



4-H FCH Clover Newsletter



JANUARY 1, 2019

Deadline for letter of intent to apply for the local county 4-H scholarships.

Watch Texas 4-H Website for State Scholarship Info and deadline date.

Livestock and Competition Dates:

Sept. 28– Oct. 21:

State Fair of Texas

Jan 18-Feb 9, 2019

Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo

Feb 1-17, 2019

San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo

Feb 7-24, 2019

San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo

Feb 25-March 17

Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo

April 2 –6, 2019:

Van Zandt Co. Fair

Upcoming Dates:

October 13
4-H One Day Event

October 13-19
National 4-H Week

October 15
Validation Day @ Canton Clinic for VZC Fair 6-8pm County Steers and Commercial Heifers, Major Show Lambs & Goats will need to be validated.

October 24
4-H Photo's Due into Extension Office by 4pm

November 9-11
Leadership Camp/Brownwood Register online now!

November 15
County Council Meeting

November 25
Photography Judging @ District

December 13
Canton Christmas Parade

December 1st
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January 4, 2019
County Fair Tag-In for goats, lambs, hogs, chickens and ag-mech entries @ VZ Co Fairgrounds

February 26, 2019
County Food Challenge

March 1, 2019
District Food Challenge entries due on 4-H Connect by midnight

March 26, 2019
County Round Up Day 1—FBC Canton

March 28, 2018
County Round Up Day 2-FBC Canton

April 12, 2019
Deadline for District 4 Spring Roundup Entries on 4-H Connect

May 3 & 4, 2019
District Round-up @ NTC Gainesville, TX

May 10 & 11
4-H Shooting sports in Paris, TX

June 10, 2019
Co. Record books due by 4pm @ Extension Office

June 10, 2019
County Awards Applications due by 4pm @ Extension Office

June 10-13, 2019
Texas 4-H State Round-up College Station

July 12, 2019
County Award Interviews @ Extension Office

July 26, 2019
Co. 4-H Awards Banquet @ 6:30pm location TBA

Fall 2018

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County Extension Agent
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County 4-H Coordinator
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Parking Duty Dates for Clubs

November

Martin's Mill & Project Club

January

Archery

March

Sharpshooters

To PARTICIPATE IN ANY

4-H EVENT

YOU MUST BE REGISTERED ON

4-H CONNECT





Grab those camera's and start snapping those pictures!! All pictures are due **MOUNTED** and with paperwork by **October 24th** at the Extension Office by **NO** later than 4pm!

To be eligible you **MUST** enter on Connect by **October 31st**.



A Great Big THANK YOU to all those that helped make our Kick-off a success!

We signed up a lot of new members, handed out belt buckles and had a load of fun in the pool.

Welcome New 4-H Clubs!!!

We are proud to announce that we now have a new Club called **Hearts and Hands Homeschool Club** led by **Kc Taylor** and **Sarah Wilson** and the **Van Community Club** is being led by **Diana McClean!!!**

Van Zandt County Council Officers 2018-2019

President Kevin Pagel

1st Vice President Mackenzie Oliver

2nd Vice President Jonathan Goode

3rd Vice President Katy Berry

Secretary Brianna Caughron

Treasurer-Chloe Dixon

Reporter- Taylor Grant

Historian-Piper Tunnell

Parliamentarian- Peyton Roberts

Van Zandt County 4-H Clubs



Don't forget to pick-up a record book at the Extension office.

It will make it easier to start now than to wait till the last minute!

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4-H PROUD

It's Official ...You are a 4-H Parent!

Please join us on Thursday Oct 25th- 5:30 pm at the Extension Office for an informative presentation for all new 4-H families!

This will be a great opportunity to learn more about the many opportunities that 4-H has to offer it's members and ways for families to be involved in the program too.

Please RSVP by calling the office at 903-567-4149 or email melisa.rhodes@ag.tamu.edu to reserve a seat.

Don't forget to sign up for 4-H before the membership fee goes up too \$25!





**Van Zandt County 4-H
Beef Club**



2018 Fall Festival

Saturday, November 10th

Van Zandt County Fairgrounds

Registration 7-9 am, Show Starts at 9:30

2 Rings: Steer/Heifers, Goats/Lambs

Buckles for Breed Champions,

Prizes for Reserve and Division Winners,

Cash Prizes for Supreme Heifer

\$25 entry fee

Jackpot Showmanship for

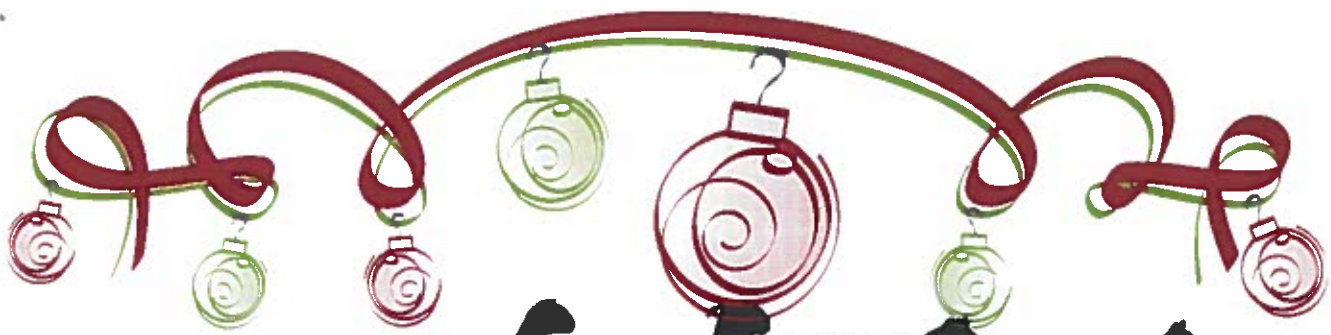
Junior, Intermediate and Senior Divisions

Prizes for Pee Wee Division

For More information, call or text (903) 229-7473

Concession stand open all day!





CATTLE

Registration: 7-9:00AM
Showmanship 9:30AM
Show Order: Steer Show-
manship/Steer Show/
Heifer Showmanship/
Heifer Show

Steers show by Division
Heifers - 18 breed for-
mat (3 head make a
breed)

KCJLS HOLIDAY CLASSIC

December 15, 2018

SWINE

Registration: 6-8:00AM
Showmanship 9:00AM
Show Order: Showman-
ship/White OPB/Dark
OPB/Duroc/Hampshire

/York/Crosses

LAMBS

Registration: 12-1:00PM Lamb Show
following Goat Show

Show Order: Showmanship/Dorper/
Fine Wool-FineWool Cross/
Southdown/Medium Wool

Classes broken by weight

GOATS

Registration: 12-1:00PM Showman-
ship: 2:00PM Followed by Market
Goats Classes broken by weight with
Division Breaks

34 BUCKLES
Buckle for
Breed Heif-
ers, Lambs,
Pigs

Division
Buckles for
Steer and
Goats

Lamb, Goat, Swine, Steer, Beef Heifers

Kaufman County Fairgrounds, Kaufman, Tx

2 TJLA Sanctioned Rings – All Species

Entry Fee:

Ring A-\$20 (Points and Ribbons Only) Ring B-
\$25 (Points and Awards)

Must show in Ring A to show in Ring B

*****OVERALL GRANDS - \$200 CASH**

*****OVERALL RESERVE GRANDS - \$100 CASH**

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