

CAMERON COUNTY

4-H and YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

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Making a Difference 2012

Annual 4-H Cameron County Program Summary

County 4-H Youth Involvement

17 Chartered Clubs
343 Club Members Enrolled
10,780 Community-based Outreach
2,608 In-school Enrichment Curriculum

Total Youth Participation
13,731

County 4-H Leadership, Advisory, and Support Organizations

Youth Board	13 Members	2 Meetings Held
County 4-H Council	22 Members	10 Meetings Held
Adult Leaders & Parents Organization	15 Members	10 Meetings Held

<u>Top County Events</u>	Participants	<u>Top District Events</u>	Participants	<u>Top State/ National Events</u>	Participants
Kids, Kows, and More Program	410	District 12 4-H Record Book Contest	24	State Shooting Sports Postal League	16
Cameron 4-H Bay Fishing Tournament	215	District 12 4-H Food Show and Challenge	22	Texas State 4-H Roundup	12
Cameron County 4-H Awards Banquet	135	District 12 4-H Livestock Judging Contest	18	State 4-H Record Book Judging	6
Cameron 4-H Food Show and Challenge	76	District 12 4-H Rifle and Archery Contest	16	State 4-H Photography Contest	6
Cameron County 4-H Roundup	45	District 12 4-H Leadership Lab	13	Texas State 4-H Congress	4

<u>Top Club Projects</u>	Members	<u>Top Overall Projects/Curriculum Areas</u>	Participants
Photography	101	Food and Nutrition	8,669
Swine	79	Aquatic Science	2,260
Horticulture	68	Junior Master Gardener	1,724
Rabbits	67	Health	372
Meat Goats	66	Science, Engineering, and Technology	292

County 4-H Volunteer Support

537 Registered & Screened Volunteers Supporting Clubs
84 Club Managers, Co-Managers, and Project Leaders
15,120 Volunteer Hours Contributed in Support of Clubs

Value of Volunteer Time Contributed to 4-H
\$322,963



County 4-H Leadership & Personal Development Program

- 48** Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 122** Attended District-level educational or competitive events
- 13** Attended District Leadership Lab
- 34,500** Received 4-H Scholarships valued at a total of

Local Training Opportunities

- 55 Highland Hustlers 4-H Record Book Training
- 21 Deep-River 4-H Record Book Training
- 28 Cameron County 4-H Record Training
- 14 Cameron County 4-H Club Officer Training

Events & Activities

- 45 Cameron County 4-H Roundup Contest
- 18 District 12 4-H Roundup Contest
- 12 District 12 4-H Leadership Lab
- 35 Cameron County 4-H Award Interviews
- 155 Cameron County 4-H Awards Banquet

Significant accomplishments

Cameron County 4-H has three 4-H members who were elected by their peers to serve on the District 12 4-H Council. Cameron County 4-H is also the home of the District 12 4-H Council President and State Council 2nd Vice President. Cameron County 4-H members has six out of seven senior level record books place first at the District 12 4-H Record Book Judging contest.

County 4-H Agriculture & Natural Resource Programs

- 246** Livestock Projects
- 325** Participated in County Livestock Shows
- 21** Attended State-level Livestock Shows
- 34** Attended District-level Agriculture & Natural Resources educational or competitive events
- 33** Youth Trained through “Quality Counts” Program

Livestock Show Premium Sale Proceeds*

\$134,150

*Includes all projects (4-H and FFA)

Local Training Opportunities

- 35 4-H Livestock Judging Training
- 30 4-H Beef, Lamb, and Goat Clinic at the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show Grounds.
- 30 4-H Horticulture Project Clinic
- 15 4-H Rabbit Project Clinic
- 26 Gardening and Nutrition Program at Hope Farms.

Events & Activities

- 20 San Antonio Livestock Show Livestock Judging Contest
- 24 District 12 4-H Livestock Judging Contest in Fredricksburg
- 35 District 4-H Rifle and Archery Contest in Benavides
- 215 Cameron County 4-H Bay Fishing Tournament

Significant accomplishments

Cameron County 4-H had the 1st and 2nd place Junior, and the 2nd Place Intermediate Livestock Judging teams at the District 12 contest. We also had the 1st and 2nd High Point Individuals at this judging contest.



Cameron County 4-H members had the Grand Champion Market Lamb and the Grand Champion Market Poultry at the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show.

County 4-H Family & Consumer Science Programs

- 7** Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 23** Attended District-level educational or competitive events

Local Training Opportunities

- 34 Cameron County 4-H Food Show Clinic
- 34 Cameron County 4-H Food Challenge Clinic
- 12 County 4-H Fashion Show Training

Events & Activities

- 15 Cameron County 4-H Fashion Show
- 12 District 12 4-H Fashion Show
- 48 Cameron County 4-H Food Challenge Contest
- 34 Cameron County 4-H Food Show Contest
- 24 District 12 4-H Food Show and Food Challenge.

Significant accomplishments

Cameron County 4-H had the 1st place senior level Food Challenge Team at the District 12 4-H Food Challenge contest. This team also went on to place 7th at the State 4-H Food Challenge contest held during State Roundup in Lubbock. Cameron County 4-H also had the 3rd place Solo Band routine and a 3rd place choreographed routine at State 4-H Roundup.

