heifer Validation—October (date TBA)
Further information will be released when available.

Pig Validation—November (date TBA)
Further information will be released when available.

Rabbit Validation—December (date TBA)
Further information will be released when available.





***Thank you to all of our helpers,
sponsors & donors for the
Eastland County 4-H Awards Banquet!***

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Nancy Doyle
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Sarah & Justin Sellers**

