

SEPTEMBER 2018

CLOVER CHRONICLE

WHARTON COUNTY 4-H



New and Returning 4-H Members!

Annual enrollment is going on now at texas.4honline.com

4-H members who register prior to October 31, 2018 will be charged a participation fee of \$20.00. All registration done after this date will be \$25.00. All adult leaders and volunteers who register will be charged \$10.00 and will need to participate in a short orientation.

REMINDER: YOU MUST BE REGISTERED VIA 4-H CONNECT TO PARTICIPATE IN 4-H EVENTS.

Stay Connected



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[wharton4h](https://www.instagram.com/wharton4h)



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Upcoming 4-H Events



September 2018

- September 4: Parent Adult Leaders Association - 6:30 pm CEO
- September 4: County Council - 6:30 pm Social 7:00 pm Meeting CEO
- September 10: Vet Science - 6:30 pm CEO
- September 21: Major Show Swine tag orders due to CEO

October 2018

- October 2: Parent Adult Leaders Association - 6:30 pm CEO
- October 2: County Council - 6:30 pm Social 7:00 pm Meeting CEO
- October 7-13: National 4-H Week
- October 13: One Day 4-H
- October 16: Recordbook Workshop - 6:30 pm CEO
- October 21: County Food Show and Food Challenge - TBA
- October 22: Major Show Validation: Heifers, Goats and Lambs



Upcoming Livestock Judging Contests

2018-2019 Livestock Judging Contests

Contest	Day	Date	Registration	Contest	Location	Per Person	Per Team	Team Size	Age	Junior	Inter	Senior
Washington	Sat	9/22/2018	7-8 AM	8:15 AM	Brenham	\$10.00		3 or 4	Sept. 1, 2018	3rd-5th	6-8th	9-12th
Colorado	Sat	9/8/2018	7-8 AM	8:00 AM	Columbus	\$10.00		3 or 4	of Contest Date	13 - younger		14 - older
Waller	Fri	10/5/2018	8-9 AM	9:00AM	Waller	\$6.00			As of Contest Date	8-10	11-13	14 and up
Fort Bend	Sat	10/6/2018	7:00 AM	8:00 AM	Rosenberg	\$7.00	\$20.00		Sept. 1, 2018	3rd-8th		9th-12th
Jackson	Sat	10/10/2018	8:30 AM	9:00 AM	Edna	\$7.00	\$20.00	3 or 4		3rd-8th		9th-12th
Austin	Sat	10/13/2018	8-8:45 AM	9:00 AM	Bellville	\$10.00		3 or 4	Sept. 1, 2018	8-10	11-13	14 and up
Brazoria	Sat	10/20/2018	7:15-8:15 AM	8:30 AM	Angleton	\$10.00	\$30.00	3 or 4	Sept. 1, 2018	8-10	11-13	14 and up
Aggiefest	Sat	11/3/2018	7:30 AM	9:00AM	College Station	TBA			Sept. 1, 2018	8-11	12-14	15 and up



HEART O' TEXAS (WACO) ENTRY DEADLINE SEPTEMBER 12

The entry deadline for Heart O' Texas is Wednesday, September 12th. Please come by the CEO to fill out the necessary forms and pay entry fees if you plan on participating in the HOT. Call Ms. Laura at 979-532-3310 for more information.

4-H News

2018 Wharton County 4-H Fundraiser

As many of you know in order to have a successful 4-H program it is imperative that we have buy in to our fundraiser. Many of the great ideas and plans that we have to move forward and grow our program cannot be done without financial support.

This years fundraiser is a raffle for 20 high ticket items. We are only selling 600 tickets at \$50 each. Every ticket sold will have the opportunity to win multiple times, as each ticket will go back in after each drawing. **We are asking that each of our members sell at least 2 tickets.** It is our hopes that with the success of this fundraiser we will have the opportunity to provide not only some great experiences but also cover some costs for those that attend District and State contests and camps.

Your club managers will be receiving tickets to pass out at our September PALA meeting.

Please call Laura at 979-532-3310 if you should have any questions about the fundraiser.

Wharton County 4-H Raffle

\$50 per ticket - Only 600 tickets sold

The winning tickets will be drawn during the County Council meeting November 6, 2018

Each ticket drawn will go back in for another chance to win

- 1 Beretta 686 Sporting .20ga O/U Shotgun
- 2 2-Poly Parch Rockers
- 3 Kimber Micro 9 Stainless Pistol
- 4 iPad 9.7" HD Touchscreen 32 Gb, Case, Screen Protector
- 5 Ruger American Rifle 6.5 Creedmoor
- 6 4' Adirondack Glider - Neutral
- 7 Smith & Wesson 642 .38spl Revolver
- 8 4-6 person Duck Hunt in January 2019
- 9 Remington 870 Exp. Shotgun .12ga
- 10 2 - Adirondack Beach Chairs
- 11 Glock 43 .9mm Pistol
- 12 \$500 HEB Gift Card
- 13 Marlin 60 Rifle .22LR
- 14 2' Adirondack Glider w/cupholder & 17"x20" End Table - Neutral
- 15 Smith & Wesson Shield .9mm Pistol
- 16 Canon Powershot 20MP Digital Camera Bundle
- 17 KSA Crickett Tactical Rifle .22LR
- 18 Comfort Rocker & 17"x20" End Table - Neutral
- 19 Glock 42 Pistol .380
- 20 2-Adirondack Dining Chairs & 17"x20" End Table - Neutral

Proceeds benefit Wharton County 4-H* Need not be present to win
Prizes may be claimed by winner within 30 days of drawing. All prizes shall be awarded pursuant to federal and state law. Any and all reporting and tax withholding shall be pursuant to federal and state law. By purchasing this raffle ticket, ticket holder agrees to the rules and regulations, stated herein. All prizes are awarded with no refund or exchange policy. Ticket holder consisting of multiple individuals must be stated on ticket prior to drawing. One gift awarded per prize. Taxes are the responsibility of the winner(s).
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District 11 4-H Crossroads

November 8-10, 2018

Sam Houston State University

Registration is \$175 and can be done via 4-H Connect from
September 1st - October 12th

Open to 8th to 12th grade as of November 8, 2018

• Youth will be asked to select between 4 tracks, all tracks are extremely hands on.

1) Body in Motion: Get first-hand experience of career opportunities in sports management, physical therapy, sports training and coaching by participating in Sam Houston's Human Performance Lab, Athletic Training Lab and Body Movement Analysis Lab. Learn how your body moves and how changes in body motion can enhance strength and endurance to be the next Gold Medal Athlete.

2) Animal Science: Veterinary Medicine, Animal Breeding, Human Medicine, Equine Chiropractor, Horse Dentistry. Animal science is a dynamic field of study that provides many options for professional careers. Experience fields of study by understanding anatomy and physiology by dissecting critical systems and organs of the body, and comprehend reproductive physiology of food animals.

3) Forensic Science: Be the next crime scene investigator. Experience the process of human cadaver identification and much more. Learn to identify gender, age, animal bone vs human bone from real human and animal skeletons.

4) Engineering Technology: Learn the STEM concepts while allowing your creativity lead you to career opportunities with a degree path in Agricultural Engineering Technology.



Vet Science
Informational Meeting
September 10th
6:30 pm @ CEO

Wharton County 4-H Food Show and Food Challenge

October 21, 2018

please look for more information to come

Entries Due to the CEO October 12th

There are many changes in both the Food Show and Food Challenge contests this year. I have highlighted a few below but please be sure to read over the rules and guidelines.

Food Show

- Food Show Theme - Restaurant Re-Creations
- New Categories to follow the Food Challenge Categories: Nutritious Snacks, Main Dish, Fruits & Vegetables, and Breads & Cereals

Food Challenge

- Redesigned Scorecard
- Members per team: Each team will have at least 3 and no more than 4 members
- Updated Resource
- Updated Supply Box List along with the "Gadget of the Year"
- No recipe provided to contestants - teams will now determine the exact amount of each ingredients to use and must incorporate each ingredient into the dish
- Update Cost Analysis Guidelines
- Updated Presentation Criteria
- All team members, or at least a majority, should participate in the presentation



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District Guidelines can be found at the link below
<https://d114-h.tamu.edu/events-and-contests/food-show-and-food-challenge/>

4-H News

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October	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13 One Day 4-H!!!
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH ONE DAY?



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Lend a hand to YOUR community on One Day 4-H! This is an event that allows 4-H members, parents, and volunteers to help their communities through various types of service projects! This event is as flexible, complicated, straightforward, or intricate as you make it! Learn more and find resources at: <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/events/oneday/>

Fall is right around the corner!

Enjoy this delicious recipe from Mrs. Kashara



Creamy Crockpot Hot Chocolate

Ingredients:

- 6 cups milk
- 1 1/2 cups heavy cream
- 1 can sweetened condensed milk 14 oz.
- 1 package milk chocolate chips 12. oz
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Instructions: Add all ingredients to your crock pot set to low for 2 hours. Stir every 10 minutes or so to make sure it's well combined. Once all the chocolate chips are melted turn it down to the warm setting.

Optional: You could also set the crockpot to high for less time and stir more frequently. Once all the chocolate is melted you can turn the crockpot down to warm.

4-H Member Spotlight

2018 4-H AWARDS BANQUET



Congratulations to all of our winners! Special thanks to all who helped with decorations, facilitation and clean-up of the event.

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What We Do

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