



chambers county newsletter

Club Meetings

Barbers Hill 4-H Club

3rd Monday | 7 p.m. Cove Comm. Bldg.

Chambers Co. 4-H Horse Club

1st Sunday | 3 p.m. White Memorial Pk Arena

Chambers Co. 4-H Shooting Club

Saturdays | 2 p.m. Briggs Home

Marsh Maniacs

1st Thursday | 5:30 p.m. Gene's Polaris Country

Mid-Chambers 4-H Club

2nd Monday | 5:30 p.m. White Memorial Pk Comm. Bldg.

Southeast Texas Rabbits 4-H

1st Tuesday | 6 p.m. TBA_

West Chambers 4-H Club

2nd Wednesday | 2 p.m. Cove Comm. Bldg.

Winnie 4-H Club

2nd Tuesday | 6:30 p.m. The Hitchin' Post/Trinity Church



Dates to Note

Oct. 25: Major Show Heifer Validation

Nov. 5: Aggiefest Judging Competition

Nov. 15: All Major Show Entries Due to Extension Office

Nov. 17: Chambers County 4-H Council and Adult Leaders
Association Meetings

Dec. 10: Chambers County 4-H Photography Clinic

Jan. 25: County Roundup Photography Entries Due

Jan. 26: Chambers County 4-H Council and Adult Leaders
Association Meeting

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One Day 4-H

One Day 4-H began in 2009 as way for 4-H members to show their appreciation to their communities, counties and state.

One Day 4-H was held on Oct. 8, 2016 in every county across Texas. This year, our clubs served at food distribution centers, donated school supplies, collected canned goods, gathered Thanksgiving meals for those in need and promoted 4-H.

We are so proud of all of you who took the time to give back to your community.

















All Major Livestock Show entries and payments are due to the Extension Office by Nov. 15. Major Livestock Shows include the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, San Antonio Livestock Show, Fort Worth Stock Show, Star of Texas Fair and Rodeo (Austin) and San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo.

If you have any questions or need assistance please call the Extension Office and ask for Monica!

RABBIT NUTRITION SEMINAR

Hosted by the Southeast Texas Rabbits 4-H Club

Join us for a presentation by a **Petrus Rabbit Feed** representative as he discusses all Petrus
Feed Products, nutrition values and which
feed type is best for each type of rabbit.

Tuesday, November 3, 2016 | 6 p.m. White Memorial Park Community Building 225 White Memorial Park Rd | Anahuac, TX

The presentation will immediately follow the Southeast Texas Rabbits 4-H Club business meeting.



Contact Club Manager Heather Coggin with any questions at heather.coggin@yahoo.com.

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Don't forget to re-enroll for in 4-H for the 2016 -2017 4-H Year!

4-H enrollment for the 2016-2017 year opened on August 15, 2016. If you're planning to continue participating in 4-H you need to re-enroll at texas.4honline.com.

The cost of membership for youth is \$25.

The cost of membership for adults is \$5.

Food and Nutrition Workshops

Agent Lindy Pitre hosted her annual Food and Nutrition Workshop Series in September and October. At these workshops Agent Pitre discussed Rules and Regulations, Food Safety, Knife Skills and many other topics. Attendees got hands-on experience and even participated in a mock food challenge!



Texas Rice Festival

Chambers County 4-Hers did an excellent job participating in contests and exhibiting their projects at the 2016 Texas Rice Festival. Some of the results from the Rice Festival are listed below:

- Madi Barrow (Winnie 4-H) won Grand Champion Beefmaster and Reserve Champion Beefmaster
- Kaivan Armstrong (West Chambers 4-H Club) got 34th out of 52 junior livestock judgers
- Brooke Poole (Barbers Hill 4-H Club) won Grand Champion Lamb and Grand Champion Intermediate Lamb Showmanship
- Dustin Poole (Barbers Hill 4-H Club) won Grand Champion Junior Lamb Showmanship and Grand Champion Junior Goat Showmanship
- Cayden Hulin (West Chambers 4-H Club) placed 33 out of 168 senior livestock judgers
- Zak Booze (Winnie 4-H Club) placed second in his class with his heifer, Lady Luck
- Emma Taylor (Barbers Hill 4-H Club) won first place for photography
- Kara Taylor (Barbers Hill 4-H Club) won two honorable mentions for photography
- Jordan Semien (Mid Chambers 4-H Club) placed 75 out of 168 senior livestock judgers
- Bo Sizemore (Mid Chambers 4-H Club) placed first in his class with his heifer, GC
- Many other Chambers County 4-Hers did an excellent job and placed well!



November 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 Southeast Texas Rabbits 4-H Club Meeting	4	5 Aggiefest Horse Judg- ing Workshop
6 Chambers County 4-H Horse Club Meeting	7	8 Winnie 4-H Club Meeting	9	10	11 Extension Office Closed	12
13	14 Mid Chambers 4-H Club Meeting	15 All major show entries due to Extension Office	16	17 Chambers County 4-H Council & Adult Leaders Meetings	18	19
20	21 Barbers Hill 4-H Club Meeting	22	23 Extension Office Closed 1/2 Day	24 Extension Office Closed	25 Extension Office Closed	26
27	28	29	30			

December 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4 Chambers County 4-H Horse Club Meeting	5	6	7	8	9	10 Photog- raphy Clinic
11	12 Mid Chambers 4-H Club Meeting	13 Winnie 4-H Club Meeting	14 West Chambers 4-H Club Meeting	15	16	17
18	19 Barbers Hill 4-H Club Meeting	20	21	22 Extension Office Closed 1/2 Day	23 Extension Office Closed	24
25	26 Extension Office Closed	27	28	29	30	31

January 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Chambers County 4-H Horse Club Meeting	2	3 Southeast Texas Rabbits 4-H Club	4	5	6	7
8	9 Mid Chambers 4-H Club Meeting	10 Winnie 4-H Club Meeting	11 West Chambers 4-H Club Meeting	12	13	14 D9 4-H Council Meeting
15 D9 4-H Archery Entries and Fees Due	16 Barbers Hill 4-H Club Meeting	17 4-H Recoord Book Judging	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Chambers County 4 -H Roundup Photography Entries Due	26 Cham- bers County 4- H Council and Adult Leaders Meeting	27	28
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HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

American Red Cross Halloween Safety Tips:

These "lucky $13^{\prime\prime}$ safety tips are for parents to share with their trick-or-treaters to prevent injuries at Halloween.

- · Plan your route and share it with your family. If possible, have an adult go with you.
- Wear light-colored or reflective-type clothing so you are more visible.
 (And remember to put reflective tape on bikes, skateboards and brooms, too!)
- Use face paint rather than masks or things that will cover your eyes.
- · Cross the street only at corners.
- Look both ways before crossing the street to check for cars, trucks and low-flying brooms.
- · Don't hide or cross the street between parked cars.
- · Walk, slither and sneak on sidewalks; not in the street.
- · Carry a flashlight to light your way.
- · Only visit homes that have the porch light on.
- Use a light stick instead of a wick! Candles used in pumpkins are a fire hazard. (Also, keep in mind that costumes can be extremely flammable.)
- Accept your treats at the door and never go into a stranger's house.
- Be cautious of strangers and animals.
- Have a grown-up inspect your treats before eating. And don't eat candy if the package
 is already opened. Small, hard pieces of candy are a choking hazard for young children.





Contact 216.431.3046 for other American Red Cross safety tips