

Brazos County 4-H Connection

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COUNTY COUNTDOWN

Steer Validation

Thursday June 20, 2013



Tag in will start at 5 PM

Brazos Valley Livestock Commission:

6095 State Hwy 21

***Validation packets can be picked up at the
Extension Office starting on June 10th.

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Sheep, Goat, and Swine State Fair Validation

Monday, June 24, 2013

Tag in for sheep and goats will start at 8 AM

Where: Thurman's House: FM 976

Tag in for swine will start at 6 PM

Where: Choppy White's House: FM 1179



2013 Brazos County Go-Texan Kids Cook-Off

When: JULY 13, 2013

Where: KURTEN COMMUNITY CENTER

Time: 10:00 A.M.



Categories include; Sub-juniors (7-10), Juniors(11-13) and Seniors(14-16)

PARTICIPANTS WILL BE SUPPLIED WITH HAMBURGER MEAT,
GRILLS, CHARCOAL, ETC.....

PARTICIPANTS PROVIDE SPECIAL SAUCE AND SEASONINGS!!!!

For Further info, Contact Doug Weedon @ (979)255-0083 or Jacque Weido @ (979)204-2429

2013 State Roundup

The 2012 Texas 4-H roundup will be held in College Station, Texas on the campus of Texas A&M University. The week will start with registration pickup on Monday, June 10, 2013 and end on Friday, June 14, 2013.

For more info check out: <http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/youth/roundup/index.php>

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COUNTY COUNTDOWN

2013 Brazos County 4-H Horse Show

The regular Horse Show events will be held at Still Creek Ranch on Saturday, June 8, 2013, at 9:00am. Speed events are scheduled for June 9, 2013, beginning at 11:00am at Still Creek Ranch.

Note: You must have an original copy of Coggins papers at check-in on June 8 beginning at 7:30am &

or June 9 at 9:00am. Coggins must be presented upon arrival at the show.

High Point award calculated based on the 2013 State Horse Show Rulebook on pages 11 and 12.

2013 Texas 4-H Livestock Ambassador Short Course July 15-19, 2013—Texas A&M University Beef Center

The Texas 4-H livestock Ambassador program will equip youth with the knowledge and skills to be ambassadors for the Texas AgriLife Extension Service, the Texas 4-H Program and animal agriculture as it relates to livestock projects.

The short course will utilize college level animal science curriculum. It will take an in-depth look at sheep, goat swine and cattle production in Texas and how it relates to show ring.

Fall Vegetable Gardening – You Can Dig It!

Hosted by Brazos County Master Gardeners-Texas A&M AgriLife Extension



Event details: Focus of the seminar is the fall vegetable garden

Session 1 – Beginnings: Sun, Soil, Water, and Mulch

Session 2 – Taking Root: Plant Varieties, Planting Schedule, and Planting Combinations

Session 3 – Gathering the Harvest: Increasing Yield and Extending the Season

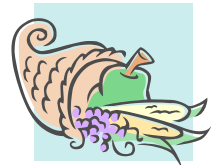
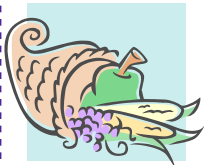
When: Saturday, July 20, 2013

Time: 9am to 1pm

Where: Brazos Center, 3232 Briarcrest Dr., Bryan, TX Room 102

For more information: brazosmg.com

Food Quiz Bowl Anyone?



If you are interested in leading or participating in food and nutrition quiz bowl, please let Flora know fewilliams@ag.tamu.edu. Food quiz bowl is an excellent way to showcase knowledge of food and nutrition in teams of three to four in a game show format. Practices will start this Fall.



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2012 State Fair of Texas Broilers Orders

Order deadline: June 20, 2013 (turned in to the Brazos County Extension Office)

Cost per chick: \$1.30 each

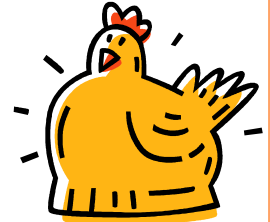
(each exhibitor must order a minimum of 25 chicks: \$32.50)

Make checks payable to Brazos 4-H Adult Leaders

Note: This order does not enter you into the State Fair of Texas!

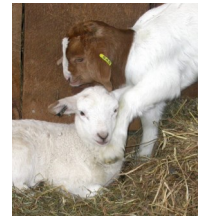
A meeting will be set in early August

Questions: Please contact the Brazos County Extension Office at 979.823.0129



Cross Timbers Lamb & Goat Camp

June 21-23, 2013 Stephenville, Texas



Topics & Activities:

- Project Selections
- Animal Health & Management
- Feeding & Nutrition
- Awards
- Shearing/clipping
- Exercising-Live Demonstrations
- Showmanship Contest Award
- Door Prizes Offered

For more information, visit erath.agrilife.org or call the
Erath County Extension Office @ 254-965-1460

Brazos County Council Officer Training

When: August 1, 2013

Where: Brazos County Extension Office

Time: To Be Announced



Adult Leader: Club Officer Training

When: August 3, 2013

Where: Brazos County Extension Office

Time: To Be Announced



STATE COUNTDOWN

State Horse Show

The 4-H State Horse Show will be held July 20-27, 2013 at the Tyler County Expo Center in Abilene, Texas. Only those who qualified for state are able to participate. For more information go to animalscience.tamu.edu/academics/equine/state-4H-show/



2013 Texas 4-H Outdoor Challenge

Are you up for a challenge? Do you love the outdoors? If so, mark your calendars for June 29-30, 2013 for the 4th annual Texas 4-H Outdoor Challenge to be held at the Texas 4-H Conference Center in Brownwood.

Grab a friend, learn, practice, and train to compete in a series of ten outdoor events that will challenge you physically and mentally. Are you the ultimate Texas Outdoor Challenge team? Join us next summer to find out

Let's Go To 4-H Camp

•The Texas 4-H Conference Center offers a variety of summer opportunities geared towards all ages and interests of youth. General camps, topic focused camps, and more! There truly is something for everyone!

Center Events for Your Calendar:

June 24-26, 2013	MASH Camp
July 1-3, 2013	County Camp I
July 8-10, 2013	County Camp II
July 7-10, 2013	Mission Possible
July 10-13, 2013	County Camp III
June 17-19, 2013	District 9 Leadership Lab
July 21-24, 2013	Prime Time I
July 24-27, 2013	Prime Time II





Let's Cook Something!!!

Smoothie Pops

Utensils:

Knife
Blender
4oz. Paper cups
Foil
Craft Sticks

Ingredients:

8 ounces non-fat lemon yogurt
8 ounces crushed pineapple, in juice, undrained
1 large banana, sliced
1/2 pint (8 ounces) strawberries
1 cup ice

Directions

Wash your hands and clean your cooking area. Clean the tops of canned food items before opening them. Wash all the fruit, peel and slice the bananas, and remove strawberry stems. Next, combine all ingredients except ice into the blender and blend until smooth. Add ice and pulse until smooth. Then, fill the paper cups with the smoothie, cover the top of each cup with foil, place craft stick through the foil into the center of the paper cup. Last, place the filled cups in the freezer and chill for about 3-4 hours and enjoy.



Preparation Time: 10
Minutes
Freeze Time: 3-4 hours
Cost Per Serving: \$0.14
Servings: 10
Serving Size: 1-4oz pop
Calories: 50
Calories from Fat: 0

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As always Better Living for Texans (BLT) can provide food stamp eligible and other low income families with nutrition, food safety, and food resource management information. So for more information or any questions, contact Teresa Rivera at the Brazos County Extension Office: 979-823-0129 or email at trivera@ag.tamu.edu. In accordance with federal law and U.S Department of Agriculture's policy, Better Living for Texans Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, political beliefs, or disability.

To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director of Civil Rights, Room 326-W, Whitten Building, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250 or call (202) 720-5964 (voice or TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

Brazos County 4-H Calendar June 2013

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Black—County
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County Horse
Show:
June 8-9

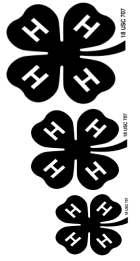
State 4-H Roundup
includes:

Food Show/Challenge,
Fashion Show/Story
Board, Share the Fun,
Educational Presenta-
tions, Quiz Bowls,
Consumer Decision
Making, Photography,
4-H Has Talent, S.E.T.
Poster Contest

Summer Camps:

Horizons—June 4-8

MASH Camp (A&M
Campus)
June 24-26



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 D9 Horse Show reg. due on Connect	3	4	5	6	7 D9 Pre-Leadership Lab Officer- Candidate Trng.	8 Co. Horse Show
9 Co. Horse Show TX Roundup	10 TX Roundup	11 TX Roundup	12 TX Roundup	13 TX Roundup	14 TX Roundup	15
16	17 D9 Leadership Lab	18 D9 Leadership Lab	19 D9 Leadership Lab	20 Major Steer Val. 5pm State Fair of TX Broiler Orders Due	21	22
23	24 District Record Books due our office -St. Fair Sheep/Goat Val. 8am -St. Fair Swine Val. 6pm	25 D9 Horse Show	26 D9 Horse Show	27 D9 Horse Show	28	29
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