

Impacts from January 28 to April 22

- Health Fairs/exhibits:
 - County Employee health fair at the Civic Center – exhibited nutrition and diabetes education materials
 - 55+ health fair at the ROC – 180 senior adults attended. Exhibited fast food nutrition exhibit, “Be Well, Live Well” flyer, diabetes support group information
 - Como-Pickton School health fair – dangers of second hand smoke, healthy eating – approximately 200 attended
 - Promoted Twogether in Texas marriage education workshop at Bridal Sip & See – reached approximately 40
- Major programs:
 - Twogether in Texas marriage education workshop – 3 couples
 - Head Start 3 & 4 programs – 175 kids
 - Master Wellness Volunteer 5-day training – 3 new recruits
 - “Do Well, Be Well with Diabetes” series – 9 participants
 - Child Safety Seat check-up – 41 inspections, \$54,698 economic impact, 29 car seats replaced or given out (some children arrived unrestrained)
 - Created Diabetes Support group – 4th Tuesday of each month at noon at the Extension Office – 5 attendees the first month
- 4-H activities:
 - County 4-H Council meeting & 4-H Record Book training
 - Tractor Supply Paper Clover Campaign & hot dog sale
 - County 4-H Roundup: 12 qualified for District competition in public speaking, educational presentations, share-the-fun talent, food show fashion show, consumer decision making contest, and district Food Challenge
 - Published 4-H Gazette
 - 4-H Sewing Fun Day & Mystery Tour (Good Will)

- Upcoming events:
 - Kids' Camp: Fun, Food, Fitness
 - Skills Camp
 - Do Well, Live Well: Program on Healthy Aging
 - Twogether in Texas marriage education workshop

- Texas Community Futures Forum:
 - Gathering of our Extension committees, Leadership Advisory Board, Master Volunteers, episodic volunteers, stakeholders, and officials to discuss issues facing Hopkins County which could be addressed by Extension. Results:

Family & Community Health:

- 1) Fall Prevention among elderly
- 2) Diabetes education
- 3) Childhood nutrition & wellness
- 4) Marriage education

4-H & Youth:

- 1) Transitioning from high school to college
- 2) Building leadership in older 4-H'ers through involvement in summer camps

Ag/Natural Resources:

- 1) Small landowner trainings
- 2) New rancher education
- 3) Protected predator birds
- 4) Feral hog and coyote issues

Jessica Taylor
April 22, 2019

Commissioner's Court Interpretation

February 2019

February 4th - First Day of Employment. I traveled to District Office in Dallas to complete New Employee paperwork. Arrived at Hopkins County Office around 11:30am, immediately had a staff meeting with Johanna, Mario, and Barbara. They explained to me how the office works, their individual duties, what they expect of me, and we went over each other's calendars and filled in necessary dates. I attended my first 4-H Council Meeting that evening at 6pm.

February 5th - Called Colby Clary at Overton office to get my computer and accounts set up that morning. I started my online training necessary for new employees. Attended and sat in on Mario's Vet Science meeting at 4-5pm.

February 6th - The office staff had a LAB Luncheon Discussion meeting at 9:30am. Johanna, Mario, and Barbara explained to me how the LAB Luncheon works and its purpose.

February 7th - Got to go to the courthouse and meet the County Judge, Judge Newsom. Afterwards I attended a meeting with the Environmental Committee. Mario had a Tomato Grafting seminar at 1pm and I got to sit in on that and assist the volunteers.

February 8th - Radio Interview at 8am with Dave Kirkpatrick at Star 95.9 to introduce me to the community.

February 11th - Attended Commissioners Court at 9am. A representative from Ratcliff's office attended and presented Judge Newsom with a flag from the capital and special recognition for all of this hard work and dedication to the community. Visited 4-Her Isaac Ray at his house to inspect his chickens for NETLA at 1:30pm. The chickens looked good, were feathering out nicely, no sickness detected, and he stated that he would start culling the following week. At 6:30pm I attended my first NETLA meeting at Sulphur Springs High School Ag building. I introduced myself to the other committee members and ag teachers that attended, and I also got the feel for how the NETLA show was going to be ran.

February 12th - I visited the Deterding residence around 4pm to help their daughter (who is one of my 4-Hers) work with her steer project. They were concerned that he would not behave well enough for her to show him. I worked with the steer myself so that I could judge his temperament before I watched her work with him. I judged that his temperament was good enough for her to continue to work with him. I then showed her some techniques that she could use on him in order for her to feel more comfortable. I showed her how to properly use a show stick, and how to properly place his feet when she is in the show ring. I felt that the practice went very well, and as long as she practiced the techniques that I showed her she would do well.

February 13th - On this day Mario was giving a Private Applicator Training course at the office from 10am to 2pm. I do not have my Private Applicators license, so I thought it would be best that I sit in on the class as a student in order to take the first step to getting my license. I feel that if I am going to be teaching one of these courses in the future, I need to have my license before I teach someone else how to get theirs. I took the course with the other students and answered any questions that they had during the lessons.

February 14th - Valentine's Day!! The office staff was kind enough to throw me a "Meet and Greet" party at the office from 3-5pm. I got to meet a lot of community members, as well as 4-H kids that I had not met yet. Plus, some of my kids that I have met came by and brought their parents with them, which was very nice and very helpful. I had spoken to several of these parents over the phone, so it was nice to put a face to the name and voice.

February 15th - Mario took me out to the Gray residence to visit with some 4-H show kids that show heifers and steers. We had to take them some paperwork, so he let me ride along so I could meet them and see their cattle.

February 18th - I clipped 1 goat for the NETLA show at 10am. Then at 4:30pm I went to Andy Endsley's house to help him cull chickens for the NETLA show.

February 19th - I had a radio interview with Dave Kirkpatrick about the NETLA show at Star 95.9 at 8am. Johanna had a Master Wellness class in the back classroom so I finally got to sit in on one of her programs to see what all that consisted of and how she conducted those.

February 20th - I had another radio interview at KSST radio station at 8am to introduce me to the community. At 10am I starting clipping steers for NETLA. I finished around 3-3:30pm, then loaded my stuff up and drove to another place to clip 2 goats for the NETLA show.

February 21st -23rd - NETLA show!! Clipped animals and assisted kids the whole time!

February 25th - Sat in on the Community Health and Wellness meeting at noon to help discuss Kids Camp.

February 26th - Took phone calls in the office and received Add- Ons for NETLA.

February 27th - Went to Still Meadow Dairy with Mario and a Vet Science student to help her log hours for her certification. I have never been to a dairy before so that was very interesting! In the afternoon I spent the rest of the day filling out reports and doing more online training for my new employment.

February 28th - The office hosted a Ag In The Classroom planning meeting and a Master Gardeners meeting in the morning. I sat in on the AITC meeting and I was responsible for taking the minutes. After that meeting was over, I introduced myself to the rest of the Master Gardeners that I haven't met yet.

March 2019

March 1- Proofread 4-H Gazette before it was published

March 4- Attended Staff meeting at Extension office

Finished editing Vet Science Lesson for Vet Science Class

Created Doodle Poll for the Tractor Supply Company's Paper Clover Campaign going on March 27th - April 7th. After it was finished I published it online.

March 5- Assisted Mario in teaching Vet Science Course. My topic was Responsibility in the Workplace.

March 8- LAB Luncheon at the Extension Office. My 4-H Group joined the FCS group. We decided that the older 4-H kids need to be more involved with the younger kids and camps.

March 12- Attended the Emergency Management Briefing at the Hopkins County Courthouse at 1:00pm.

March 13- I drove to Mt. Pleasant to meet the new Ag Extension Agent for Titus County. Her name is Callie Zoeller.

March 21- I went to Tractor Supply Company to discuss the Paper Clover Campaign. I found out what they were going to furnish, and what I needed to furnish.

March 22- Drove to State Fair Park in Dallas, Tx to attend and judge the Food Challenge. It was a very eye opening and exciting experience.

March 25- Attended the Community Health Alliance meeting at the Extension office. We discuss Kids Camp and Skills Camp.

March 26- County Round Up was held at the office, so I spent most of the day helping Mario and Johanna set up and get ready for that. I was then a timekeeper for the speaking events.

March 27- TSC Paper Clover Campaign began! Set up booth at TSC.

March 28- Attended CRCG meeting that was held at the Extension Office.

Attended and assisted with PAWS meeting held at SSES.

I assisted Jeremy Bridges with teaching Archery to the kids.

March 29- I completed monthly reports online and set up for Hotdog Cookout at TSC.

March 30- TSC Paper Clover Campaign Hotdog Cookout Fundraiser. Several kids showed up to help. We made \$43.05 just on hotdog sales. There were also a large number of donations that were not calculated. The total number of donations made to TSC is still unknown. However, Sulphur Springs Tractor Supply had the most paper clovers donated on the first day than any other TSC in their region!!

April 2019

April 1- The office staff held a meeting that morning to go over everyone's calendars.

April 2- I assisted Johanna in setting up her display for a Health Fair that was taking place at the Rock in Sulphur Springs.

-I assisted Mario in teaching his Vet Science class at the Extension Office. My topic was over Attitudes, and how attitudes can affect the staff, customers, and animals at the clinic.

April 3- I had a meeting with Mr. Hurley Miller that went over new employee expectations and early employee training.

April 5- I traveled to Dallas to attend Career Ladder Training at the Headquarters in the Dallas Center.

April 8- I went to TSC to pick up and clean up the display that we used for the Paper Clover Campaign.

April 10- I had a meeting with Mr. Larry Pierce here at the Extension Office. He set me up on some existing plans, and we also agreed to set up some new plans. I am going to be putting on a Steer & Heifer Showmanship Clinic on June 1 with the help of several volunteers. It is going to take place at the Civic Center, in the area on the hill, from 9:30am-3pm. We are going to have live cattle for the kids to learn and practice with, and we are going to show them how to properly show, care for, and feed their bovine projects. Larry and I have also agreed upon me starting an Equine Club in the Hopkins County 4-H. This club is going to be for kids that like horses, and are interested in horses, the horse industry, and horse judging.

April 12- Mario and I had a short meeting with the local Zoetis representative concerning some research and complaints from a local cattle producer. We discussed some of the side effects of a certain vaccine that is used in the NETBIO sale.

-I had a meeting with a volunteer that is helping me set up the Livestock Showmanship Clinic.

April 15- I attended the NETLA meeting at the Sulphur Springs high school Ag building. Rule changes were suggested, and will be discussed at next meeting.

April 16- I traveled to Regional Onboarding Training in Tyler, TX. This training tells us how to handle volunteers, parents, and kids.

April 17- Mario and I went to the Grasslands Tour for 3rd and 4th graders. We taught a class over aquatics.

April 18- I attended a Council of Governments (COG) meeting in Mount Pleasant with Mario. They discussed recycling issues in their region, and ways to improve the involvement of the community in keeping our counties clean and free of trash.

2019 Activities Calendar Hopkins County Ag/NR

Month	Day	Activity	Plan
January	5	Goat/lamb clinic	4-H AgNR
January	7	staff conference	ADMINISTRATION
January	14	NETLA meeting	4-H AgNR
January	20	Ft Worth Dairy Judging	4-H AgNR
January	28	Commisioner's Court Int	ADMINISTRATION
February	1	DEA Performance Appraissal	ADMINISTRATION
February	4	Staff Meeting	ADMINISTRATION
February	4	4-H Council meeting	4-H GROW
February	7	Tomato Grafting	Water Conservation
February	7	Potts training at icehouse	Livestock and Forage
February	11	NETLA meeting	4-H AgNR
February	14	Private Applicator training	Livestock and Forage
February	18	Goat project clipping	4-H AgNR
February	21-23	NETLA Junior Market Show	4-H AgNR
March	1	4-H Gazette	
March	4	Staff Meeting	ADMINISTRATION
March	8	LAB lunch	ADMINISTRATION
March	18-22	Spring break	ADMINISTRATION
March	25	NETLA Meeting	4-H AgNR
March	26	Gardening talk	Water Conservation
March	26	4-H Round-Up	4-H GROW
April	1	Staff Meeting	ADMINISTRATION
April	1	4-H Council	4-H GROW
April	9	DOPA- Stephenville	Livestock and Forage
April	12	DOPA planning meeting	Livestock and Forage
April	17	Grasslands tour - youth	Water Conservation
April	22	Commisioner's Court Int	ADMINISTRATION
April	24	Greenhouse tour- Seagoville	Water Conservation
April	26	Grasslands tour - Adult	Livestock and Forage
April	27	College Station- Livestock Judging	4-H AgNR
April	26	Texas SuperStars Plant Sale	Water Conservation
May	2	4-H Gazette	4-H GROW
May	6	Staff Meeting	ADMINISTRATION
May	10	Beef Program NETBIO	Livestock and Forage
May	15	Private Applicator Training	Livestock and Forage
May	21	Faculty Training -Dallas	ADMINISTRATION

June	3	4-H Council Meeting	4-H GROW
June	7	Tour Day	4-H GROW
June	8	Dairy Show	4-H AgNR
June	13	Dairy show sale	4-H AgNR
June	10 to 14	4-H Round Up State	4-H GROW
June	29	Economics of beef ranching	Livestock and Forage
July	1	Staff Conference	ADMINISTRATION
July	11	Record Book Judging	4-H GROW
July	15-17	Multicounty camp	4-H GROW
July	29-31	TCAAA	ADMINISTRATION
July	29-31	skills camp	
August	5 to 7	Beef Short Course	Livestock and Forage
August	8	LAB Dinner	ADMINISTRATION
August	14	Private Applicator training	Livestock and Forage
August	20	Fall Faculty Conference	ADMINISTRATION
August	26	Commissioner's Court Int	ADMINISTRATION
September	3	2020 plans due	4-H GROW
September	6	Ag in the classroom volunteer mtg	4-H AgNR
October	5	Beef Day	Livestock and Forage
October	8	Ag in the Classroom	4-H AgNR
October	9	Ag in the Classroom	4-H AgNR
October	30	DOPA training	Livestock and Forage
November	6	PAT CEU's	Livestock and Forage
November	13	PAT new licensees	Livestock and Forage
November	14	LAB banquet	ADMINISTRATION
November	25	Commisioner's Court Int	ADMINISTRATION

2019 Sale of Champions

NorthEast Texas Junior Market Livestock Show

Saturday, February 23, 2019

Showmanship Winners

Awards by Northeast Texas Farmers CO-OP

Steer		Swine	
Sr. Destiny Lackey	HC4H	Sr. Carol Nabors	CPFFA
Int. Mika Gray	HC4H	Int. Brody Busby	CPFFA
Jr.		Jr. Roman Massey	MGFFA
Lamb		Goat	
Sr. Wyatt Wharton	NHFFA	Sr. Dayton Wood	Cumby FFA
Int. Paisley Watkins	HC4H	Int. Caroline Coker	SSFFA
Jr. Ramsey Ragan	HC4H	Jr. Camille Coker	SSFFA
Poultry		Heifers	
Sr. Micah Flemens	CPFFA	Sr. Savannah Allen	SSFFA
Int. Karrigan McQuary	SSFFA	Int. Aspen Mayhew	HC4H
Jr. Miley McCormack	HC4H	Jr.	

Heifer Champions

Grand Champion Heifer Mika Gray - HC4H
Reserve Champion Heifer Blaine Flemens - CPFFA

Lot #	Species	Exhibitor	Chapter	Weight	Resale	Buyer	Bid
1	Grand Steer	Tracey Shackelford	NHFFA	1345	\$ 1,412.25		
2	Grand Swine	Kindal Shackelford	NHFFA	276	\$ 124		
3	Grand Lamb	Annie Horton	SSFFA	131	\$ 170		
4	Grand Goat	Amy Sprague	NHFFA	83	\$ 183		
5	Grand Poultry	Karrigan McQuay	SSFFA				
6	Reserve Steer	Canyon Thomas	CPFFA	1335	\$ 1,401.75		
7	Reserve Swine	Tate Myers	NHFFA	269	\$ 121		
8	Reserve Lamb	Wyatt Wharton	NHFFA	134	\$ 174		
9	Reserve Goat	Dayton Wood	CPFFA	105	\$ 231		
10	Reserve Poultry	Kase Saucier	SSFFA				
11	Steers	Madi Skaggs	HC4H	1240	\$ 1,302.00		

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12	Swine	Madison Joslin	NHFFA	227	\$	102	
13	Lambs	Ramsey Ragan	HC4H	154	\$	200	
14	Goats	Kaitlynn Harness	NHFFA	87	\$	191	
15	Poultry	Braden Lennon	HC4H				
16	Steers	Mika Gray	HC4H	1220	\$	1,281.00	
17	Swine	Harli Watson	MGFFA	231	\$	104	
18	Lambs	Laney Bankston	SSFFA	145	\$	189	
19	Goats	Jessica Hatley	NHFFA	90	\$	198	
20	Poultry	Jackson Monk	CPFFA				
21	Steers	Rebekah Stanley	HC4H	1280	\$	1,344.00	
22	Swine	Jackson Reed	SSFFA	234	\$	105	
23	Lambs	Trenton Wood	CFFA	120	\$	156	
24	Goats	Caroline Coker	SSFFA	85	\$	187	
25	Poultry	Blaine Flemens	CPFFA				
26	Steers	Destiny Lackey	HC4H	1055	\$	1,107.75	
27	Swine	Hayden Daniel	SSFFA	243	\$	109	
28	Lambs	Reese Ragan	HC4H	151	\$	196	
29	Goats	Darby Williams	HC4H	86	\$	189	
30	Poultry	Cameron Endsley	HC4H				
31	Steers	Dylan Strain	SBFFA	1225	\$	1,286.25	
32	Swine	Alexis Green	MGFFA	246	\$	111	
33	Lambs	Baylor Boatman	HC4H	153	\$	199	
34	Goats	Alaina Johnson	HC4H	107	\$	235	
35	Poultry	Micah Flemens	CPFFA				
36	Steers	Rhayne Thomas	CPFFA	1285	\$	1,349.25	
37	Swine	Sam Gamblin	SSFFA	253	\$	114	
38	Lambs	Lilly Bankston	SSFFA	134	\$	174	
39	Goats	Parris Pickett	SSFFA	79	\$	174	
40	Poultry	Jackson Lundell	HC4H				
41	Steers	Molly Kelley	SBFFA	1170	\$	1,228.50	
42	Swine	Ryder Rawson	SSFFA	253	\$	114	
43	Lambs	Alexus Sallee	MGFFA	127	\$	165	
44	Goats	Camille Coker	SSFFA	73	\$	161	
45	Poultry	Addison Monk	CPFFA				

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46	Steers	Esperanza Deterding	HC4H	1310	\$ 1,375.50	
47	Swine	Carol Nabors	CPFFA	267	\$ 120	
48	Lambs	Jessie Rivera	NHFFA	134	\$ 174	
49	Goats	Keegan Callihan	NHFFA	98	\$ 216	
50	Poultry	Isaac Ray	HC4H			
51	Steers	Armando Osornio	CFFA	1195	\$ 1,254.75	
52	Swine	Jalyn Hrabal	NHFFA	271	\$ 122	
53	Lambs	William Sallee	MGFFA	158	\$ 205	
54	Goats	Reed Williams	HC4H	93	\$ 205	
55	Poultry	Kannon Gibson	HC4H			
56	Steers	Shane Johnson	SBFFA	1215	\$ 1,275.75	
57	Swine	Brody Busby	CPFFA	279	\$ 126	
58	Lambs	Rhye Caudle	HC4H	156	\$ 203	
59	Goats	Jocelyn Helterbrand	MGFFA	91	\$ 200	
60	Poultry	Cash Vitow	SSFFA			
61	Steers	Cassidi Froneberger	MGFFA	1085	\$ 1,139.25	
62	Swine	Danielle Garrett	MGFFA	228	\$ 103	
63	Lambs	Paisley Watkins	HC4H	132	\$ 172	
64	Goats	Hattie Bland	NHFFA	100	\$ 220	
65	Poultry	Seth Johns	HC4H			
66	Steers	Rolando Massey	MGFFA	1180	\$ 1,239.00	
67	Swine	Maddox Potts	HC4H	232	\$ 104	
68	Lambs	Chandra Lee	MGFFA	140	\$ 182	
69	Goats	Savannah Allen	SSFFA	81	\$ 178	
70	Poultry	Phillip Rater	HC4H			
71	Steers	Harrison Fite	SBFFA	1185	\$ 1,244.25	
72	Swine	Baylee Bowen	CPFFA	238	\$ 107	
73	Lambs	Ashlyn Hudson	CFFA	185	\$ 241	
74	Goats	Blaine Allen	SSFFA	71	\$ 156	
75	Poultry	Coen Bell	SSFFA			
76	Swine	Chloe Romero	CPFFA	242	\$ 109	
77	Lambs	Ashley Aguilar	NHFFA	134	\$ 174	
78	Goats	Hattie Thompson	HC4H	68	\$ 150	
79	Poultry	Ayden Koon	SSFFA			

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80	Swine	Kalea Weatherford	HC4H	250	\$	113	
81	Lambs	Jamilyn Hensley	HC4H	124	\$	161	
82	Goats	Lilly Campbell	CFFA	111	\$	244	
83	Poultry	Bethany Taylor	CFFA				
84	Swine	Kallie Potter	Saltillo FFA	256	\$	115	
85	Goats	Griffin Crawford	SSFFA	86	\$	189	
86	Poultry	Gaby Osornio	CFFA				
87	Swine	Ann Dorner	SBFFA	259	\$	117	
88	Goats	Brooks Burgin	HC4H	76	\$	167	
89	Poultry	Miley McCormack	HC4H				
90	Swine	Kayleigh Brewer	CPFFA	262	\$	118	
91	Goats	Kate Taylor	CFFA	97	\$	213	
92	Poultry	Maurie Flecker	SSFFA				
93	Swine	Braddox Rawson	SSFFA	274	\$	123	
94	Goats	Mason Burgin	HC4H	97	\$	213	
95	Poultry	Anderson Grimes	HC4H				
96	Swine	Elly Eddins	SSFFA	286	\$	129	
97	Goats	Gunner Campbell	CFFA	103	\$	227	
98	Poultry	Bella Romero	CPFFA				
99	Swine	Kaitlyn Myers	NHFFA	285	\$	128	
100	Goats	Jace Thompson	HC4H	73	\$	161	
101	Poultry	Aiken Grimes	HC4H				
102	Swine	Emma Eddins	SSFFA	255	\$	115	
103	Goats	Slayton McClendon	SSFFA	75	\$	165	
104	Poultry	Misty Taylor	CFFA				
105	Swine	Elli Kate Daniel	SSFFA	283	\$	127	
106	Goats	Jaci Wood	CFFA	86	\$	189	
107	Poultry	Haylee Shultz	SSFFA				
108	Swine	Brayden Morris	SSFFA	243	\$	109	
109	Goats	Liberty Weatherhead	NHFFA	88	\$	194	
110	Poultry	Payton Hunt	SSFFA				
111	Swine	Brody Gunn	SBFFA	227	\$	102	
112	Goats	Sydney Bell	NHFFA	78	\$	172	
113	Poultry	Harley Vaughn	NHFFA				

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114	Swine	Ireland Fite	HC4H	242	\$	109	
115	Goats	Jesse Bearden	NHFFA	85	\$	187	
116	Poultry	Brooklin Jordan	NHFFA				
117	Swine	Hadlee Hrabal	NHFFA	265	\$	119	
118	Goats	Peyton Miesse	SSFFA	89	\$	196	
119	Poultry	Jared Vaughn	NHFFA				
120	Swine	Carly Talley	CFFA	272	\$	122	
121	Goats	Lindsey Faulks	NHFFA	95	\$	209	
122	Poultry	Brady Love	HC4H				
123	Swine	Sydney Neal	CPFFA	235	\$	106	
124	Goats	Chloe Willis	HC4H	104	\$	229	
125	Poultry	Houston Pegues	CPFFA				
126	Swine	Sailan Adair	HC4H	232	\$	104	
127	Goats	Tatum White	CFFA	111	\$	244	
128	Poultry	Catherine Rissman	SSFFA				
129	Swine	Tobin Potter	Saltito FFA	225	\$	101	
130	Goats	Connor Burgin	HC4H	90	\$	198	
131	Poultry	Brody Weatherhead	NHFFA				
132	Swine	Kenna Lane	NHFFA	263	\$	118	
133	Goats	Canyon Talley	CFFA	86	\$	189	
134	Poultry	Rylan Sills	NHFFA				
135	Swine	Kaden Wallace	SSFFA	278	\$	125	
136	Goats	David James	NHFFA	81	\$	178	
137	Poultry	Brylee Moon	CPFFA				
138	Swine	Scholarship Swine Spradlin Family		276	\$	124	
139	Steers	Scholarship Steer		1100	\$	1,155.00	

2019 Market Show Sponsors

Grand Champion Steer – Legacy Ag Credit
Reserve Champion Steer - Texas Farm Credit

Grand Champion Swine - Roy and Yvonne King
Reserve Champion Swine - Farm Country Inc

Grand Champion Lamb – Texas Heritage National Bank
Reserve champion Lamb – Professional Land Title

Grand Champion Broiler – Hall Oil Co
Reserve Champion Broiler – Bell Concrete

Grand Champion Goat – Hopkins Co. Abstract
Reserve Champion Goat – Ronny Parris/Jay Hodge Chevrolet

Grand Champion Heifer – Tractor Supply Company
Reserve Champion Heifer – Farm Country Inc.

Grand Champion Ag Mech - 5W Contracting
Reserve Champion Ag Mech - 5W Contracting

Jackie Gibson Memorial Award – Martindale Feed Mill

Showmanship Awards

Steers - Catocon Inc.
Goats - Catocon Inc
Lambs - Burgin Pipe and Supply
Swine - Tractor Supply Company
Heifers - Tractor Supply Company
Broilers - Tractor Supply Company
Ag Mech - 5W Contracting
Ag Mech Sweepstakes – B T Medical

Buyers Luncheon - Farm Bureau
Buyers Stew - Professional Ag. Workers
Buyers Gifts - Moola Transport
Brochure - Legacy Ag Credit
Raffle Steer / Processing – In Touch Communications by Cumby Tel & Hopkins County Food Locker
Straw - Barnhart Custom Harvesting
Luncheon / Stew Donations - Southwest Dairy Farmers
Printing - Advantage Copy Systems
T-Shirts for Exhibitors Making Sale- A. K. Gillis
Exhibitor Sale Tags - Circle E Western Wear

Thank you to all the volunteers that work countless hours to make it all possible.

SPECIAL THANK YOU TO THE BUYERS!

Field Day for Producers and Grasslands Managers

Ebel Grasslands Ranch, Sulphur Bluff, Texas

April 26, 2019

8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

Agenda

8:30 - 9:30 am Welcome (given in covered pavilion)

-Native Grasslands: Environmental benefits, Economic benefits and sustainability- Rotational / prescribed grazing -Optimizing various grass/forage types -Water development

9:30 - 12:30p Pasture Walk: Opportunity to see topics discussed.

12:30 - 1:30p Lunch sponsored by NETBIO

Presentation on Fencing options, Rotational and other challenging pasture moves-Calving seasons.

1:30 - 4:30p Pasture Walk: Opportunity to see topic discussed.

Address: 225 CR 3611, Sulphur Bluff, TX 75481

Directions from Sulphur Springs: TX-154 W turns slightly right and becomes TX-19 N 4.0 mi Turn right onto FM 1537 E 0.9 mi Turn left onto FM 3236 N 7.0 mi Turn right onto W Farm Rd 71 E 8.9 mi, Turn right onto Co Rd 3611. You will see White Shop on left

This program is free. Limited to first 25 participants.

Register by calling The Hopkins County Extension Office at 903-885-3443

by April 5, 2019





Beef Up Cattlemen's Conference

May 10, 2019

2:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Hopkins County Regional Civic Center Covered Arena

1200 Houston Street, Sulphur Springs, Texas

Start 2:00 to 3:00 PM- Registration and Exhibitors Displays



3:00 to 3:30 PM- Animal ID: new perspectives

Hank Hayes- Texas Animal Health Commission



3:30 to 4:00 PM- Knowing Your Customer

Chris McClure- Private Consultant

STOP 4:00 to 4:15 PM- Break and Exhibitors Displays



4:15 to 4:30 PM- Creating native grasslands

Christian Ebel- Hopkins County 4-H



4:30 to 5:00 PM-Fifty shades of cattle health

Kevin Gray- 4G Veterinary Care



5:00 to 5:30 PM-The Beef Industry Today

Randy Harp—Texas A&M Commerce



5:30 to 6:00 PM- Questions and Answers

All presenters



6:00 to 7:00 PM – Steak Dinner

Call 903-449-6079 or email belldbarr@aol.com to secure meal before May 1, 2019.

Diabetes Support Group

Date: Thursday, February 28

Time: 5:30 p.m.

**Location: Texas A&M AgriLife Extension
Office
1200 W, Houston
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482**



Have you been diagnosed with diabetes and need encouragement? Join us at this meeting to share ideas and thoughts with those who understand!

**Contact Johanna Hicks at 903-885-3443
or Sue Potts, 903-348-3903 for more info.**



TEXAS A&M AGRI LIFE EXTENSION

Free Marriage Education Workshop 2019 Schedule

When: **Saturday, February 9**
(Pick one) **Saturday, May 18**
Saturday, August 24

- Where: Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office
1200-B W. Houston Street
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482

Lunch Provided!

- Time: 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- Who can come: married couples, engaged couples,
seriously dating couples
- Facilitator: Johanna Hicks, Extension Agent
- Must call to sign up: 903-885-3443

**Engaged couples will receive a certificate to save
\$60 upon applying for a marriage license.**

Communication

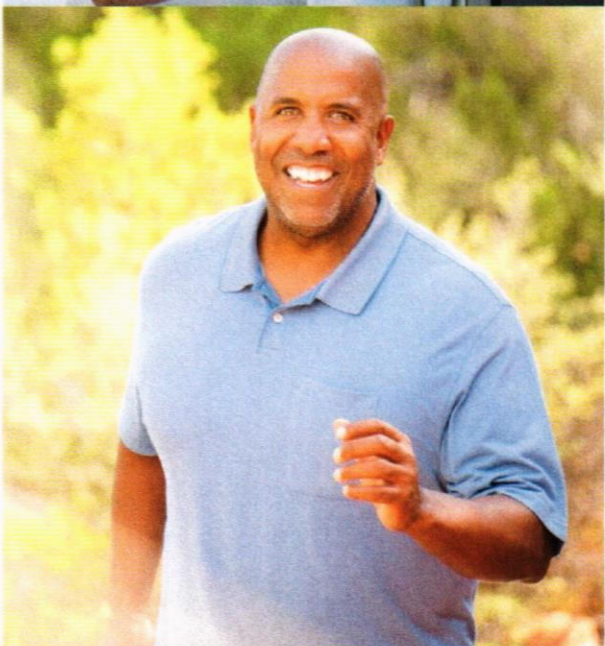
Marriage Expectations

Goal Setting

Conflict Resolution

Money Management

Individuals who require an auxiliary aid, service, or accommodation in order to participate are encouraged to contact the Hopkins County Extension Office at 903-885-3443 for assistance.



Be Well, Live Well: A Program on Healthy Aging

Learn How To:

- Reduce your risk for disease
- Engage in a healthy lifestyle

Be Independent, Eat Well

Learn which nutrients you need more of as you age, how to support cognition through food, and more!

Be Able, Read the Label

Find out how to use the nutrition facts label as tool to help you maintain a healthy eating pattern.

Be Safe, Eat Safe

Learn how to keep food safe while shopping, how to interpret dates on food packages, safe food storage practices, and more!

Be Creative, Plan Meals

Find solutions to eating alone and learn how to plan meals for small households.

Be Fit, Move More

Learn the benefits of physical activity as you age, and ideas to include physical activity in your daily life.

No charge to attend!

Sessions:

May 6, 9, 13, 16, 2019 / 10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office

1200 W. Houston / Sulphur Springs, TX 75482

Please RSVP by May 2, 2019:

Johanna Hicks / 903-885-3443

jshicks@ag.tamu.edu

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