# July 2023

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- July 6 District Recordbook judging
- July 7 Deadline to RSVP for Achievement night

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Website Link

Floresville, Texas 78114

- July 16 Achievement Night
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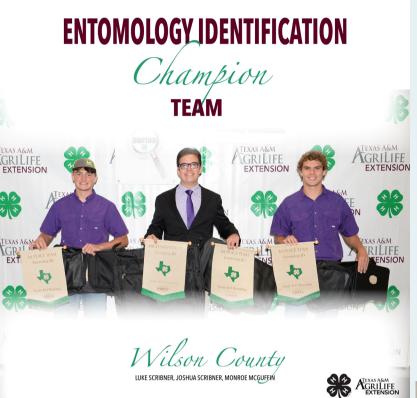
### 2023 Theme

## Opportunity 4 All



## **Featured Pictures**

### State Roundup Results



### Congrats to the first place teams- Entomology & Poultry Judging!



## **Featured Pictures**

### State Roundup Participants











June 7, 2023

Dear 4-H Family,

The Wilson County 4-H would like to invite you and your family to the 2023 Wilson County 4-H Achievement Night. This event will be held on **Sunday, July** 16, 2023 at the Wilson County Expo Center, 435 US Hwy 97 E., Floresville, Texas. Doors will open @ 4:30 p.m. & our program will begin @ 5:00p.m. Dinner will be served.

This event will recognize outstanding 4-H members in Wilson County and highlight major events of the past year. Your presence and support are greatly appreciated.

To confirm your attendance, please by RSVP to the Wilson County Extension Office no later than July 12, 2023 by completing the online RSVP form here: <u>https://wilson.agrilife.org/event/achievement-night-rsvp/</u> or call the office 830-393-7357. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact us.

We look forward to seeing your at 4-H Achievement Night!

Achievement Night RSVP due July 7

**RSVP HERE** 

### **Major Show Broiler Orders Due**

When: August 24, 2023

Members planning to show broilers at San Antonio, Houston, and Austin Livestock shows MUST order boilers through the Extension office.

Download the order form HERE

### State Fair/ Heart Of Texas Entries Due

When: August 17, 2023

Members planning to show at either State Fair of Texas OR Heart of Texas livestock shows MUST turn in entries to the Extension office.

Click for entry forms HERE

### **Sheep & Goat Validation Tag Orders Due**

When: August 24, 2023 Cost: \$17 \*subject to change

Tags need to be purchased for

- market lambs/goats attending any 2024 WCJLS, LVJLS, and major shows
- registered breeding sheep/goats attending any 2024 WCJLS, LVJLS, and major shows
- wether dams/does attending any 2024 WCJLS, LVJLS, and major shows

Order at the Extension office OR online (coming soon).

Validation will occur in October!

### Heifer and Swine Validation Tag Orders

More Information Coming Soon!

### San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo Ambassador

If you would like for a San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo ambassador to attend a club meeting during August-November, reach out to Linda Boubel at <u>sarodeoambd2@outlook.com</u>

## Food Camp

July 25 from 9:30am-3:30pm @ Extension Classroom



Learn to make your own ratatouille!



Where flavors come to life!

## Learn/ improve your cooking skills with

- Plating techniques
- Proper knife skills
- Flavor combinations
- Garnishing tips
- Heat equipment safety
- and MORE

Limited availability so register ASAP! Must be registered to attend.

Registration link <u>HERE</u>

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### 2023- 2024 Kick Off Event August 20th from 3-5 pm @ Wilson County Showbarn

435 TX-97, FLORESVILLE, TX 78114

Explore projects like Animals, STEM, Food & Nutrition, Shooting Sports, & More!

**NEW & CURRENT MEMBERS WELCOME** 

WWW.WILSON.AGRILIFE.ORG/4-H/

PHONE: 830-393-7357



WILSON COUNTY 4-H

MONTHLY PHOTO

DISPLAY

AT THE WILSON COUNTY LIBRARIES

September Animals October Shadows November People ..... December Food ..... January Long Exposure 🛛 February Elements of Design 

Each Wilson County 4-H member can display one photo each month.

Mats will be provided for 8x10 photo prints to be displayed.

Photos should be relevant to each month's theme.

Please include name, 4-H Club, email, phone number, and age group (Jr, Int, Sr) on the back of the photo.

Photos will be due at the monthly meetings.

Please follow 4-H photo guidelines. Inappropriate photos will not be displayed.

### CONTACT

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## **District Updates**

### 2023 District 10 4-H Leadership Summit SAVE THE DATE! – July 29, 2023

District 10 4-H Leadership Summit is a one-day leadership event for 4-H members of ALL ages. Each year's event is hosted at a local college/university within our District. Youth will take a tour of the campus and participate in fun activities that will grow their competencies as leaders!

The 2023 District 10 4-H Leadership Summit will be held at Schreiner University on July 29, 2023.

Registration is FREE but will have limited capacity. Registration will open on 4HOnline on June 15, 2023 and close July 17, 2023 or until capacity is reached.



### Texas 4-H State Record Book Judging Registration Deadline: July 31, 2023

#### 2022-2023 State 4-H Record Book Information:

\*NOTE: This is only for Senior Age Division Youth who place 1<sup>st</sup> in their Category at District

- Entry Process: Entry Process this year will be a Two-Step Process. You will need first register on 4HOnline by July 31, 2023. Next, you need to upload your Record Book into Submittable by that same deadline.
- Book Handling:

**\*\*All record books MUST be uploaded as a PDF in Submittable by July 31, 2023 at 11:59 pm.** Judging is scheduled in August. Judges will use the score sheet in Submittable to judge. Scoresheets will be sent to the 4-H member through Submittable after judging concludes and the State Office has time to review. Awards will be given to the Top 3 in each category and mailed to the County Office following the competition.

- Entry and Cost Information: Each individual 4-H member will use 4HOnline to enter their record book into state competition by selecting the event : 2023 STATE 4-H Record Book Judging (Senior District Winners). Registration cost is \$15.00. The entries will require county and district certification in 4HOnline. If a book does not get entered online correctly by Monday, July 31<sup>th</sup> at 11:59 pm it will be disqualified. No entries will be accepted after this deadline.
- Results: Results will be posted on the Texas 4-H Record Book website by September 1, 2023.
- State Record Book Winner Trip: State Record Book Winner Trip: Those placing 1st in the State record book contest earn the opportunity to attend the Texas 4-H Leadership Conference. The Texas 4-H Leadership Conference in Washington, D.C. during Thanksgiving break (November 23-November 28, 2023). The cost of the trip to the 4-H member is typically between \$1,500-2,000. The deadline to accept the trip opportunity will be September 15, 2023. Registration details will follow.

## **State Updates**

Tauca A II State Dec Show - Huntaville TV	
Texas 4-H State Dog Show – Huntsville, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Wed., April 19, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Friday, May 12, 2023	
LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINE: May 13-19, 2023	
EVENT DATE:	Texas 4-H Dog Show Website
July 6-8, 2023	Texas 4-H Dog Show Rules 2023 Hotel Block Information
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Texas 4-H State Games – Baird/San Antonio, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: May 17, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 16, 2023	
Registration will be conducted on (2) different sites:	
STEP ONE- Register on 4HOnline. STEP ONE must be	
completed FIRST. STEP TWO- Register on iclays.com	
July 9-14, 2023	Events: Rifle, Pistol, Muzzleloading &
Baird, Texas	Hunting Skill
	Location: Callahan Shooting Range
July 17-22, 2023	Events: Archery & Shotgun
San Antonio, TX	Location: National Shooting Complex
Texas 4-H Horse Show – Bryan, TX	
REGISTRATION OPENS: Monday, May 1, 2023	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Sat., July 1, 2023	
EVENT DATE:	Texas 4-H Horse Show Website
	Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules
July 23-28, 2023	2023 State Horse Validation
Texas 4-H State Record Book Judging (Virtual)	
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Mon., July 31, 2023	
Registration will be conducted on (2) different sites:	
STEP ONE- Register on 4HOnline. STEP TWO- Register	
on Submittable by July 31 <sup>st</sup> deadline.	

### **State Ambassador Applications**

Shooting Sports opens June 1st

STEM opens July 1st- 31st

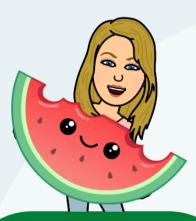
Website HERE

## **WILSON COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER**

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### **Helpful Website Links:**

District 10 4-H Texas 4-H 4-HOnline

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