



Scurry County 4-H Explorer

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Scurry 4-H News

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2016-2017 Scurry County 4-H Officers

President: Alyssa Cowan

Jr President: Anzlee Hale

Vice President: Jodi Evans

Jr Vice President: Swayde Campbell

Secretary: Riley White

Treasurer: Hannah Caswell

Reporters: Lauren Callaway &
Kelton White

Sgt of Arms: Cooper Caswell



Camps

Leadership Lab:

Lauren Callaway & Kelton White

H2O Camp:

Swayde Campbell, Alyssa Cowan, Anzlee Hale, Mia Shultz, Ryan Shultz, Ryleigh Stewart, Kelton White, Riley White, Jonathon Velasquez

Primetime Extreme:

Haylee Gruben, Jodi Evans and Hannah Caswell

Primetime II:

Swayde Campbell

District 2 Leadership Workshop

Lauren Callaway, Swayde Campbell, Alyssa Cowan, Anzlee Hale, Kelton White and Riley White.

Food Challenge

Our Senior Food Challenge team placed 1st place Senior Nutritious Snacks Team (David Ellis, Ashley Martinez & Tabitha Slayton) at District, therefore they advanced to state. In June at State 4-H Round-up they placed 4th in the Fruit & Vegetable category. Way to go team!

Fashion Project

County: We had 5 members (Lauren Callaway, Anzlee Hale, Molly Herring, Kambry Jones and Ramsi Wall) compete in the County Fashion Show on April 13 at the Extension Office. All advanced to District Fashion Show that took place April 5th. District Results: Lauren-1st in Jr Construction Dressy, Anzlee-1st in Jr Construction Refashion & Embellished/Recycled, Molly-3rd in Intermediate Buying Casual Everyday Living and Kambry-3rd in Jr Buying Dressy.

Wool Judging

Three members competed at the District Wool Judging Contest and placed 3rd which qualified them for state. They did not place at state but represented Scurry County well. Thank you for your hard work Alyssa Cowan, Jodi Evans and Ryleigh Stewart.

Livestock Judging

We had 7 members that participated at District 2 contest.

Junior Team-Lauren Callaway, Ramsi Wall, Kelton White and Anzlee Hale

Intermediate Team-Haylee Gruben and Kylie Miller

Senior Individual-Ryleigh Stewart

Our Jr Team placed 10th overall, 5th overall Beef, Sheep & Goat, 14th High Individual-Kelton White, 4th Individual Beef-Ramsi Wall, 12th High Individual Beef-Kelton White and 14th High Individual Sheep and Goat.

We look forward to next year and watch the growth this team will make.



Photography Judging

We had 3 members sign up to compete on the senior team at State. The participants consisted of Alyssa Cowan, Jodi Evans Ciera Digby and Ryleigh Stewart. The team finished 3rd, Jodi placed 1st for Sr High Individual and Ciera received 7th High Individual. Way to go guys!

Educational Presentation

Two member joined together to compete at state in Sheep and Goat Educational Presentation. Alyssa Cowan and Jodi Evans placed 2nd. They did a great job!

Entomology Collection

We had two Junior members send bug collections in for state competition. Swayde Campbell and Cooper Caswell both did well. Cooper placed 5th and Swayde placed 8th.



Record Book

We had 8 record books turned in for District contest. Here are the results:

Jodi Evans-1st place Senior Shooting Sports

Alyssa Cowan-3rd place Senior Vet Science

Riley White-4th place Senior Beef

Hannah Caswell-1st place in Intermediate Photography

Swayde Campbell-1st place in Junior Sheep

Cooper Caswell-2nd place in Junior Photography

Anzlee Hale-3rd place in Junior Food & Nutrition

Jodi advanced to state competition. Results will be announced in August.



Photography

We had 6 members that competed in the Photography project. They all did very well at county and district.

District Junior Placings:

Cooper Caswell-Reserve Overall, 1st in Digital Dark-room, Theme & Wildlife; 2nd in Food and People & 3rd in Nature and Landscape & Night.

Swayde Campbell-1st in Marco/Detail; 2nd in Plant and Flora & 3rd in Catch All.

Micaiah Thomison-2nd in Domestic Animals.

District Intermediate Placings:

Hannah Caswell-Reserve Overall; 1st place in Theme, Wildlife, Animal Domestic; 2nd in Digital Darkroom, Nature and Landscape; 3rd in People, Night & Food.

State 4-H Round-up Senior Division:

Jodi Evans submitted the follow categories to state and placed as follows: Catch All-White ribbon, Domestic Animals-White ribbon, Dominant Color-Blue ribbon, Elements of Design-Red ribbon, Nature & Landscape-Red ribbon, People-Red ribbon and Plant & Flora-Blue ribbon.

District 2 4-H Round-Up

Six members competed at District Round-Up in several competitions. Results as follows:

Educational Presentation: Jodi Evans and Alyssa Cowan– 1st place in Sheet and Goat, Hannah Caswell-2nd place Intermediate FCS Open

Poetry: Kelton White-4th place Jr

Entomology: Swayde Campbell– 2nd place High Individual Jr, Cooper Caswell-3rd place High Individual Jr

State 4-H Round-Up

Nine members traveled to State 4-H Round-Up at Texas A&M University to compete in various competitions.

This was a record breaking and exciting trip. For the first time in over 15 years we had teams and individuals place in the top 3 of their contest and received a stage recognition. This year we expanded our participation by competing in 5 different contest. All of our 4-H members that attended represented our club and community well.

They competed in the following categories:

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State Round-Up

Participates

Educational Presentation: Alyssa Cowan and Jodi Evans

Food Challenge: David Ellis, Ashley Martinez and Tabitha Slayton

Entomology: Cooper Caswell and Swayde Campbell

Wool Judging: Alyssa Cowan, Jodi Evans and Ryleigh Stewart

Photography Judging: Alyssa Cowan, Jodi Evans, Ryleigh Stewart, Ciera Digby, Hannah Caswell and Riley White

Special thanks to Roxanne Evans, Brady Evans and Glenna Summers for helping to coach and chaperone these girls. We appreciate you for working with our youth. A huge thanks to Ronda White for her passion and dedication she shows thru out the club.



4-H Horse Club News

The Scurry County 4-H Horse Club has had an awesome year with lots of activities. We have enjoyed seeing lots of new families join in. We have one fun night scheduled for 8/1/2016 and one point night scheduled for 8/8/2016 left. We are trying to plan a trail ride but don't have the details on that yet. The trail ride will end up our summer. We are looking forward to everyone signing up again September 1. We are excited about kicking off the 2016-2017 4-H Year.

Scurry 4-H Shooting Sports

We had 15 members shooting from Scurry County this year and expects to have new members enroll in September when the new year starts. The group shoots in Ira at the Dry Creek Youth Shooting Range and depends heavily on Corporate and Community donations to help offset expenses. This year, Dry Creek agreed to put in a skeet field for the kids so that they can be more competitive at 4-H events. Dry Creek, like 4-H, is a non-profit 501C3 youth organization and could use financial assistance putting this new field in. If you are interested in donating to either organization to help the kids, please contact the Scurry County Extension Office for more information.

This year Scurry 4-H sent more kids to the San Antonio Livestock Exposition Jr. Shoot-out to compete for scholarships and prizes. Jodi Evans was 5th in the Girls Open for the second year in a row. Also competing were Alyssa Cowan, Ryan Shultz, Gage Peterson and Swayde Campbell; all of which missed being in a Lewis Class shoot-off by 1 bird. All the kids did an excellent job and represented Scurry County well.



Scurry County 4-H Trap Shoot results:

High Overall: Jodi Evans

Sr. Champion: Ryan Shultz

Sr. Runner-up: Alyssa Cowan

Int. Champion: Matthew Brazil

Int. Runner-up: Camden Edwards

Jr. Champion: Swayde Campbell

Jr. Runner-up: Cooper Caswell

Lucky Dog Chair winner: Hannah Caswell



Shooting sports teaches our kids proper gun safety, maintenance and use, as well as respect for these guns. Our coaches include Joel and Megan Shultz, Dan Evans, J.J. Caswell, Joe and Mandi Campbell, Heath Cowan and Kevin Edwards. If you would like more information about getting your kid or kids involved in the shooting sport program, please contact the Extension Office or one of our coaches.

Lamb & Goat Validation

Time is fast approaching for each of you to make decisions on how many ear tags you will be needing for the 2016-2017 Texas 4-H/FFA Lamb & Goat Validation Program.

The deadline for ordering tags will be August 26, 2016.

District results:

We had 8 members compete at District events:

Swayde Campbell, Cooper Caswell, Matthew Brazil, Camden Edwards, Kylan Edwards, Hannah Caswell,

Alyssa Cowan and Jodi Evans

Matthew Brazil: Intermediate – 2nd Trap, 2nd Sporting Clays,

5th Whiz Bang, 4th Skeet

Swayde Campbell: Junior – 6th Trap, 5th Skeet

Cooper Caswell: Junior – 7th Trap, 7th Sporting Clays

Hannah Caswell: Intermediate – 9th Sporting Clays

Camden Edwards: Intermediate – 9th Trap

Jodi Evans: Senior 1 – Tied 10th Trap

<p style="text-align: center;">West Texas Fair & Rodeo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Abilene Texas-Taylor County Expo Center</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>www.taylorcountyexpocenter.com</u></p>

CREATIVE ARTS ENTRIES

Premiums 1st-\$6.00 2nd-\$5.00 3rd-\$4.00

Youth Division

Entries Accepted

Location

Clothing

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

A \$200 Gift Certificate from Alton's Sewing Machine Company to the youth exhibitor with the most points

Fine Arts

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

Breads

9/10/16 12:00Noon-3:00pm

Modern Living Mall

A Rosette for Best of Show will be given, *A Hope Chest* from Joe Crawford with Abilene Aero will be given for High Point Exhibitor.

Cookies

9/10/16 12:00Noon-3:00pm

Modern Living Mall

A Rosette for Best of Show will be given, *A Hope Chest* from Joe Crawford with Abilene Aero will be given for High Point Exhibitor.

Candy

9/10/16 12:00Noon-3:00pm

Modern Living Mall

A Rosette for Best of Show will be given, *A Hope Chest* from Joe Crawford with Abilene Aero will be given for High Point Exhibitor.

Cakes

9/10/16 12:00Noon-3:00pm

Modern Living Mall

A Rosette for Best of Show will be given, *A Hope Chest* from Joe Crawford with Abilene Aero will be given for High Point Exhibitor.

Canned Foods

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

A Hope Chest from Joe Crawford with Abilene Aero will be given for High Point Exhibitor and (2) \$5.00 *Coupons for Ball or Kerr Canning Products* will go to the 1st places in Fruit, Vegetable, Pickle and Soft Spreads.

Hobbies & Crafts

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

Needlework

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

A Hope Chest from Joe Crawford with Abilene Aero will be given for High Point Exhibitor

Photography

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

Special Division

9/6/2016 11:00am-7:00pm

MLM Round Annex

Bubble Gum Division

9/13/2016 4:30pm

Livestock Barn Arena (WEST side)

A Rosette for Best of Show will be given

Kids Fun Show

9/13/2016 4:30pm

Livestock Barn Arena (WEST side)

Educational Exhibits

9/10/2016 (set up by Noon)

MLM Round Annex

Must notify West Texas Fair and Rodeo by 9/1/16

West Texas Fair & Rodeo
Abilene Texas-Taylor County Expo Center
www.taylorcountyexpocenter.com

JR & OPEN LIVESTOCK
ENTRY FEES & SHOW SCHEDULE

Youth Meat Goats:

\$20.00 / 2 allowed per class

Arrival Date: 9/10/16, 3:00pm-7:00pm

Show Date: 9/11/2016, 8:30am, Covered Outdoor Arena

Junior Steers:

\$30.00 / 2 allowed per show

Arrival Date: 9/15/16, 12:00pm-6:00pm

Show Date: 9/17/16, 8:00am, Griffin Arena

Jr Steers will NOT have access to the grounds until 12:00 Noon.

Open Youth Jackpot Swine:

\$30.00 / 2 allowed in an individual class

Arrival Date: 9/16/16, 2:00pm-7:00pm

Show Date: 9/17/16, 8:00am, Covered Outdoor Arena

Open Youth Market Lamb A:

\$20.00

Arrival Date: 9/9/16, 12:00pm-6:00pm

Show Date: 9/10/16, 8:00am, Lamb Arena

Enter thru Gate C, proceed to Lamb Arena inside Livestock Barn

Open Youth Market Lamb B:

\$20.00

Arrival Date: 9/10/16, 9:00am

Show Date: 9/10/16, 1:00pm Tentative (after Lamb A show), Lamb Arena

Enter thru Gate C, proceed to Lamb Arena inside Livestock Barn

Panhandle South Plains Fair
Lubbock Texas - Fair Grounds
www.southplainsfair.com

ENTRY DEADLINE IS
AUGUST 15, 2016 — NO PASSES
WILL BE MAILED

We have no details at this time for the South Plains Fair. Last year the deadline was August 10th, we feel sure if the show is scheduled to move forward the deadline will be right around the same time. If you are interested in attending South Plains Fair you may check back with the Extension Office the first part of August. I have included the website above for your information, details will be posted there also.

Permian Basin Fair
Odessa Texas - Ector County Coliseum
www.permianbasinfair.com

CREATIVE ARTS ENTRIES

The 2016 Creative Arts theme is “*Just Clowin’ Around*”

<u>Youth Division</u>	<u>Entries Accepted</u>	<u>Pick-up Entries</u>
Canned Food	9/5/16 & 9/6/16, Noon-8:00pm	9/18/16, 10:00am-12:30pm
Baked Goods	9/5/16 & 9/6/16, Noon-8:00pm	9/18/16, 10:00am-12:30pm
Textiles & Hand Work	9/5/16 & 9/6/16, Noon-8:00pm	9/18/16, 10:00am-12:30pm
Fine Arts-Photography	9/5/16 & 9/6/16, Noon-8:00pm	9/18/16, 10:00am-12:30pm

More information found on the Permian Basin Fair website.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK
ENTRY FEES & SHOW SCHEDULE

Goats:

\$20.00 / A, \$40.00 / A&B

Arrival Date: 9/9/16, Stalled by 6:00pm, Weight turn in 7:00pm

Show Date: 9/10/16, Show A at 8:30am, Show B follows, Building E

Release Date: 9/10/16, After Show

Steers:

\$30.00 / A, \$60.00 / A&B

Arrival Date: 9/9/16, Stalled by 9:00pm, Weigh in 9/10/16 9:00am

Show Date: 9/11/16, after Heifer Show A&B that starts at 8:30am, Covered Arena

Release Date: 9/11/16, after Steer Show B

Lambs:

\$20.00/A, \$40.00/A&B

Arrival Date: 9/10/16, By 6:00pm, Weight turn in 7:00pm

Show Date: 9/11/16, 8:30am, Building E

Release Date: 9/11/16, After Show

Swine:

\$20.00

Arrival Date: 9/16/16, By 9:00pm, Weight turn in 9/17/16 by Noon

Show Date: 9/17/16, 5:00pm, Building E

Release Date: 9/17/16, After Show

ENTRY DEADLINE IS
AUGUST 22, 2016

State Fair of Texas
Dallas Texas - Fair Park
www.BigTex.com

CREATIVE ARTS ENTRIES

Youth Division

Entries Accepted

Pick-up Entries

Canning Foods

8/12-14/2016, 9:00am-5:00pm

10/26-28/2016, 9:00am-5:00pm

Entry fee is \$2.00 per variety. Awards offered in each class (1st, 2nd, 3rd & HMs). The classes are Vegetables, Fruits, Preserves, Marmalade, Butters, Relish, Pickles, Jelly and Jams.

Needlework & Sewing

8/12-14/2016, 9:00am-5:00pm

10/26-28/2016, 9:00am-5:00pm

Entry fee is \$3.00 per entry. Awards offered in each class (1st, 2nd, 3rd & HMs).

Photography

8/12-14/2016, 9:00am-5:00pm

10/26-28/2016, 9:00am-5:00pm

Two sections are available: Junior (ages 12-17) & Children (ages 6-11). Entry fee for Junior is \$4.00 per entry and for Children is \$2.00 per entry. Awards offered in each class (1st, 2nd, 3rd & HMs).

For more information on the State Fair of Texas see the website above.

JR & OPEN LIVESTOCK
ENTRY FEES & SHOW SCHEDULE

ENTRY DEADLINE IS
AUGUST 25, 2016

Goats:

\$30.00

Arrival Date: 10/03/2016, 8:00am-1:00pm

Show Date: 10/05/16, 9:00am

Release Date: 10/05/16, Noon

Steers:

\$35.00

Arrival Date: 10/04/16, 8:00am-1:00pm

Show Date: 10/04/16, 4:00pm

Release Date: 10/06/16, 8:00am (American, British, AOB)

Lambs:

\$35.00

Arrival Date: 10/03/2016, 8:00am-1:00pm

Show Date: 10/04/16, 1:00pm

Release Date: 10/04/16, 4:00pm

Barrows: #1(Dark OPB, Duroc, Hamp DK Cross)
 #2 (White OPB, Yorks, Other Cross)

\$30.00

Arrival Date: #1-10/03/16, 4:00am-8:00am

#2-10/05/16, 4:00am-8:00am

Show Date: #1-10/04/16, 8:00am

#2-10/06/16, 8:00am

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