



4-H and YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

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Hidalgo County

Annual 4-H Program Summary

County 4-H Youth Involvement

- 23** Chartered Community Clubs
- 716** Members Enrolled in 4-H Clubs
- 16,749** Youth Reached through Community-based Programs
- 4,433** Youth Reached through School-Based Enrichment Curriculum

Total Youth Reached
21,898

County 4-H Leadership, Advisory, and Support Organizations

- 0** Youth Board Members attended **0** Meetings
- 35** County 4-H Council Members attended **8** Meetings
- 25** Adult Leaders & Parents Organization Members attended **8** Meetings



of Youth Attending

Participation in County 4-H Events

County 4-H Round Up	52
County 4-H Photography Contest	50
County 4-H Food Show	49
County 4-H Fashion Show	42
County 4-H Food Challenge	25

County Participation in District Events

D12 4-H Leadership Lab	42
D12 4-H Roundup (All Events)	31
D12 4-H Food Challenge	20
D12 4-H Fashion Show	16
D12 4-H Food Show	12

County Participation in State/National Events

Texas 4-H Roundup	14
Texas 4-H Photo Contest	6
Texas 4-H Recordbook	6
Texas 4-H Shooting Games	3
Texas 4-H Horse Show	0

Most Popular Club Projects in the County

Photography	226
Rabbits	163
Goats (meat)	137
Horticulture	126

Most Popular Curriculum in the County

Texans Building Character	1,347
Learning to Grow	294
Give Water a Hand	167
Patriotism Through Preparedness	132

County 4-H Volunteer Support

- 253** Registered & Screened Volunteers Supporting Clubs
- 55** Club Managers, Co-Managers, and Project Leaders
- 23,000** Hours Contributed by Volunteers in Support of Clubs

Livestock Show Premium Sale Proceeds*

\$200,000

Includes all projects (4-H and FFA)

Value of Volunteer Time Supporting 4-H

\$491,280



County 4-H Leadership & Personal Development Programs

- 40** Attended State-level Leadership & Personal Development educational or competitive events
- 140** Attended District-level Leadership & Personal Development educational or competitive events
- 42** Attended District Leadership Lab
- 40** Received 4-H Scholarships valued at a total of **\$150,000**

Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults

- 3 Recordbook Workshops
- 4 Ambassador Trainings
- 1 Project Leader Training
- 4 Photography Workshops

Significant Leadership & Personal Development accomplishments from county Events & Activities

There was an increase in the number of workshops and trainings for youth this year.

County 4-H Agriculture & Natural Resource Programs

- 546** Livestock Projects (all species)
- 500** Participated in County Livestock Shows
- 30** Attended State-level Livestock Shows
- 20** Attended District-level Agriculture & Natural Resources educational or competitive events
- 25** Youth Trained through "Quality Counts" Program

Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults

- 1 Project Leaders Training
- 1 Poultry Workshop
- 1 Rabbit Workshop

Significant Agriculture & Natural Resource accomplishments from county Events & Activities

We had a group of 4-Hers attend the San Antonio Livestock Show and compete with their breeding and market animals.

County 4-H Family & Consumer Science Programs

- 12** Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 50** Attended District-level educational or competitive events

Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults

- 2 Storyboard Workshops

Significant Family & Consumer Science accomplishments from county Events & Activities

We had one of our Food Challenge Teams advance to State Round Up and place third in the fruit and vegetables category.

We also had one of our 4-Hers place 1st in the State Fashion Show and a first timer advance to State with her storyboard.