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WINKLER/LOVING COUNTY Ag/NR & 4H NEWSLETTER October 2012

4-H

4-H Connect Registration

4-H Registration for the 2012/13 year will again be done electronically for youth members and adult volunteers on 4-H Connect, URL: 4honline.com. Registration opens on August 15, 2012 with a youth participation fee of \$20 from August 15-October 31, 2012, then \$25 from November 1- August 14, 2013. I encourage all youth members to register before October 31, 2012 to save the \$5 that will be added on November 1, 2012. Adults willing to volunteer do not have to pay a registration fee.

National 4-H Week is Oct. 7-13, 2012 4-H Green Out on Wed., Oct. 10, 2012

Wear green to support 4-H on October 10, 2012. Make sure to spread the word throughout the community, and if you take pictures please email them to cesettle@ag.tamu.edu so that I can put it together as a display of the support our community has for Winkler-Loving 4-H!

Highway Cleanup

October 14, 2012 at 3 p.m.

Meet at the Department of Transportation Parking Lot on W. HWY 302 in Kermit, TX

Lamb/Goat Validation

Wednesday, Oct. 17, 2012 6 p.m. at the Kermit 4-H Pens

If you will be unable to make the validation please contact the office before Oct. 17, 2012 at 5 p.m.

4-H Nutrition Project

Meeting Sundays, 3 p.m. at the Winkler-Loving County AgriLife Extension Office

4-H and Youth Development Advisory Board

Winkler-Loving County AgriLife Extension Office Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at 6:15 p.m.

4-H Club Officer Meeting

Sunday, October 28, 2012 at 2 p.m. Winkler-Loving County AgriLife Extension Office

Steer Project Clinic

Wednesday, October 3, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. Wink 4-H Pens (Bring your steer(s) if possible)

Archery & Rifle/Pistol

Archery meets every Monday at 6 p.m. at the Kermit 4-H Pens- Red Barn Rifle/Pistol meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Wink Expo

2012 Reeves County Livestock Show

October 6, 2012 @ 9:00 a.m. All entries are due Friday, October 5, 2012 from 4:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Steers, Lambs, and Goats

Fall Spectacular

November 10 & 11, 2012 in San Angelo, Texas Entry Deadline: October 27, 2012 Heifers, Steers, Pigs, Lambs, and Meat Goats

Show Hog Sales

September 22, 2012

Stephens Farms Early Bird @the farm – Amarillo, TX 6:00 pm

October 6, 2012

Harkey Pig Sale @the farm- Plainview, TX 9:30

Ring of Success Gilt Sale Mallet Center

Levelland, TX 5:30 pm

C & C Swine Genetics Sale Brownfield, TX 10:00 am

October 7, 2012

Ring of Success Barrow Sale Mallet Center Levelland, TX 1:00 pm

October 8, 2012 West TX Rehab Wylie FFA Show Barn Abilene, TX 7:00 pm

October 9, 2012

Paul Schartz Show Pig Sale @the farm – Garden City, TX 2:30 pm

October 13, 2012

Bessent Farm Pig Sale @the farm - Abilene, TX bids close @ 11:00 am

Stephens Farms Pig Sale @the farm - Amarillo, TX 2:00

Tommy Bishop Viewing @ 2:00pm Sale @ 3:00 pm

October 14, 2012

Wall Swine Breeders Sale San Angelo Fairgrounds San Angelo, TX 2:30 pm

October 15, 2012 DL Show Pig Sale @the farm – Lamesa, TX

October 17, 2012

Belew Farms Pig Sale @the farm – Tahoka, TX 6:00pm

October 20, 2012

Schaefer Livestock Pig Sale @the farm – Garden City, TX 2:00pm

October 21, 2012

Major League Pig Sale Scurry Co. Coliseum Snyder, TX 1:00pm

October 22, 2012

Phillips Show Pig Sale Mallet Event Center Levelland, TX 6:30 pm

November 12, 2012

Phillips Show Pig Sale Mallet Event Center Levelland, TX 6:30 pm



Ag/NR

There will be a meeting of the Ag/NR Program Area Committee in October; the date will be coordinated with the members of the committee in order to meet their schedules if possible.

Committee members are: Charles Wolf- Chairperson, Marti Haws, Sami Jones, and Karen Stone.

This committee has worked diligently and extremely hard this year to help plan and implement educational programs to benefit local ranchers and producers. If you have a concern that you feel needs to be addressed, please contact me or a member of this committee so we can address it.

C/ED PAC

The Community and Economic Development Program Area Committee will meet on October 3, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. at the Winkler-Loving County AgriLife Extension Office.

Committee members are: Rodney Hayes- Chairperson, Keri Carter, Rosemary Henson, and Matt Randolph.

There are many great ideas and plans coming from this committee to improve the communities within Winkler and Loving Counties. This committee has met throughout the year and is ever increasing in the ideas and techniques available to address Community and Economic Development issues.

For more information on any events or other information, feel free to call the office 432.586.2593, email cesettle@ag.tamu.edu, or stop by the office- 307 S. Poplar St., Kermit, TX.

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