

# BROOKS COUNTY

4-H and YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

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Making a Difference 2012

## Annual 4-H Program Summary

### County 4-H Youth Involvement

4 Chartered Clubs  
67 Club Members Enrolled  
707 Community-based Outreach  
407 In-school Enrichment Curriculum

Total Youth Participation

1,181

### County 4-H Leadership, Advisory, and Support Organizations

Youth Board	8 Members	1 Meetings Held
County 4-H Council	10 Members	9 Meetings Held
Adult Leaders & Parents Organization	4 Members	12 Meetings Held

#### Top County Events

Outdoor Education- Shooting Sports	432
Recreation	123
Clothing and Textiles	15
Food & Nutrition	153
Health	136

#### Top District Events

Outdoor Education- Shooting Sports	34
Golf Challenge	3
Clothing & Textiles	5
Food & Nutrition	14

#### Top State/National Events

Outdoor Education -Shooting Sports	6
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#### Top Club Projects

Shooting Sports	432
Beef	4
Rabbits	28
Goats	14
Swine	3

#### Top Overall Projects/Curriculum Areas

Ag Day	400
Prepare for the Unexpected-Elementary	420
Prepare for the Unexpected-Jr High	300
Worth the Waite- Abstinence Jr High	60



### County 4-H Volunteer Support

87 Registered & Screened Volunteers Supporting Clubs  
46 Club Managers, Co-Managers, and Project Leaders  
2,764 Volunteer Hours Contributed in Support of Clubs

Value of Volunteer Time Contributed to 4-H

\$59,039

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### County 4-H Leadership & Personal Development Programs

- 6 Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 3 Attended District-level educational or competitive events
- 3 Attended District Leadership Lab
- Received 4-H Scholarships valued at a total of

### Local Training Opportunities

- 8 Officer Trainings -Parliamentary Procedure
- 12 Officer Training- Agendas

### Events & Activities

- 3 District 12 Leadership Lab
- 3 District 12 Election Convention
- 4 District 12 Adult Leaders/Council Training- Freer

### Significant accomplishments

### County 4-H Agriculture & Natural Resource Programs

- 61 Livestock Projects
- 28 Participated in County Livestock Shows
- 0 Attended State-level Livestock Shows
- Attended District-level Agriculture & Natural Resources educational or competitive events
- 0 Youth Trained through "Quality Counts" Program

### **Livestock Show Premium Sale Proceeds\***

**\$160,000**

\*Includes all projects (4-H and FFA)

### Local Training Opportunities

- 36 Lamb and goat showmanship clinics
- 18 Rabbit Clinic

### Events & Activities

- 6 Shooting Sports State Games
- 14 District Postal League match
- 20 District rifle and archery match
- 1 District Horse Show

### Significant accomplishments

6 participants attended state games Archery - Matthew Garcia 3rd place in his division. Kiauan Campbell 3rd place. Rifle high powered - Cameron T., Lucas M., AJ A., and Trey S. place in the top 10 in their division.



Shooting sports continues to grow in many facets our coaches continue to work with our youth and provide many opportunities for the youth to excel in their area of expertise. Our youth have travelled and have had many fund-raisers to be able to advance. [AgriLifeExtension.tamu.edu](http://AgriLifeExtension.tamu.edu)

### **County 4-H Family & Consumer Science Programs**

- 0 Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 16 Attended District-level educational or competitive events

### **Local Training Opportunities**

- 5 Recordbook workshop
- 7 Clothing and Textiles Workshop
- 18 Food & Nutrition/Food Challenge Workshop
- 43 County Food Show and Food Challenge
- 7 County Fashion Show

### **Events & Activities**

- 3 District 12 Recordbook
- 5 District Fashion Show
- 7 District Food Show and Food Challenge

### **Significant accomplishments**

Food and Nutrition project continues to grow due to the food challenge competition. Many of our youth enjoy preparing something unknown. They find it to be exciting yet rewarding. This year we had 24 youth in our Food Challenge event.

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Photography contest is still rising from within the county especially during the county fair. However, due to the the economy of our youth will not forward there photos due to the high entry fee per photo.

