

Make the Best Better Messenger Brazoria County 4-H December 2022

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NO DECEMBER COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

Cassidy will begin her maternity leave sometime early December and will be out till mid March. For any questions, please email Yania Rawlins, Shana Kutac or Jessica Chase. Their contact information is to the left of this page.



Our office will be closed December 23rd & 26th for the Christmas Holiday, and

New Year's Day



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DECEMBER

2022

SUN. MON. TUES. WED. THURS. FRI. SAT.

				01 Champions 4-H @7PM	02 County Roundup	03 County Roundup Horse Project- Jingle Bell Play Day -
04	Alvin 4-H @ 7 PM Jones Creek 4-H @ 6 PM Midway 4-H @ 7 PM	O6 Alvin Stock-n- Stuff 4-H @ 6:30 PM On Target 4-H @ 6:30 PM1 Sweeny 4-H @ 6:30 PM	7 PM	08 Halfway 4-H @ 7 PM Scholarship Workshop and Q&A - Via Teams	09 Southern Classic Youth Livestock Project Experience - Brazos County - Dec 9-11	10
11	12 Runners & Gunners 4-H @ 7 PM 2023 Rodeo Houston 3rd annual writing competition - Deadline to register	13 Danbury 4-H @ 7 PM	14	15 Spirit Riders 4-H @ 6:30 PM	16	17
18	19 Angleton Willing Workers 4-H @ 7 PM	20	21 Horse Advisory Committee Meeting Invitational Quiz Bowl - Registration Deadline		23 Office will be closed for Christmas Holiday	24
25	26 Office will be closed for Christmas Holiday	27	28	29	30	31 Last Day to order Texas 4-H Jerky Jackpot



To Kaila, Wyatt and Olivia, Texas 4-H
Livestock Ambassadors, for your Ag
Mythbsuter presentation at Captain Shishka
Bob. You made at a big success.













CONGRATULATIONS

JUNIOR LEADERSHIP LAB

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TO ALL BRAZORIA COUNTY **4-H MEMBERS AT THE 1ST 4-H HORSE POINT SHOW!**



















CONGRATULATIONS

To Brazoria County 4-H Members competed at the Manvel FFA Shoot.



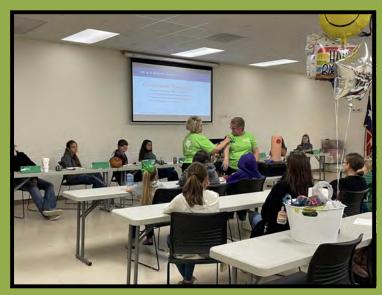




Cowboy won 3rd place youth shooter and the youth team of Cowboy, Hagen, Ashton & Jenna won 3rd place junior team!. Great job!

NOVEMBER'S COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

We had guest speakers that gave a Stop the Bleed presentation, awarded our \$1,000 Pecan Fundraising Salesman jackets, and had a Snack Potluck!



















BRAZORIA COUNTY COUNCIL & 2022-2023 MEETINGS



DECEMBER-NO MEETING MARCH 27, 2023

JANUARY 23, 2023 APRIL 24, 2023

FEBRUARY 27, 2023 MAY 22, 2023

All meetings start at 7 pm at the 4-H Extension Office

Parents Your Invited To Come Join Us

Brazoria County 4-H Parent Association

December - No Meeting March 27, 2023

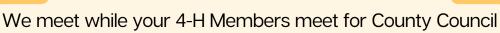
January 23, 2023 April 24, 2023

February 27, 2023 May 22, 2023



All meetings begin at 7 p.m.

Held in the Conference Room of the 4-H Office







FOOD WORKSHOPS

Ask Cassidy how you can also sign up online!

OCTOBER

Topic: Knife and Fruit Salad Workshop

Date: Monday, 24th Time: 5:30 p.m.

Location: AgriLife Extension

Office

Leader: Michelle Wilson Christie Hernandez

Supplies: Knife and Cutting

Board

NOVEMBER

Topic: Outdoor Cooking

Date: Saturday 5th - Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: Camp MoHawk
Tent Camping area

Leader: Leslie Hargrove

Supplies: Knife and Cutting

Board

Reschedule Date TBA

DECEMBER

Topic: Food Challenge & Food

Show

Date: Friday 2nd & Saturday

3rd

Time: 6:00 p.m. & 9:00 a.m.

Location: AgriLife Extension

Office

JANUARY 2023

Topic: Etiquette & Place

Setting Contest

Date: Friday, 6th Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: AgriLife Extension

Office

Leader: Shana Kutac Sandy Sheffield

Supplies: Covered dish, place

setting, formal clothes

FEBRUARY 2023

Topic: Heart Health Nutrition

Date: Saturday 4th Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: AgriLife Extension

Office

Leader: Amy Crawford-

Fiallos

Supplies:

MARCH 2023

Topic: Regroup and Discuss

Date: TBA

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: Joe's BBQ

Leader: Shana Kutac

Supplies:

Fine Print:

Each workshop is \$10 (\$20 max per family) NO REFUNDS
Scholarships Available- Contact Shana Kutac

Limit of 25 people

MUST RSVP and pay by the Monday before workshop 979-864-1558

4-H Food Workshop RSVP Link - https://www.eventbrite.com/e/brazoria-county-4-h-food-workshops-tickets-349026907877







BRAZORIA COUNTY 4-H

OPEN ROBOTICS PRACTICE

Every 4th Monday of the month
Starting September 26th Thru May 22nd
4:30 PM to 6:30 PM | No practice in December
Brazoria County Extension Office
21017 CR 171, Angleton, TX 77515







FOR QUESTIONS EMAIL CASSIDY.MEYER@AG.TAMU.EDU 707-365-2720

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HORSE SHOWS & EVENTS

SAVE THE DATE!



QUESTIONS?

CONTACT OUR HORSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

MARGARET RAY

RAYMARGARET@ATT.NET

OR VISIT:

HTTPS://AGRILIFE.ORG/BRAZORIA 4H/PROJECTS/HORSE/ **November 12, 2022 - 1st Point Show**

January 21, 2023 - 2nd Point Show

February 11, 2023 - 3rd Point Show

April 22, 2023 - 4th Point Show

December 3,2022 - Jingle Bell Play Day

TBA - Gallopalooza

Brazoria Co. 4-H

WE ARE RECRUITING!



Brazoria Co. 4-H Horse Quiz Bowl Team

- 3rd-12th Grade
- Free books and study resources
- Meet new horse friends and show off your horse smarts!
- No horse needed
- Practices monthly before County Council meetings in Angleton, TX starting Sept. 26th @5:30PM



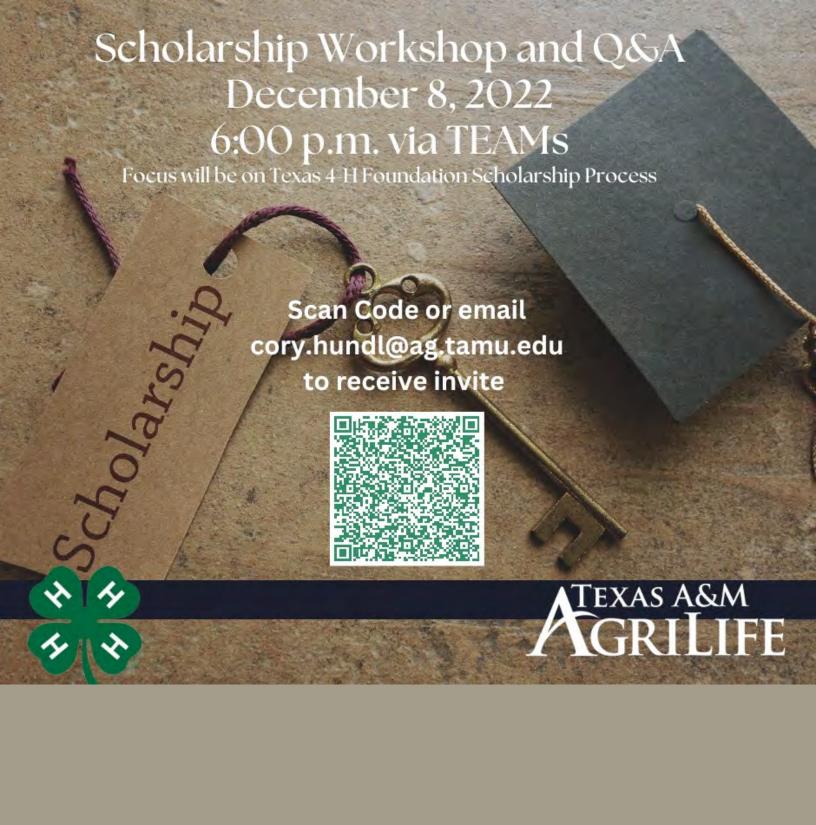
MORE INFO

email Coach Allie alexandralgee@icloud.com



Call/Text 832-992-3288 November 28 to Pre-Enter

WARDS WITH THE CONCESSIONS & SILENT AUCTION





What is Southern Classic?

An educational opportunity for new 4-H/FFA families participating in livestock projects to teach the basic principals of livestock management.

Open to youth 3rd-12th grades





December 9-11, 2022

Brazos County Expo Center 5827 Leonard Road, Bryan, TX 77807

Friday 4:00-7:00 PM Barns Open/ Check-in

Saturday
7:00 AM
Check-in
9:30 AM
Speed Judging/
Breakout Sessions

Sunday
Prospect
Shows
(You MUST
attend
Saturday to
participate)

NO OUTSIDE BEDDING MATERIALS Registration

Early Bird Registration......\$40/family
By December 6, 2021

Registration......\$50/family

December 7-12, 2021 (Register On-site)

To register and/or for more information visit:

https://walker.agrilife.org/4h/southern-classic-registration/





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Invitational Quiz Bowl

Livestock, Horse, and Family/Community Health



Friday
January 13, 2023
Walker County Storm Shelter
455 State Highway 75N
Huntsville, TX 77320

10:30 a.m. to End.

Registrants will be emailed week of event with exact order of game time slots



- Questions taken from the Texas 4-H Reference List (https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/quiz/)
 - √ Junior (3rd 8th grades) and Senior (9th 12th grades) Divisions (Reminder: 4 member teams)
- Cost \$10/kid, register through 4-H Online (https://texas.4honline.com) by Wednesday, December 21st
 - √ Registration opens: November 30th
 - ✓ FFA Members: Team entry of \$40 Complete the form at the following link and mail a Chapter Check. Check – Texas A&M AgriLife -D-9 4-H at 1470 William D. Fitch Parkway, College Station, TX 77845 https://forms.office.com/r/drc1LVZCex
 - 4-H Members: Enter through 4-H Online using your 4-H enrollment account (Individual registration)
- Late entries accepted until January 9th at \$15/kid and \$60/Team
- NO on-site registration accepted

Prizes awarded to 1st place winning Junior & Senior teams of Livestock, Hase, & Family/Community Health

Questions? Contact Kristy Titzman at 936-435-2426 or kkcorley@ag.tamu.edu

TEXAS 4-H CAMP AMBASSADORS

Camp Counselors Needed

We are currently looking for High School Juniors and Seniors with a drivers license, or reliable transportation who are interested in volunteering for a week or more of summer camp.



- Leave the week with 50+Volunteer Hrs.
- Grow skills in time management and supervision of campers
- Will assist summer staff with programs
- Come to camp for FREE!!
- Are required to attend two training weekends at Texas 4-H Camp
- DO NOT NEED TO BE CURRENT 4-H MEMBERS





QUESTIONS??

Contact:

Alec Kiser

alec.kiser@ag.tamu.edu

(325) 241-9936

If you think that you are a good fit and would enjoy padding your resume while also having fun, then follow the QR code to show your interest!

FIRST TRAINING WEEKEND

January 6-8 2023! Hope to see you there!







PRESENTS:
THE 2023
JUNIOR PITMASTER
CHALLENGE
JANUARY 28, 2023



A SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

CONSISTS OF 2-5 PERSON TEAMS COMPETING FOR A \$20,000 SCHOLARSHIP!

*see rules and guidelines for further information

BBQ TEAMS WILL COMPETE IN 3 CATEGORIES CHICKEN, PORK SPARE RIBS, & BRISKET

ENTREE FEE \$150 PER TEAM

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE ENROLLED IN A HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR THE SPRING SEMESTER OF 2023

For more information:

EMAIL: YOUTHBBQ@SARODEO.COM VISIT: SARODEO.COM/PITMASTER











Multi Pack







We've been listening to y'all; Christmas Cards arenow on sale!

Congratulations to all of this year's winning designs!



New in 2023, the Texas A&M University Horticulture Department will host a 4-H Landscape Challenge. The Final Challenge will take place on Monday, June 5, 2023, in College Station, along with Texas 4-H Roundup week. This is not an official Texas 4-H Roundup contest; however, this week provided an excellent time for the Department to host this opportunity. For more information, visit horticulture/.



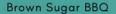
The 2023 RODEOHOUSTON Trailblazer Committee proudly announces its 3rd annual writing competition for 4th-grade youth. This year's theme is "If I had a pony." The competition is open to all 4th-grade students. Enter by December 12th.

https://www.rodeohouston.com/.../Exhi.../Writing-Competition



Choose from four GREAT flavors!







Sweet Smoked



Peppered Hickory



Valle Sagrade Chile

HELP BEEF UP TEXAS 4-H | INVEST IN YOUR LOCAL 4-H PROGRAMS

September 1st thru December 31st

Members! @texas4hfoundation is once again partnering with @bob.tallman.official for this years Texas 4-H Jerky Jackpot! Members you can win cool prizes like an iPad, AirPods, and a \$100 Amazon Giftcard!

To order: https://texas4hfoundation.givecloud.co/texas-4-h-jerky...



Welcome to Brazoria County 4-H! We are excited that you are interested in learning more about 4-H and the clubs that a young person can join in our county. If you have any questions about any of the clubs, please feel free to contact the club manager directly.

Alvin 4-H

Keila Crews & Britney Campbell Keila 713-857-2993 Britney 713-305-4763 keilacrews@gmail.com britneywhitehead@gmail.com 1st Monday of the Month 7:00 PM Nolan Ryan Center at Alvin

Community College (Building R)

3110 Mustang Rd, Alvin, TX 77511

Alvin Stock-n-Stuff 4-H

Sandra Sheffield 281-433-5756 stocknstuff4h@gmail.com 1st Tuesday of the Month 6:30 PM AYLAA Rodeo Arena Building 602 CR 351, Alvin, TX 77511

Angleton Warriors 4-H

Jennifer & Michael Fine
Jennifer 979-799-6884
Michael 281-250-0656
jfine@acs4me.org
mike.fine@nov.com
4th Monday of each month
(excluding December)
4:00 PM
Angleton Christian School

Angleton Willing Worker 4-H

Lari Scott
979-415-4620
triplecrown@texascrewboats.com
3rd Monday of the Month
7:00 PM
Triple Crown Ranch
2498 CR 220, Angleton, TX 77515

Champions 4-H Amber Stephens

ambervavrecka@yahoo.com

1st Thursday of the Month
7:00 pm
Brazoria County Extension Office
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Chenango Stellar 4-H

Contact 4-H Office 979-864-1558 cassidy.meyer@ag.tamu.edu 4th Tuesday of the Month 7:00 pm Westside Church of Christ Fellowship 831 Heights Rd, Alvin, TX 77511

976 Anchor Rd, Angleton, TX 77515

Danbury 4-H

Bebo Lambert
979-997-8044
bebo.lambert79@yahoo.com
2nd Tuesday of the Month
7:00 PM
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Halfway 4-H

Shae Horak
979-559-2040
shae@discoverydays.biz
2nd Thursday of the Month
7:00 pm
Live Oak Fish Farm
2459 CR 5, West Columbia, TX 77486

Jones Creek 4-H

Nicole Hardesty
979-665-2328
sthwndbuls@aol.com
1st Monday of the Month
6:00 PM
Stephen F. Austin Elementary
7351 Stephen F. Austin Rd.
Jones Creek, TX 77541



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Brazoria County 4-H Club Continued

Lake Jackson 4-H

Nicole Quinn 707-365-2720

bagladyquinn@yahoo.com

1st Monday of the Month (If it falls on a Holiday, it'll be

moved to the 2nd Monday).

6:00 PM

Brazosport Christian School

200B Willow Dr, Lake Jackson, TX 77566

Midway 4-H

Jessica Thomas 979-864-6745

midway4h@hotmail.com

1st Monday of the Month

7:00 PM

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On Target 4-H

Trixie McCall 979-864-9100

ontarget4h@yahoo.com

1st Tuesday of the Month

6:30 PM

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Runners & Gunners 4-H

Suzanne Schaffer 571-330-2329

equineedgeriding@gmail.com

2nd Monday of the Month

7:00 PM

1110 Indian Ridge

Rosharon, TX 77583

Spirit Riders 4-H

Michelle Hildebrandt 507-202-5484

imhildebrandt@yahoo.com

3rd Thursday of the Month

6:30 PM

Horsefeathers Ranch

2223 McKeever Rd,

Rosharon, TX 77583

Stockyard 4-H

Tanya Barba

713-530-9360

tanranmm@gmail.com

1st Wednesday of the Month

7:00 PM

Bighorn Barbeque & Burgers

2300 Smith Ranch Rd,

Pearland, TX 77584

Sweeny 4-H

Jessica Otto 281-728-4488

4hsweeny@gmail.co m

1st Tuesday of the Month

6:30 PM

First United Methodist Church

207 E 1st St, Sweeny, TX 77480



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