



# THE COLLIN CLOVER

Monthly Newsletter of Collin County 4-H

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## January Happenings

2022

January is always a blast for Collin County 4-Hers. Our county livestock show was held at Myers Park, where 41 youth participated. The County 4-H officers also held their January meeting on the 3rd, where youth performed the business meeting. A program was held where the 4-Hers learned about their personality traits and how working together with different minded people can be an asset to any group.

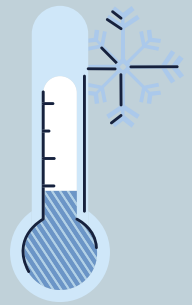


# Upcoming Events

## February



- 7th Record Book Training/ Work Day Office, 6 pm
- 14th Valentine's Day
- 15th Senior 4-H Scholarship due online
- 16th District Entomology Contest entries due
- 18th County Round Up entries due Office



## March

- 7th County meeting Myers Park, 6:30 pm
- 12th County Round Up Farmersville Baptist Church
- 17th St Patrick's Day
- 23rd District Round Up entries due 4-H online



# JANUARY BRAGS

## Collin County 4-H

### CHARLEE PROCTOR

Charlee Proctor won scholarships totaling \$10,000 from the Fort Worth Stock Show by competing in Equine Public Speaking Challenge (4th place) and Equine IQ Competition (3rd place). She will be using her scholarship funds at Texas A&M-College Station.



**Congrats** to our Collin County Wildlife teams competing at the Fort Worth Stock Show who struggled with some partner changes due to sickness but came out on top!!! This was the first wildlife contest for most of our teams and they rocked it!  
Wyatt- 3rd place junior individual  
Landon- 5th place junior individual  
Bailey and Wyatt- 2nd place junior team.



# JANUARY BRAGS

## Collin County 4-H

### County Food Show

#### Seniors

- **Appetizer:**
  - Elizabeth Esposito 1st
  - Kailey McDonald 2nd
- **Main Dish:**
  - Audrey Rathgeb 1st
- **Side:**
  - Ainsley Schraeder 1st
  - Lane McDonald 2nd
- **Dessert:**
  - Olivia Callagher 1st

### County Food Show

#### Intermediates

- **Appetizer:**
  - Anna Callagher 1st
- **Main Dish:**
  - Zane Schraeder 1st
- **Side:**
  - Abbie Schraeder 1st
  - Miles McDonald 2nd
- **Dessert:**
  - Abbie Walker 1st

### County Food Show

#### Juniors

- **Appetizer:**
  - Lilly Callagher 1st
- **Main Dish:**
  - Celina Lopez 1st
- **Side:**
  - Alyse Schraeder 1st
  - Calla Wapskineh 2nd
- **Dessert:**
  - Aubrey Schraeder 1st



### Team Results:

1st Place - Junior Quiz Bowl Team (National)  
Frank Becker, Kylee Glosson,  
Landon Roland, Will Norton

# JANUARY BRAGS

## Collin County Livestock Show

### Some Highlights

Reserve Heavy Weight Rabbit Pen: Eli Lovern  
Grand Champion Breeding Doe: Avery Fisher  
Reserve Champion Breeding Doe: Audrey Lindley  
Sr Showmanship Grand Champion: Avery Fisher  
Sr. Showmanship Reserve Ch.: Audrey Lindley  
Jr. Showmanship Res. Ch.: Addison Messenger  
Reserve GC Market Goat: Juliet Salazar  
Jr. Goat Showmanship Grand Ch: Juliet Salazar  
Reserve Champion Exotic Heifer: Landrie Smart  
Jr. Showmanship Grand Champion: Landrie Smart

and many many more class placings and personal bests!



Hannah Young placed first in the Symmetrical Sill Class & Round Live Class. She placed fourth in the Themed Live Class. And, she placed seventh in the COURAGE Live Class.





# EVENTS

*Collin County*

## Record Book Training

February 7th  
6 pm  
Location: TBD

*Save the date*

## 2022 YOUTH AGROBOTICS CHALLENGE

Hosted at the Texoma Exposition and Livestock Show  
Loy Lake Show Grounds, Denison, Texas

**SATURDAY**  
**FEBRUARY 26, 2022**

Register at <https://grayson.agrilife.org/agrobotics>

What do you need to compete?  
2 to 4 team members  
Spike Prime/Inventor or EV3 Lego  
MindStorm Kit  
1 Computer/Tablet  
1 Extension Cord

Teams will compete in a semi-blind challenge on an 4 X 8 game mat  
Teams may PRE-BUILD their robot, but are limited to:  
Known Challenges - <https://denver-h.tamu.edu/robotics/robotics>

TEAMS MUST COMPETE IN ONE OF THE FOLLOWING GRADE DIVISIONS:  
Jr Division - 3rd to 5th grade  
Inter Division - 6th to 8th grade  
Sr Division - 9th to 12th grade

At least ONE team member must be registered in Texas 4-H or FFA  
Open to ALL Counties in Texas  
Teams must be registered by Wednesday, February 23rd  
Entry is \$40 per team, includes Lunch for team Members

Texas  **ROBOTICS**

Students with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service or accommodations to participate in this event are encouraged to contact the Grayson County AgLife Extension Office for assistance at least two weeks prior to the scheduled education program. The members of Texas AgLife will provide equal opportunities in programs and activities, funding, and employment to all persons regardless of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, genetic information, marital status, sexual orientation or gender identity and will strive to achieve full and equal employment opportunity throughout Texas AgLife. The Texas AgLife University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and County Commissioners County of Texas Co-sponsoring.

# MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

COUNTY ROUND UP  
FARMERSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

## March 12th

FASHION SHOW

PUBLIC SPEAKING

ART / CRAFT / HORTICULTURE

PHOTOGRAPHY (ONLINE)





# MEET YOUR OFFICERS

2021 - 2022 County Officers

## Secretary

### NAME

Audrey Rathgeb

### AGE

17

### CLUB

Legacy 4-H Club

### FAVORITE ANIMAL

Dog & Guinea Pig

### FAVORITE 4-H PROJECT

Food & Nutrition

### FAV 4-H CONTEST

FCH Quiz Bowl

### FAVORITE COLOR

Blue

### FAVORITE SEASON

Fall

### WHO IS YOUR HERO

My Dad

IF YOU COULD LIVE IN ANYWHERE BESIDES THE USA, WHERE WOULD YOU LIVE

Hungary

IF YOU COULD HAVE ANY SUPER POWER, WHAT WOULD YOU HAVE?

Probably a super power that lets me use any super power whenever I want (that's not cheating, right?).

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP?

A creative write

IF YOU HAD TO DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN ONE WORD, WHAT WOULD IT BE?

Determined

WHAT IS A GOAL THAT YOU HAVE? Publish my own book





# COUNTY EVENTS

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## Spring

- County Round Up: MARCH 12th  
(Arts, Crafts, Horticulture, Public Speaking, Fashion, Photography, etc.)
- Record Book Training: February 7th (Location TBD)
- Crushing Adulthood
- STEM Summer Camp: 5th - 8th graders



# 2021 - 2022 COUNTY MEETING DATES!

**MARCH 7TH**  
**MAY 2ND**

**MYERS PARK**  
**6:30 PM**

Elections to be held at the May meeting



# CLUB INFORMATION



## CELINA 4-H CLUB

Manager: Ashley & Health Roland [celina4hclub@gmail.com](mailto:celina4hclub@gmail.com)

When: 2.8.2022

Where: Celina, TX

## FIELD & STREAM CLUB

Manager: Holly Norton

[collinfands@gmail.com](mailto:collinfands@gmail.com)

When: 2.28.2022

Where: Local Yocal Restaurant, McKinney, TX

## HERITAGE 4-H CLUB

Manager: Mary Magnuson

[4hheritageclub@gmail.com](mailto:4hheritageclub@gmail.com)

When: 2.21.2022

Where: Scotty P's Restaurant, McKinney, TX

## LEGACY 4-H CLUB

Managers: Kathrin Esposito  
Marie Rathgeb

[info@legacy4h.club](mailto:info@legacy4h.club)

When: 2.28.2022

Where: Lucas (TBD)

## LONE STAR 4-H CLUB

Managers: Lori & Chris Bierman [crbierman@yahoo.com](mailto:crbierman@yahoo.com)

When: 2.8.2022

Where: Creekwood United Methodist Church

## MCKINNEY MERCENARIES ROBOTICS CLUB

Managers: Jason Bolen  
Mary Mobley

When: 2nd Mondays of the month

Where: Virtual

## NNC 4-H CLUB

Managers: LaShell Martinez  
Laura Worley

When: 2.15.2022

Where: Collin County Farm Museum

*Due to Covid, please  
email for the latest  
updates on meeting  
times*

# CLUB INFORMATION

## SUGAR HILL 4-H CLUB

Manager: Chris Schraeder

[schraeder2000@hotmail.com](mailto:schraeder2000@hotmail.com)

When: 2.21.2022

Where: Farmersville Baptist Church

## WYLIE 4- H CLUB

Manager: Brandi Fisher

[wylietexas4h@gmail.com](mailto:wylietexas4h@gmail.com)

Heather Schnoebelen

When: 2.13.2022

Where: 3253 Whiteley Rd, Wylie, TX

## VALENTINE'S DAY FUN FACTS

- Valentine's Day is the 2nd most popular day for sending cards (following Christmas). Each year 14 million are sent around Valentine's Day
- There was a real St. Valentine

*St. Valentine, to whom this romantic holiday is dedicated, was quite the rebel. Emperor Claudius of Rome outlawed marriage because he believed that single men made better soldiers. St. Valentine went against his decree and performed wedding ceremonies in secret.*

- Approximately 36 million heart shaped boxes are sold on this day
- 8 billion sweethearts candy is produced annually
- 58 million pounds of chocolate are bought during the Valentine's week

