### Annual 4-H Program Summary

**County 4-H Youth Involvement**
- 23 Chartered Clubs
- 501 Club Members Enrolled
- 3,567 Community-based Outreach
- 336 In-school Enrichment Curriculum

**Total Youth Participation** 4,404

**County 4-H Leadership, Advisory, and Support Organizations**
- Youth Board: 8 Members
- County 4-H Council: 28 Members
- Adult Leaders & Parents Organization: Meetings Held

**Top County Events**
- County 4-H Food Challenge: 33
- County 4-H Record Books: 32
- County 4-H Food Show: 26
- County 4-H Photography Contest: 12
- County 4-H Fashion Show: 11

**Top District Events**
- D12 4-H Record Book: 25
- D12 4-H Food Challenge: 18
- D12 4-H Leadership Lab: 14
- D12 4-H Food Show: 8
- D12 4-H Photography Contest: 5

**Top State/National Events**
- Texas 4-H Congress: 8
- Texas 4-H Record Book Judging: 4
- Texas 4-H Photography Contest: 2
- Texas 4-H Roundup: 1
- Texas 4-H Horse Show: 1

**Top Club Projects**
- Livestock Related Projects: 449
- Foods & Nutrition: 99
- Photography: 66
- Clothing & Textiles: 21
- Horse: 20

**Top Overall Projects/Curriculum Areas**
- Science of Agriculture: 1,124
- Workforce Preparation & Careers: 1,005
- Youth Summer Camps: 984
- Environmental Education: 757
- Food & Nutrition: 473

**County 4-H Volunteer Support**
- 53 Registered & Screened Volunteers Supporting Clubs
- 39 Club Managers, Co-Managers, and Project Leaders
- 28,551 Volunteer Hours Contributed in Support of Clubs

Value of Volunteer Time Contributed to 4-H $609,856

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County 4-H Leadership & Personal Development Programs

- 14 Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 39 Attended District-level educational or competitive events
- 14 Attended District Leadership Lab
- 6 Received 4-H Scholarships valued at a total of $30,600

Local Training Opportunities
- 6 Photography Workshop
- 7 District Election Convention
- 8 County Council Officer Training
- 19 Club Officer Training
- 20 Recordbook Workshop

Events & Activities
- 7 District 12 4-H Council & Adult Leaders Meeting
- 8 Texas 4-H Congress
- 32 County Record Book Contest
- 39 One Day 4-H
- 94 Annual Awards Banquet

Significant accomplishments

Kleberg-Kenedy County 4-H'ers continue to make an impression in the community through service projects. This year 4-H'ers collected around 65 lbs of pet food for a local animal shelter and 115 books for were collected for adult literacy during One Day 4-H. During the Holiday's 4-H'ers provided 38 Thanksgiving meals to needy families, 40 gifts to Foster Children and 150 lbs of canned food given to the local indigent office.

County 4-H Agriculture & Natural Resource Programs

- 421 Livestock Projects
- 343 Participated in County Livestock Shows
- 41 Attended State-level Livestock Shows
- 2 Attended District-level Agriculture & Natural Resources educational or competitive events
- 25 Youth Trained through “Quality Counts” Program

Local Training Opportunities
- 61 Livestock Project Clinics
- 22 Pee Wee Goat Clinic
- 15 Livestock Judging Clinic
- 63 Livestock Clipping & Shearing Clinic
- 16 Livestock Judging Practice

Events & Activities
- 1,185 Kleberg-Kenedy County Ag Fair
- 343 Kleberg-Kenedy County Junior Livestock Show
- 14 Nueces County Livestock Judging Contest
- 1 State 4-H Horse Show

Significant accomplishments

The Kleberg-Kenedy County Ag Fair continues to provide an opportunity for 1,100 youth to understand local agriculture. The event consisted of presentations on cotton, grain and beef production, importance of water and erosion, and dairy production. One Kleberg-Kenedy County 4-H'er competed at the State 4-H Horse Show and won Grand Champion Grade Mare.
**County 4-H Family & Consumer Science Programs**

1. Attended State-level educational or competitive events
2. Attended District-level educational or competitive events

**Local Training Opportunities**

- 35 Food & Nutrition Workshop
- 7 Food & Nutrition Project Leader Training
- 11 Clothing & Textiles Workshop
- 11 Clothing & Textiles Project Leader Training

**Events & Activities**

- 72 County 4-H Food Show and Food Challenge
- 20 County 4-H Fashion Show and Story Board Contest
- 139 Kleberg-Kenedy Junior Livestock Show- Youth Homemaking Contest

**Significant accomplishments**

The foods and nutrition project continues to be a popular project in Kleberg-Kenedy County, aiming to increase participant knowledge of healthy eating and food safety. Youth and leaders involved in the clothing and textiles project and food and nutrition project are presented with many opportunities to increase subject knowledge and practice skills learned through project leader trainings and youth workshops.

Kleberg-Kenedy Summer Camp is a two month summer program that continues to provide youth daily activities focused on natural resources, food and nutrition, life skills, and recreation. An obesity and healthy living presentation begins the program each day. Program activities varied from trips to local museums and the aquarium to kayaking and fishing, tennis and golf, shooting and archery, and bowling. Nearly 1,000 youth participated in the summer youth program this year.