



Donley County 4-H Family Newsletter November 2014

Donley County 4-H will meet November 4th at 6:30 p.m. at DCAC

We will be decorating pumpkins so please bring decorating supplies such as glue, paint pens, ribbons, etc...anything you would like to decorate with (no glitter please!)



Clover Kids will meet November 12th from 4-5 at the DCAC

Horse and Beef Quiz Bowls

The Quiz Bowl teams will compete at District Super Quiz Bowl Day on November 8th in Panhandle. Teams need to arrive by 8:45 AM!! Contact your coaches for details. *GOOD LUCK TO ALL QUIZ BOWL TEAMS!!!*

Food Challenge

The District Food Challenge was held in Pampa on October 14th. We had 3 teams participate this year. The Intermediate team of Malerie Simpson, Kaylee Osburn and Zoe Adams won 1st place! Also competing in the Intermediate Division was Tanner Burch, Chardy Craft, Jenci Hernandez and Izzy craft. The junior team of Makenna Shadle, Jayde Gribble, Laney Gates, Hailey Wilson and Levi Gates won 3rd place! Way to go everyone!! Thanks to project leader Lindy Craft and assistant Julie Gates! We appreciate everyone who helped and welcome all parents to join in on the fun!!

Food and Nutrition News



The **County Food Show** was held on October 21st at DCAC. Participants and their categories are as follows: Jodee Pigg, Mac & Cheese; Levi Gates, Salsa; Makenna Shadle, Special Diets (Juniors); Izzy Craft, Yeast Rolls; Chardy Craft, Special Diets (Intermediates) and Laney Gates, Yeast Bread. Congratulations

on your hard work!! All were 1st place winners and will advance to **District Food Show** in Bushland on November 15th with registration starting at 9:00 a.m.



MAJOR SHOW REQUIREMENT!!



Major Show QUALITY COUNTS Verification Training. If you intend to show at any of the major shows in Texas in 2015 **you are required** to have passed the online Quality Counts test. Freshmen who took it last year will have to take again

this year! If you were unable to attend the meeting on October 20th and still need to complete the test call Leonard at 806-282-7680 so that he can discuss testing options.

WE CANNOT COMPLETE YOUR ENTRIES WITHOUT YOU COMPLETION NUMBER



Swine Projects: County & Major Swine Validation

Time is running out for anyone still wanting to show pigs! If you need Leonard to assist you, please call him 806-282-7680.

Swine validation will be the week of November 17th-20th. All swine projects **must** be validated by November 30!!

*****Livestock Project Entry Night****

Livestock show entry night will be held at the Donley County Activity Center on NOVEMBER 12th from 5-6PM. All **exhibitors and a parent** must be present to fill out the necessary paperwork and pay fees. If you are unable to attend, please make prior arrangements. All entries for Fort Worth must be completed on November 12th. County, Austin, San Angelo, San Antonio, and Houston can be completed at this time. **No Entries will be ACCEPETED after November 30th.** Please feel free to contact Leonard with any questions related to your livestock project.











2015 Donley COUNTY STOCK SHOW!!!

2015 Donley County Stock Show & Sale will be held JANUARY 10, 2015. Animal check in will be <u>JANUARY 9th</u>. Watch next newsletter for set up and clean up schedules!

Good Luck with all projects!!

Major Stock Show Information

Ft. Worth

fwssr.com

Goats & Lambs: arrive January 29th, show January 31st & February 1st

Barrows: arrive February 3rd, show February 5th & 6th **Steers**: arrive February 3rd, show February 5th & 6th

San Antonio

sarodeo.com

Goats & Lambs: arrive February 17th, show February 18th & 19th

Barrows: (**Group 1**: Bershire, Dark Cross, Hamps, Poland, Spot, Duroc) arrive February 21^{st} , show February 22^{nd} & 23^{rd} (**Group 2**: Chester White, Cross, Landrace, York) arrive February

23rd, show February 25th & 26th

Steers: arrive February 23^{rd} , show February 25^{th} , 26^{th} & 27^{th}

San Angelo

sanangelorodeo.com

Goats & Lambs: arrive February 23rd, show February 24th **Barrows:** arrive February 17th, show February 18th & 19th

Steers: arrive February 16th, show February 17th

Austin

rodeoaustin.com

 $\textbf{Goats \& Lambs:} \ \, \text{arrive March } 16^{\text{th}} \text{ , show March } 17^{\text{th}} \text{ (goats) \& March } 17^{\text{th}} \text{ (lambs)}$

Barrows: arrive March 20^{th} , show March 21^{st} & 22^{nd} **Steers:** arrive March 23^{rd} , show March 24^{th} & 25^{th}

Houston

houstonrodeo.com

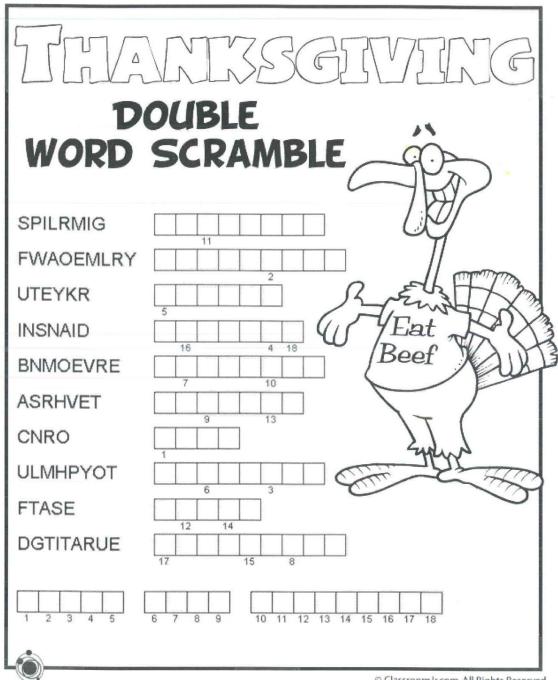
Goats & Lambs: arrive March 11th, show March 12th & 13th (goats)

Barrows: (**Group 1:** Duroc, Berkshire, Hamps, Spotted, Poland, Dark Cross) arrive March 14th, show March 15th & 16th (**Group 2:** Yorks, Chester, OPB and other Cross) arrive March 17th, show

March 18th & 19th

Steers: arrive March 16th, show March 18th - 20th





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If you have any questions about activities, projects or need information call the Extension Office at 806-874-2141 or 806-282-7680.

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