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#### **Congratulations! National Competitors**



Congratulations to all of the Texas 4-Her's who have competed at the national level! We are so

proud to have these youth represent Texas 4-H! Click here to view how these youth did.

# **Texas Corn Producers Scholarship Reminder**



The Texas Corn Producer Association (TCPA) student scholarship will close on January 31st. They will be choosing two \$1,000 scholarship recipients at the high school level and two for collegiate undergraduates. Applicants must be student members of the TCPA to apply. All of the information as well as the application can be found on their website here: <a href="https://texascorn.org/education/scholarships/">https://texascorn.org/education/scholarships/</a>

# 4-H Food Challenge Workshop



Looking for an opportunity to learn more about the 4-H Food Challenge Contest? A hands on workshop is being held on Saturday, January 28, 2023 at the Walker County Storm Shelter in Huntsville. The workshop is geared towards coaches' parents, agents and those who serve as judges. If you have questions, please direct those to Flora Williams at flora.williams@ag.tamu.edu or Tonya Poncik at tonya.poncik@ag.tamu.edu See the attached flyer to sign-up.



The 2023 Texas 4-H Roundup planning is well underway! Please encourage 4-Her's to get involved in these *invitational contest*. Keep an eye on your emails and Texas 4-H Social Media for invitational contest for your 4-Her's to get involved in. Find the list of invitational contest here: <u>https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/events/roundup/</u>

Facebook: Texas 4-H Youth Development Program Instagram: @Texas4H Twitter: @Texas4H

#### 2023 National 4-H Conference Delegation Announcement



Congratulations to the following youth who have been selected to represtent Texas 4-H at the 2023 National 4-H Conference. These youth will travel to Arlington, VA on April 14-19, 2023!

District 5, Jasper County - Dylan Lynch

District 7, Burnet County - Kambell Stewart

District 7, Burnet County - McKenzie Evans

District 8, Ellis County - Aiden Hunter

District 10, Medina County - Julia Guzman

District 11, Calhoun County - McKenna Guevara

## 2023 Global Citizenship Trip - Spain



There is still time left to encourage your 4-Her's to be apart of this years Global Citizenship Tour in Spain. The Global Citizenship Trip is planning to take place July 5th-12th, upon approval. Final travel dates will be announces two to three months before the tour. For more information see attached flyer, contact Megan Logan (megan.logan@ag.tamu.edu) or visit <u>https://www.eftours.com/tour-website/2586572TK</u>

# 2023 4-H Day at the Capitol Registration Info



The Texas 4-H Youth Development Program will once again host 4-H Day at the Capitol on Wednesday, March 29, 2023. This event is designed as a citizenship experience for 4-H members of all ages to learn more about the state legislative process, as ell as meet their state representative and senator through an office visit. This event is being held during legislative sessions and other organizations/ groups will be at the Capitol on the same day, their will be a limited number of seats avaliable. Registration will be held on 4HOnline, opening February 1st, 2023 at 12:00 PM (Noon) and will close on February 8, 2023 or when registration is full. Cost of participation is \$40.00 and will include lunch and a shirt. See attached flyer for more information.

# 2023 4-H Day at COALS



ATTENTION FRESHMEN, SOPHOMORE'S, & JUNIOR'S! Interested in the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences at Texas A&M University? Visit us for Texas 4-H Day hosted by the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences on March 30<sup>th</sup> in College Station, Texas! You will experience a campus tour, presentations on admissions and scholarships, meet current students, and see what life is like as a student at Texas A&M! Check out the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences majors <u>here</u>! Space is limited, make sure to signup starting February 1, 2023! Cost is \$30 per 4-H member, and parents are free! For more information, contact Jana Barrett (jana.barrett@ag.tamu.edu) or Megan Logan (megan.logan@ag.tamu.edu) for more information about 4-H Day at COALS.

This event is back to back with 4-H Day at the Capitol, it is encouraged that families and counties register for both events.

# 4-H Landscape Challenge



**4-H Landscape Challenge** – hosted by the Texas A&M Horticulture Department New in 2023, the Texas A&M University Horticulture Department will be hosting a 4-H Landscape Challenge. The Final Challenge will take place on Monday, June 5, 2023 in College Station in conjunction with Texas 4-H Roundup week. This is not an official Texas 4-H Roundup contest; however this week provided a great time for the Department to host this opportunity. Youth that compete in the 4-H Landscape Challenge Final are also encouraged to register for Texas 4-H Roundup and the events and activities offered that week. This challenge is meant to promote landscape design knowledge and professionalism to 4-H students by simulating a real-life interaction between customer and landscape professional. Additionally, the challenge will serve to educate the public on the value of landscaping by beautifying the grounds.

More information visit <u>https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/horticulture/</u> or contact Jayla Fry at **jayla.fry@ag.tamu.edu** 

# 2023 Refashion Retreat



The 2023 Refashion Retreat is upon us! The retreat will begin on Friday, March 3rd at 6 PM and end with a fashion show on Sunday morning, March 5th. Youth registration is \$155 and every youth needs to have an adult chaperone registered. Bring your sewing machine and sewing tools and be ready to let your creative juices flow. <u>Find registration on the Texas 4-H Center.</u>

### **Georgia Boot Trailblazer Contest**



Encourage your 4-H youth to apply for the 2023 Georgia Boot Trailblazer Contest. Georgia Boot is looking for four enthusiastic 4-Her's to share their 2023 project journeys with the Georgia Boot audience. Don't skip out on this opportunity for your youth to win a prize package valued at \$500! 4-Her's ages 12 -18 can apply through February 24, 2023. Learn more on the Georgia Boot Website.

## **JOANN** Campaign



Make your way to the nearest JOANN Store and save 15% with JOANN 4-H Rewards on every purchase, every day! Current & Alumni members, parents of members, volunteers and 4-H staff can save 15% off total in-store and online purchases every day with 4-H Rewards. JOANN guarantees a minimum donation to National 4-H Council of \$250,000 per year until June 2023 through a combination of customer donations during campaigns, minimum of 2.5% of sales from the JOANN 4-H Rewards Cards, and \$0.50 for every yard purchased of custom 4-H fabric. <u>Help promote rewards here!</u>

