



4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Making a Difference in *Dimmit County* 2015

Annual 4-H Program Summary

County 4-H Youth Involvement

- 3 Chartered Community Clubs
- 161 Members Enrolled in 4-H Clubs
- 161 Youth Reached through Community-based Programs
- 235 Youth Reached through School-Based Enrichment Curriculum

County 4-H Leadership, Advisory, and Support Organizations

- 5 Youth Board Members attended 2 Meetings
- 12 County 4-H Council Members attended 2 Meetings
- 10 Adult Leaders & Parents Organization Members attended 9 Mtgs

Total Youth Reached

557



of Youth Attending

Participation in County 4-H Events

Dimmit County Food Show	12
Dimmit County Jr. Livestock Show	125
Dimmit County Fashion Show	5
Dimmit County Roundup	7
Dimmit County Photography	12

County Participation in District Events

District 12 Food Show	7
District 12 Roundup	4
District 12 Fashion Show	5
District 12 Photography	13
District 12 Leadership Lab	4

County Participation in State/National Events

Major Livestock Shows	22
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Most Popular Club Projects in the County

Meat Goat Project	58
Shooting Sports	37
Food and Nutrition	14
Photography	12
Beef	18

Most Popular Curriculum in the County

Take A Stand	235
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County 4-H Volunteer Support

- 10 Registered & Screened Volunteers Supporting Clubs
- 5 Club Managers, Co-Managers, and Project Leaders
- 85 Hours Contributed by Volunteers in Support of Clubs

Livestock Show Premium Sale Proceeds*

\$515,000

Includes all projects (4-H and FFA)

Value of Volunteer Time Supporting 4-H

\$1,961



County 4-H Leadership & Personal Development Programs

- 3 Attended State-level Leadership & Personal Development educational or competitive events
- 6 Attended District-level Leadership & Personal Development educational or competitive events
- 4 Attended District Leadership Lab
- 4 Received 4-H Scholarships valued at a total of **\$6,800**

Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults

- 4 Leades
- 12 Officers

Significant Leadership & Personal Development accomplishments from county Events & Activities

Agent Griffin, along with Agent Elfelt provided Multi County Officer and Leader Training, where as youth and leaders learned about Parliamentary Procedure, and had an opportunity to work on county calenders.

County 4-H Agriculture & Natural Resource Programs

- 330 Livestock Projects (all species)
- 125 Participated in County Livestock Shows
- 22 Attended State-level Livestock Shows
- Attended District-level Agriculture & Natural Resources educational or competitive events
- 22 Youth Trained through "Quality Counts" Program

Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults

- 15 Sheep and Goat Clinics
- 4 Beef Cattle Clinics
- 37 Shooting Sports Safety training
- 8 Swine Clinics

Significant Agriculture & Natural Resource accomplishments from county Events & Activities

Agent Griffin, provided leadership along with volunteers and youth to exhibitors for livestock through species clinics. At these clinics, youth learned the significance of feeding, fitting, showmanship, and disease awareness.

County 4-H Family & Consumer Science Programs

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

Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults

- 12 Food and Nutrition
- 5 Cloathing and Textiles

Significant Family & Consumer Science accomplishments from county Events & Activities

Agent Conducted workshops and trainings for youth and parents about food safety, traveled to San Antonio to tour Central market, and learned about cooking and utilizing spices.