



# 4-H FUTURES & FEATURES

## June 2020



### 4-H Council

Chairman - Kellie Mae Davis  
 1st V-Chairman - Jacee Sellers  
 2nd V-Chairman - Isaiah Chisum  
 Secretary - Emily Robertson  
 Reporter - Tony Soria  
 Delegates at Large -  
 Savana Sellers & Emma Chisum

### 4-H Lefors Pirates Delegates

President - Chaston Mouser  
 Reporter - Kyree Yearwood  
 Council Delegates - Braxton Mouser &  
 Chris Soenksen

### North Fork Delegates

President - Rebekka Ruzvidzo  
 Reporter - Avery McCarley  
 Council Delegates - Owen Moore

### Soaring Eagle Delegates

President -  
 Reporter -  
 Council Delegates -

### Top of Texas Delegates

President -  
 Reporter -  
 Council Delegate -

### North Fork Club Managers

Vacant

### Soaring Eagles Club Manager

Deborah Davis

### Top of Texas Archery Managers

Chad Epperson &  
 Angie Bowman-Epperson

### 4-H Lefors Pirates Club Managers

Dana Davis & Krista Elrod

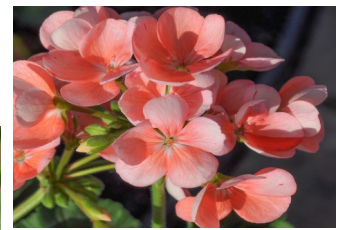
### Clover Kids Club Manager

MJ Brown

### ADULT LEADERS COUNCIL

Chairman - Chad Epperson  
 1st Vice-Chairman - Vacant  
 Secretary - Candace Sellers  
 Treasurer - Karen Schantin  
 Co-Treasurer - Brenda Green

*Even though this year's sale was different than ever before, the geranium sale was a success!!*



**New 4-H T-Shirt designs have arrived!**

**GET YOUR 4-H T-SHIRTS**

**@ TWIGGS.**

**\$14.00 for Small, Medium & Large**

**\$16.00 for XL and larger**



**Front**



**Back**



## Gray County 4-H Record Books are due on MONDAY JUNE 29TH for District Contests



Why is it important you keep a record of your 4-H activities? Because, by recording your activities you can remember all the fun you've had so far, and set future goals! Keeping records of 4-H projects could help you when you apply for college scholarships too! 4-H Record Books are books you make to record your annual projects.

*For more info, go to:*

<https://d14-h.tamu.edu/events/record-keeping-and-record-books/>

### Upcoming Photography Contests:

Capital Farm Credit D1 Agriculture.....June 18th

D1 4-H Photography Entries ... July 20th



For Details go to: <https://agrilife.org/d14h/files/2020/02/19-2020-CFC-Ag-photography.pdf>

<https://d14-h.tamu.edu/files/2020/03/4-H-District-Photography-Contest-Letter-2020.pdf>

## 4-H Fun Fact



**4-H is the largest youth development organization in the nation. 4-H'ers are...**

- ♦ 4x more likely to give back to their communities,
- ♦ 2x more likely to make healthier choices, and
- ♦ 2x more likely to participate in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math activities.

# Club Meetings

**ALL CLUBS WILL BE MEETING IN SEPTEMBER. ENJOY YOUR SUMMER!**

## Council News

### PARENT-LEADERS COUNCIL

*ALL ADULTS AND VOLUNTEERS ARE INVITED TO THESE MEETINGS*

Our next Parent - Leaders Council meeting is scheduled for June 16th, 2020 @ 6:30 p.m. in the Annex.

### 4-H YOUTH COUNCIL

SUNDAY, JUNE 7TH, AT THE ANNEX AT 4:30

## Project Meetings & Info

Project meetings will be scheduled as we move in to the months of summer.

And while the pandemic restrictions are relaxing.

### LIVESTOCK PROJECTS

**STEER, & NEW HEIFER VALIDATIONS WILL BE JUNE 24TH AT GRAY COUNTY VET.**

**SUMMER SHEEP & GOAT VALIDATIONS WILL BE JUNE 25TH.**

**Please call Nick with questions at 669-8033.**



Isaiah Chisum.....June 2  
Henry Rey .....June 2  
Logan Baker..... June 6  
Caitlynne Budd.....June 10  
Owen Moore ..... June 17  
Trenton Richey....June 20



# CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRAY COUNTY 4-H CLASS OF 2020!

WE SINCERELY WISH  
YOU GREAT SUCCESS IN  
YOUR FUTURE AND  
HOPE YOU WILL TAKE  
WHAT YOU LEARNED IN  
4-H WITH YOU!

## GRAY COUNTY 4-H SALUTES ITS CLASS OF 2020

*Congratulations  
Caitlynne Budd!*

Proud Parents: Justin and Leslie Taylor

Caitlynne has shown livestock for 9 years, beginning with swine, then lambs and finally, her favorite, steers. She has won numerous Reserve and Champion Breed awards as well as Reserve Grand Champion Steer and many showmanship competitions. She was awarded the Wayne Stribling Citizenship Award this year.

Caitlynne's plans are to attend West Texas A&M University in Canyon and major in Ag Science initially, then transfer to Texas A&M University and double major in Agri Science & Ag Systems Management.



Gray County 4-H  
Salutes its Class of  
2020

**BRAXTON MOUSER**

4-H for Lefors Pirates Club Council Delegate

Projects: Livestock; swine and goat

Activities: Salvation Army Bell Ringing, Tractor Supply, Food Drive, Community Services cleaning the park and helping the elderly in Lefors.

Awards: Reserve Breed in Swine and Grand Champion Goat

Volunteer hours: Pee wee football and Little Dribblers Basketball.

Braxton is planning to attend college and earn a teaching degree in special education and to be a coach.



**GRAY COUNTY 4-H  
SALUTES  
ITS CLASS OF 2020**



**CHRIS SOENKSEN**  
PROUD GUARDIANS:  
ANTHONY & JOAN SORIA

4-H for Lefors Pirates Club Council Delgate

Projects:  
Archery, Foods & Nutrition

Awards & Activities:  
4-H Council  
1st Place Main Dish County Food Show  
Tractor Supply Clover Campaign  
Salvation Army Bell Ringing

Future Plans: To become a Professional Chef



**Gray County 4-H salutes its class of 2020  
Congratulations Aubrey Carr!**

Proud Parents: David and Penny Carr

Aubrey has been accepted to McMurry University and plans to pursue a degree in psychology. She has been invited to be involved in cross-country running while working on her degree. She plans to continue practicing archery along with other interests such as painting, playing guitar and writing. She has been involved in 4-H since she was about 12 years old and appreciates the opportunities this organization provides for families.

*Warm wishes to Gray County 4-H Graduating Senior*

**Cash Manhart**




*Congratulations!*

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*You always pass failure  
on your way to success  
~Mickey Rooney*

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