

# Brazoria County 4-H News

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Dates have changed!!! Please check out all the updated information.



# **Gulf Coast Classic**

August 6th, 2016

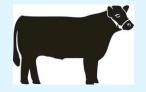


Registration is currently open for the 2016 Gulf Coast Classic held on August 6, 2016 at the Brazoria County Fairgrounds. This event is open to all FFA & 4-H members.

### Visit <a href="http://agrilife.org/brazoria4h/gcc/">http://agrilife.org/brazoria4h/gcc/</a> to register.

This is a great opportunity for families to learn more about managing livestock projects before they make a purchase. We will have **educational workshops** for cattle, swine, sheep, goats, rabbits and poultry. Youth can also participate in the **prospect shows** for steers, heifers, sheep and goats that same day.

We will give away **numerous door prizes!** Follow the links to the <u>flyer</u> and <u>show rules</u> for more information. This event is organized by a partnership with Brazoria, Fort Bend, Galveston and Harris County Extension Offices. We look forward to another great event in 2016.









Educational programs of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service are open to all people without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, genetic information or veteran status. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating. Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service or accommodation in order to participate in any Extension activity, are encouraged to contact the County Extension Office for assistance 5 days prior to the activity.



BCFA
Important dates!
See flyer for BCFA
Validation and entry deadlines.



Re-enrollment will begins **August 15, 2016** for the 2016-2017 4-H year. Each member will need to update their information on 4-H Connect and pay the enrollment fee. The fee is \$20 until October 31, 2016. The fee will increase to \$25 November 1<sup>st</sup>.







# Robotics Project



Design, Build, & Program your way in 4-H Robotics!
The Robotics project will begin meeting on September 19th from 4pm-6pm
Please let Courtney know you are interested clatour@ag.tamu.edu or call 979-864-1558 to reserve your spot for this extraordinary project



## **County 4-H Ambassador Program**

Courtney Latour will now be taking over the Ambassador Program.

Please allow time for this transition to take place.

If you have questions please contact Courtney Latour at <a href="clatour@ag.tamu.edu">clatour@ag.tamu.edu</a>

### **Recordbook Training**

Come get your recordbook started off right for the



### **Club Manager Training**

from 6:30-8:00p

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### **Major Show Heifer Validation**

### Orders for UIN's due August 18th

UIN's will be \$11.00
Please call or stop by the 4-H Office for more information

### **Club Officer Training**

August 4th from 1:00-5:00pm

If you are new to being in office

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### Parent's Association

Committee Meetings

Finance - August 18th - 6:30pm

General August 22nd - 7:00pm

September 26th - 7:00pm

# Major Show Sheep & Goat Validation

### Tag orders due August 18th

Tags will be \$11.00 each. Please stop by or call the 4-H office for more information

### **Major Show Turkey orders**

Orders for San Antonio, Houston, and Rodeo Austin are due to the 4-H Office

August 26th by 5pm

## **MYOB Entrepreneur**

Minding Your Own Business Workshops will be held on the following dates this summer for \$20 a participant for all of the workshops. MYOB will be working on creating items to sell at the Clover Corner booth in November. We are always looking for new things to create or learn about, join MYOB to develop new skills! RSVP to Cameron at your earliest convenience.

August 5<sup>th</sup> 10am August 17<sup>th</sup> 10am

# Don't forget!!! Another opportunity to get out in the ring!

# TEXAS CATTLE SHOWDOWN





### 4 Sanctioned TCCA Rings & Non-Sanctioned Commercial class

Standard TCCA Format- 3 head or less combined
Official TCCA Class breaks No heifers older than Jan. 2014



## Breed Champion Buckles in Ring D

Must enter all four rings to be eligible for Buckle Breed Champion Prizes in Ring C and Ribbons in ring B



NEW

#### Clover Kid Class

For ages 6 to 8 years old Ring A only \$20 entry fee
Classes will be ARB or ORB Buckles for Breed Champion
Excludes TCCA eligible exhibitors- including Mini Herefords exhibitors

Follows showmanship



## Jackpot Showmanship

Jackpot 60/40 split for 1st eL 2nd Place Buckles for Junior, Senior and Adults Classes

Peewee Showmanship Prizes for All

Every heifer entry will be put in a drawing for a pair of clippers

### Entry information

Entry fee: \$20 per head per ring-ring A, B, & C \$40 per head Ring D

NO Refunds

Make checks Payable to:

Alvin Stock-n-Stuff 4H

Mail entries to; 18615 Amoco, Pearland. TX 77584

### Schedules

Check in: Friday- 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Saturday: 7:00 am - 800 am Show Saturday- 9:00 am Showmanship

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> For more information contact Sandra Sheffield 281-433-5756 Email: alvinstock-n-stuff@hotmail.com

> > Concession available

Hey guys!

Kelsey here.....

In the journey of life you meet people who are hard to forget. I'm glad to have met and had the blessing of being your County Extension Agent this past year. I have had the opportunity to work with and guide the best youth in Brazoria County and the State of Texas. From long night planning meetings to preparing teams for contests to watching those 4-Her's be successful and grow as young adults is what I will never forget. Parents and volunteers don't think I forgot about you! You are the glue that keeps this program running successfully. I want to thank each and every one of you who has helped in guiding Brazoria County 4-H in the right direction.

This is not a goodbye. I cannot say goodbye to those whom I grown to love, the memories I have made here in Brazoria County will last a lifetime, and they'll never know a goodbye.

I will be leaving Brazoria County next week to take another step along the path the lord is leading me down.

I'll make this easy for everyone, rather than saying goodbye, let me tell you hello in advance for the next time I get to see my Brazoria County family.

Till next time,

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