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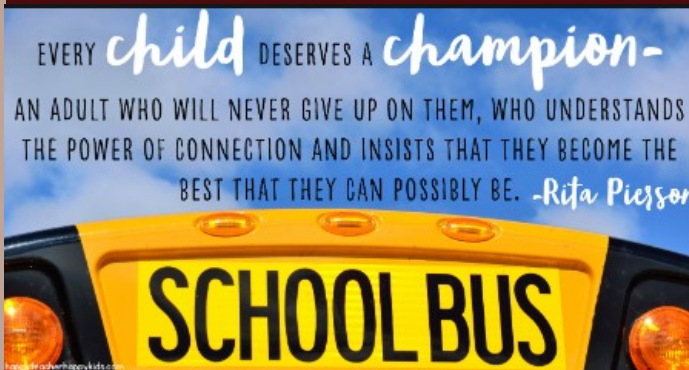
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REMINDER!

4-h Online Registration

IS NOW OPEN!



Sign up for 4-H at www.4honline.com

DO NOT CONFUSE THIS WITH
SIGN UP FOR THE STOCK SHOW
at www.uvalde.fairwire.com



UVALDE COUNTY



SEPT 4	4-H Council Meeting
SEPT 6	Utopia 4-H Club Meeting
SEPT 8	STEM Workshop
SEPT 12	Food & Nutrition Workshop
SEPT 13	Knippa 4-H Meeting
SEPT 13	Sabinal 4-H Meeting
SEPT 17	Uvalde Junior / Senior Club Meeting
SEPT 18	4-H Adult Organization Meeting
SEPT 20	4-H Horse Club Meeting
SEPT 22	STEM Workshop
SEPT 24	Commercial Heifer Validation

To view upcoming events in October click [here](#) or go to our website calendar at <https://uvalde.agrilife.org/>

** There will be NO Shooting Sports Meeting in September.*

DISTRICT 10

SEPT 15	GROW. TEXAS. CONNECTING GARDENING & HEALTH
SEPT 16	2023 Rabbit Extravaganza
SEPT 19	D10 The Basics of Plant Identification, Phenology & Value
SEPT 30	District 10 4-H Shooting Sports Coaches Certification

To view more upcoming events in click [here](#) or go to our website calendar at <https://uvalde.agrilife.org/>

Don't forget to visit our website!

You'll find event/meeting times and locations, forms, and even photos showcasing our wonderful 4-H Club members.

<https://uvalde.agrilife.org/>



Be in the Know!

Our Facebook page provides up-to-the-minute news and goings on

Follow us at <https://www.facebook.com/Extension.Uvalde/>



Pictured here: Tucker Allen, Noel Troxclair and Brett Dreyer

4-H Rally!



What's
Happening

With close to 100 participants the 4-H Rally at Sacred Heart Parish Center was a hit. With close to 100 participants. We were blessed to have the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo Ambassadors join us to answer any questions regarding the SASSR. They also brought with them these wonderful props for fun.



D10 Mega Meeting

Representing Uvalde County at the District 10 Mega Meeting in Kerrville were:

Wesley Stevenson, Tucker Allen, Brett Dreyer, Stormy Flores, Teresa Cabrale, Andrea Garcia and Lauren Stevenson (Not Pictured)



COMMUNITY HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR



Uvalde County 4-H members Stormy Flores and Andrea Garcia spent their day stuffing over 1200 backpacks donated by Our Health Clinic. These backpacks were distributed at the CHDI Wellness Fair on Friday, August 11th.

View more pictures of our events in the gallery section of our website.

<https://uvalde.agrilife.org/publications/>

*New to the
Uvalde County Junior Livestock Show?
Want to show a Novice Doe, Breeding
Sheep or Market Lamb at UCJLS?*



What's
Happening

Novice Programs

- ◆ Must be a minimum age of 8 by Sept. 1st and in the 3rd grade. Maximum age is 12 years old.
- ◆ Must be an active 4-H member.
- ◆ Must attend (3) separate monthly 4-H meetings prior to UCJLS.
- ◆ Must have never shown in (2) county livestock shows.
- ◆ Only compete in the Novice Division for a maximum of (2) consecutive years.
- ◆ Payment must be received by October 20, 2023.

Novice Goats Program

- ◆ Price of Novice Doe will be \$150.
- ◆ Contact Marshall Schlessiger by phone at (830) 275-9546 ASAP to be put on a list.
- ◆ 4-H Teen Leader for Novice Goats is Brett Dreyer (512) 558-1832.

Novice Breeding Sheep and Market Lambs Program

- ◆ Breeding Sheep and Market Lambs will cost \$300 each at selection..
- ◆ Contact Superintendent Donne Ede by phone at (830) 591-7904 for Breeding Sheep ASAP to be put on a list.
- ◆ Contact Superintendent Jody Giffin by phone at (210) 381-8110 for Market Lambs ASAP to be put on a list.



For a complete list of 4-H Projects
available in Texas click [here](#).

Want to learn more about: beef cattle, goats, sheep/lamb,
swine, equine, poultry, and rabbits?

go to: www.texasyouthlivestock.com and scroll down to: **What is your area of Interest?**

Learn about quality counts & livestock validation, major stock shows, and explore project books that are available. Under **Resources** you will find: livestock project videos, worksheets to help first-timers with projects.

Uvalde County Junior Livestock Show

2023-2024 Validation Dates

TENTATIVE DATES!

Commercial Heifers	September 24		Sale Barn off Hwy 90 West
Market Goats	Thursday, October 26	4 pm—6:30 pm	Sabinal High School
	Saturday, October 28	8 am— 12 pm	Uvalde County Fairplex
Market Lambs	Thursday, October 26	4 pm—6:30 pm	Sabinal High School
	Saturday, October 28	8 am— 12 pm	Uvalde County Fairplex
Breeding Sheep	Thursday, October 26	4 pm—6:30 pm	Sabinal High School
	Saturday, October 28	8 am— 12 pm	Uvalde County Fairplex
Swine	Saturday, November 11	8 am— 12 pm	Uvalde High School
Horses	Monday, December 4		Uvalde County Extension Office
Poultry	Saturday, December 9 (pick up and validation)	TBA	Uvalde County Fairplex
Rabbits	Tuesday, January 9, 2024 (pick up and validation)	11:00 a.m.	Uvalde County Fairplex



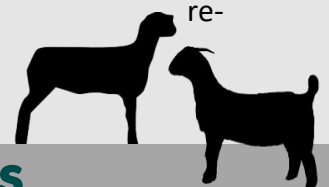
RABBITS: If you are going to show rabbits, you will need to contact a breeder no later than October 1 to let them know you intend to buy from them so that they will have bred enough rabbits and have the show rabbits ready in time for you to pick up prior to validation day.



POULTRY / BROILERS: Orders due on or before November 1, 2023.

Cost of the broilers to be announced.

LAMB/GOAT STATE VALIDATION TAGS Order forms and payments must be received in the Uvalde County Extension Office by Tuesday, August 29, 2023. The tag order form can be found [here](#) on our website.



For the 2024 UCJLS Rules
please scan the QR Code above.

QUALITY COUNTS COURSE ENROLLMENT

For state validations and major shows AND...

- A) If your child is new to major livestock OR
- B) If your child is going into the 6th grade or into 9th grade

You must complete the Quality Counts course.

For instructions on how to enroll your child in this course click [here](#)
or go to <https://www.texaslivestockvalidation.com/qc/qcregister.aspx>

District 10 Events!

4-H Day in Aggieland 2023

Saturday, November 16, 2023

SAVE THE DATE! Save the date for 4-H Day in Aggieland! Tickets are on sale now to the football game on Saturday, November 18th. Additional information about the day's events will be released soon. CLICK [HERE](#) to buy tickets!



Guadalupe County Fair Invitational Contests

October 14-15, 2023

Guadalupe County would like to invite all 4-H members to join us at the Guadalupe County Fair on Oct. 14-15th for three invitational contests! Click links below for more contest fees, details, and registration information.

- ♦ [Guadalupe County 4-H Consumer Decision Making](#)
When: October 14 @ 8am Registration Deadline: Sept. 29, 2023 – 5PM
- ♦ [Guadalupe County Fair Desserts on Display](#)
When: October 14 @ 2pm Registration Deadline: Sept. 29, 2023 – 5PM
- ♦ [Guadalupe County Fair Food Challenge Contest](#)
When: October 15 @ 1pm Registration Deadline: Sept. 29, 2023 – 5PM

2024 Ignite by 4-H

March 13-17, 2024

SAVE THE DATE! Spark your imagination and passion! Ignite by 4-H, an inclusive teen event, returns March 13-17, 2024, to Washington, D.C. Join us for four days of inspiring and engaging panels, respected speakers, hands-on workshops, experiences, networking and connections. The summit will provide high-school-aged youth from across the country the opportunity to explore the best 4-H has to offer in STEM, Agriscience, Healthy Living, Career Readiness and Emotional Well-Being. Don't miss this opportunity to discover exciting career paths and create an actionable plan to ignite change in your community. Stay tuned for more information on registration.

For more District 10 Events check out their newsletter [here](#).

HELPFUL LINKS

Scholarships: <https://uvalde.agrilife.org/2018-2019-county-scholarships/>

Texas 4-H Foundation: <https://texas4hfoundation.org/>

4-H Online: <https://4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>

Record Books: <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/recordbooks/>



District 10 Events!

Texas A&M Forest Service Contest

Postmark Deadline: September 15, 2023



Texas A&M Forest Service is hosting a Smokey Bear Poster Contest for youth in Texas to celebrate Smokey's 80th birthday. They plan to use the winning designs in the 2024 calendar. Please see [FLYER LINK](#) for the contest details and a [PDF INFO SHEET](#) with some additional information. Encourage your youth to participate in the contest!

District 10 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Training



Photo Credit: Marlena Moore
4-H Member - Hays County

WHEN: Sept. 30 – Oct. 1, 2023
210 E Live Oak St, Seguin, TX 78155

**REGISTER ON 4HONLINE
BETWEEN AUG. 28 – SEPT. 15!**



DISCIPLINES OFFERED
Shotgun • Archery • Rifle
• Pistol • Muzzleloading
Hunting & Wildlife

DISTRICT 10 T-Shirt Fundraiser



CUSTOM DISTRICT 10 4-H T-SHIRTS

**4 DESIGNS
YOUTH - ADULT SIZES
6 COLOR CHOICES**

**10% OF EACH T-SHIRT
PURCHASE IS DONATED
BACK TO DISTRICT 10 4-H**



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MY OTTER HALF IS A 4-H MEMBER OWNED SMALL BUSINESS



2023 Youth Day

Helotes Ag Youth Ranch

September 9th

10 AM—8 PM

YOUTH DAY SCHEDULE

10 AM - TEXAS 4-H CENTER DAY CAMP LUNCH PROVIDED

2 PM - ENJOY THE RANCH & ACTIVITIES

3 PM - CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

6 PM - FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY DINNER PROVIDED



Contact RASHEL @ 817.739.7823 prior to 9/9

This is a new year.
A new beginning.
And things
will change.

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Uvalde County 4-H Clubs

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Uvalde County 4-H

Newsletter