Tarrant County 4-H Leadership

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For more information about 4-H Projects, opportunities, programs, or activities, please call 817-884-1291 or visit us at 200 Taylor Street, Suite 500 (building entrance faces Burnett Street).

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Happy Valentine’s Day
**County Council Meetings**

The 4-H Youth County Council meetings are open to 4-H members age 9 and older. Meetings provide opportunities for youth to meet, share ideas, plan, and implement activities with other youth throughout the county. Each club is encouraged to send 2—3 representatives to each meeting. Club representatives typically include the President and 1—2 Council Delegates.

The next County Council Meeting will be on **February 28, 2011**.

**Adult Leader Meetings**

The Adult Leaders Association met in December, in lieu of their January meeting. The 4th Monday in March is a county holiday and the building will be closed. Therefore, please note that the March ALA meeting will be **Tuesday, March 29th** at 7:00 p.m. Each club is invited to send representatives.

Anyone who is planning to pick up supplies or copies at an ALA meeting should email their requests to Nanci & Cindy at least 2 days prior to the meeting.

**4-H Resources**

Check out these links:

**County 4-H**
http://agrilife.org/urbantarrant4h/

**State 4-H**
http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/

**Texas 4-H Center**
http://texas4hcenter.tamu.edu/

**4-H Online enrollment**
https://texas.4honline.com/Login.aspx434850372944385D5E0F390D

4-H Mall
Www.4-Hmall.org
District Photography Contest

The District IV Photography Contest will be held on February 22, 2011. Registration will be made on 4-H Connect by February 22, 2011. Photos must be turned in to the 4-H office by February 22, 2011. Entry fees are $8 for initial entry per individual and then $0.50 for each additional entry after initial entry. One photo per class per individual. This contest is NOT a qualifying event for the State Photography Contest. Rules and Guidelines available at the 4-H office.

For more information regarding this contest please contact Cindy Bryant at CPBryant@ag.tamu.edu or call at 817-884-1291. Information can also be accessed at the District IV website.

County Fashion Show Contest

FASHION SHOW CONSUMER BUYING
In the Consumer Buying Division, youth will consider a garment to add to their wardrobe. Then the member will compare garments from at least 3 different types of stores (department, boutique, discount, online, resale, etc.) and purchase the best option.

The contest will include submission of paperwork and explaining to judges why the specific garment was the best choice. Additionally, participants will model the chosen garment.

Categories include:
- Dressy – ensembles worn to dressy events, theatre, banquets, special interviews, etc.
- Casual – for school and casual activities such as picnics, spectator sports, etc.
- Specialty – athletic & special-purpose garments, costumes, etc.
- Formal – garments for formal evening events and weddings.

FASHION SHOW CONSTRUCTION
In the Construction Division, youth will learn basic sewing skills as they construct their garments. For the contest, each participant will submit paperwork, model the garment made, and inform the judges about her/his Clothing & Textiles activities and what she/he has learned.

Categories include:
- Dressy-ensembles worn to dressy events, theatre, banquets, special interviews, etc.
- Casual-for school and casual activities such as picnics, spectator sports, etc.
- Specialty-athletic & special purpose garments, costumes, etc.

County Fashion Show Contest Continued

FASHION SHOW STORYBOARD
A new division this year is the Storyboard. The purpose is to provide an opportunity for members to create a storyboard of an original design. It provides an opportunity to gain knowledge of the career responsibilities of a fashion designer and illustrator, enhance creativity and originality, and develop visual communication skills.

There is no interview portion to this contest. Additional information can be found at the Texas 4-H website link, http://texas4h.tamu.edu/storyboard/index_storyboard.php

Categories include:
- Wearable: Includes pants, shorts, skirts, coats, dresses, etc.
- Jewelry: Includes necklaces, bracelets, rings, Non-wearable: Includes pillows, organizers, stuffed animals, home accessories, etc.
- Pet clothing: Includes items that can be worn by a pet or other animal. The County Fashion Show contests will be conducted on March 31, 2011. Registration forms are due by March 15, 2011. Forms will be available on the Tarrant County 4-H website under Current Events soon.
Share the Fun

The Share the Fun event is a talent contest which provides an opportunity to be creative, share your talents, and share in the fun with 4-H youth across the county. Youth may participate individually or within age division groups. Categories are provide to encourage youth to showcase “traditional talents,” as well as those that are “very creative and unique”.

The contest will take place on **March 25, 2011**. The entry forms are due on **March 4, 2011**.

The categories are:
- Poetry/Prose
- Vocal
- Musical Instrumental
- Solo/Band Performance
- Choreographed Routines
- Celebrate 4-H

To see a complete lists of Rules and Guidelines and the entry form go to the 4-H website under Current Events.

4-H Dog Day

Mark your calendars for the 4-H Dog Day event to be held on **March 12, 2011** at the Will Rogers Memorial Center Show Arena from 10:00 am to 4:00 p.m. The address is 3401 Lancaster, Fort Worth.

The event is free except for the Agility Fun Run. Demonstrations include obedience/rally/agility/conformation and showmanship. Topics covered will be basic dog care/dog safety/nutrition/grooming/responsible dog ownership. A canine good citizen exam will be given.

The Agility Fun Run has standard and jumper courses. You do not have to be a 4-H member to participate.

For more information regarding this event please contact Gail Petell at gapetell@sbcglobal.net or Larissa Daily at lvdaily2006@yahoo.com

Dog Show

Once again Paws A Plenty will be hosting the Tarrant County 4-H Dog Show which will be held **April 16, 2011** in Azle starting at 10 am.

The show is open to all 4-H members. With a variety of classes, there is sure to be something for everyone! We will have a photography contest, breed id contest, showmanship, conformation, obedience, trick, costume and drill team classes.

Information and registration form will be available in March.
We also have a silent auction!

Please contact Larissa Daily at 214-402-5314 or lvdaily2006@yahoo.com for more information.
County Food Show Results

**Senior**
Fruits & Vegetables
Tressa Watkins 1st

**Intermediate**
Main Dish
Phoebe Butler 1st
Kathryn Hearn 2nd
Fruits & Vegetables
Robbie Scevers 1st
Mikayla Bucholtz 2nd
Esther Butler 3rd
Rebekah McCullough 4th

**Junior**
Main Dish
Jair Polk 1st
Fruits & Vegetables
Katie Scevers 1st
Faith Butler 2nd
Olivia Butler 3rd
Bread & Cereal
Hope Butler 1st
Elisha McCullough
Nutritious Snack
Mollie Molinar 1st
Cassidy Pelkey 2nd

Clover
Nutritious Snack
Josiah Butler Participant

Dog Quiz Bowl Results

**Senior Team-1st Place**
Andrea Petell
Alaina McGruffree
Kathryn Hearn
Morganne Matthews

**Junior Team-3rd Place**
Emmie Abrams
Marina Innes
Senet Amn

Educational Presentation

Congratulations to all the 4-H members who participated in the Educational Presentation. Good luck on your advancement to District.

**Seniors**
Adam Harrison Agronomy
Chloe Kozak Agronomy
Cameron Milton Computer Tech.
Gage Milton Computer Tech.
Stephanie Frank Food Nutrition
Samuel Faulkner Open
Emily Titus Open
Kate Atwood Promote 4-H
Megan Maynard Promote 4-H
Tressa Watkins Promote 4-H
Sarah Titus Public Speaking

**Intermediate**
Patton Maynard Computer Tech.
Emily Frank Consumer Life
Makenna Ruder Food Nutrition
Kathryn Kozak Horticulture
Milton McCrae Horticulture
Lindsey Nance Horse
Daniel Harrison Housing Home
Carolyn Frank Safety Injury Prev.

**Junior**
Trace Howard Computer Tech.
Zachary Harper Shooting Sports
Peyton Ruder Open
Joy Young Safety Injury Prev.
Briggs Milton Family Life
McKyn Milton Clothing Textile
County Photography Results  

Senior Division

**Animals-Domestic**
- Riley Bruton-Blue
- Tressa Watkins-Blue
- Katie Leonard-Red

**Animals-Wildlife**
- Katie Leonard-Blue
- Andrew Frank-Red
- Gage Milton-Red

**Catch All**
- Katie Leonard-Blue
- Riley Bruton-Blue
- Cameron Milton-Blue

**Details & Macro**
- Tressa Watkins-Blue
- Katie Leonard-Blue
- Maeve Touhey-Blue

**Digital Darkroom**
- Tressa Watkins-Blue

**Elements of Design**
- Katie Leonard-Blue

**Nature & Landscape**
- Katie Leonard-Blue
- Tressa Watkins-Blue
- Stephanie Frank-Blue
- Andrew Frank-Blue
- Riley Bruton-Red

**Night Photography**
- Grady Bruton-Blue
- Maeve Touhey-Blue

**People**
- Riley Bruton-Blue
- Katie Leonard-Blue
- Grady Bruton-Blue
- Stephanie Frank-Red

**Plant/Flora**
- Katie Leonard-Blue
- Maeve Touhey-Blue
- Grady Bruton-Red

County Photography Results  

Intermediate Division

**Animals-Domestic**
- Amanda Roach-Blue
- Amber Greenwood-Red

**Animals-Wildlife**
- Elizabeth Leonard-Blue
- Carolyn Frank-Red

**Elements of Design**
- Elizabeth Leonard-Red

**Marine/Aquatic**
- Elizabeth Leonard-Blue

**Nature/Landscape**
- Elizabeth Leonard-Blue
- Amber Greenwood-Red

**People**
- Elizabeth Leonard-Blue
- McCrae Milton-Blue
- Amber Greenwood-Red
- Emily Frank-Red

**Plant/Flora**
- Emily Frank-Blue
- Carolyn Frank-Red

County Photography Results  

Junior & Clover Division

**Animals/Domestic**
- Jessica Frank-Blue
- Kristina Jury-Red
- Kate Callihan-Red

**Animals/Wildlife**
- Jenna Nichols-Red

**Catch All**
- Briggs Milton-Blue

**People**
- McKalyn Milton-Blue
- Jessica Frank-Red

**Plant/Flora**
- Kate Callihan-Blue

**Clover Kids**
- Anna Claire Bucholz-Participant

**People**
- Felicity Roberts-Participant
- Abby Ketcherside-Participant
- Abby Bass-Participant
The Tarrant County Junior Livestock Show will be held **February 17-19, 2011** at Will Rogers Memorial Center, Swine Barn. Local 4-H and FFA members will be exhibiting a variety of projects. Plan to attend and encourage all participants.

**Horse O’ Rama**

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**March 11-13, 2011**

For those of you interested in Horse O’ Rama all information can be downloaded from our web page: http://tarrant.tamu.edu, click on Supporting Agriculture”, then (Click on) the Horse O’ Rama logo. Entry is free for all events to the public. HOR is an 81 class “Open All Breed” Horse Show in the John Justin arena. Please give Ken Johnson a call at 817-884-1946 if you need more information. We need volunteers to help out with this event. Please let Ken know if you can serve in this area.

**Livestock Shows**

Fort Worth-January 14-Feb. 15
San Antonio Feb 3-20
TCJLS Feb. 17-19
San Angelo Feb. 17-27
Houston March 1-20

“We can do no great things, only small things with great love.”

Mother Teresa

“He is richest who is content with the least.”

Socrates
Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, services, or accommodation in order to participate in meetings or events are encouraged to contact Cindy Bryant CEA-4-H at 817-884-1291 ten days prior to the event.