



Donley County 4-H Family Newsletter MARCH 2014

NEXT 4-H Meeting MARCH 4th, 6:30 PM, DCAC

Clover Kids will <u>not meet</u> in March since the 12th is during Spring Break!



Geranium Fund Raiser

4-H members, one of our BIGGEST fund raisers is here!! You have a short time to sell! **PLEASE COME BY OFFICE TO GET SALES PACKET** if you were not at the February meeting. Do your part to help raise money for 4-H activities that you participate in!! Your Geranium Plant Sale Packet and <u>orders will be due at the April Meeting (with all totals matching!)</u>. Delivery of plants to customers will be the first week of May. Your reward for Top Sellers of geraniums will be: 1st \$50, 2nd \$30, & 3rd \$20!

HAVE FUN AND MEET NEW PEOPLE!!!





Attention Potential Steer Exhibitors

It is already time to purchase new steer projects. Validation tags must be ordered by April 15th. If your family thinks they are interested, you need to let Leonard know so tags can be ordered. Also, if you need assistance in purchasing a steer project let Leonard know ASAP. He will be looking for projects beginning in March. Steers must be on feed & validated by June 30th.

Potential Tri State & State Fair of Texas Swine Exhibitors



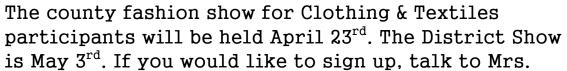
Exhibitors that are interested in showing market swine projects at the Tri State

Fair and/or the State Fair of Texas... validation tags will be ordered the last of April. Contact Leonard at 874-2141 or 806-282-7680 for assistance in selecting swine projects, which must be on feed & validated by June 30^{th} .

Scholarship Opportunity

The Bill Tally scholarship applications are now available upon request. Bill Tally is the late grandfather of Christel Green who was an active member of the Donley County 4-H. Christel is a 1994 graduate of Clarendon High School and actively showed steers for 3 years; she is a major contributor to the Donley County Jr. Livestock Association. In honor of Bill Tally she set up this scholarship to help 4-Her's further their education. This is a great opportunity for 4-H members to get assistance with college expenses. <u>Deadline</u>, <u>May 4th</u>.





Hommel or sign up at the March meeting. Project meetings will be held in Mrs. Hommel's classroom at 4:30 on these Wednesdays: March 5th, 19th & 26th; April 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd (fashion show) & 30th.

At the first meeting, several members made blankets for CPS to give to displaced children. Way to go members and leaders!! What an awesome community service project!

REMEMBER...NO PASS, NO PLAY!!

We do check your grades so make sure you are keeping them up! You have to be eligible to participate in Judging, Fashion Show, etc...

Livestock & Horse Judging

4-Her's interested in participating in Livestock Judging or Horse Judging this Spring that have not signed up will need to sign up at the March meeting or contact Leonard. Practice will be announced after reviewing everyone's schedules.

If you have any questions about camps, projects or activities or need information please call the EXTENSION OFFICE at 806-874-2141.

Leonard Haynes, CEA-AG/NR

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