



## 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

# Making a Difference in *Jim Wells County* 2016

## Annual 4-H Program Summary

### County 4-H Youth Involvement

- 6 Chartered Community Clubs
- 212 Members Enrolled in 4-H Clubs
- 135 Youth Reached through Community-based Programs
- 1,480 Youth Reached through School-Based Enrichment Curriculum

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

- 21 Youth Board Members attended 3 Meetings
- 90 County 4-H Council Members attended 6 Meetings
- 53 Adult Leaders & Parents Organization Members attended 6 Mtgs

Total Youth Reached

**1,827**



### # of Youth Attending

#### Participation in County 4-H Events

- 4-H Food Show - 11
- 4-H Food Challenge - 24
- Round-Up - 13
- Consumer Decision Making - 16
- Photography Contest - 15

#### County Participation in District Events

- Shooting Sports Events - 30
- Round-Up Events - 44
- Food Show/Food Challenge - 28
- Fashion/Storyboarding - 12
- District CDM - 16

#### County Participation in State/National Events

- State 4-H Round-Up - 15
- Texas 4-H Photography Contest - 6
- Texas 4-H Ambassadors - 4
- State 4-H Record Book Judging - 5
- State 4-H Archery Postal League - 8

### Most Popular Club Projects in the County

- Livestock Projects - 374
- Citizenship and Community Service - 81
- Foods and Nutrition - 44
- Shooting Sports - 25

### Most Popular Curriculum in the County

- Science of Agriculture - 987
- Foods and Nutrition - 370
- Health/Healthy Lifestyles - 308

### County 4-H Volunteer Support

- 61 Registered & Screened Volunteers Supporting Clubs
- 12 Club Managers, Co-Managers, and Project Leaders
- 700 Hours Contributed by Volunteers in Support of Clubs

Livestock Show Premium Sale Proceeds\*

**\$520,631**

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

Value of Volunteer Time Supporting 4-H

**\$16,149**



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

- 21** Attended State-level Leadership & Personal Development educational or competitive events
- 29** Attended District-level Leadership & Personal Development educational or competitive events
- 7** Attended District Leadership Lab
- 5** Received 4-H Scholarships valued at a total of **\$10,000**

**Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults**

- 6** Club Managers Trainings
- 21** Leadership Camps
- 81** One Day 4-H and Cupcake Wars
- 86** 4-H 101 Workshop

**Significant Leadership & Personal Development accomplishments from county Events & Activities**

JWC hosted 4-H 101 Workshop that introduced 4-H members to various projects in 4-H including: shooting sports, brigades, horticulture, Texas Brigades and Summer Activities, foods and nutrition, clothing and textiles, healthy lifestyles, consumer education, , and ag product ID. 86 youth and adults attended and workshops were taught by 4-H'ers, leaders, and agents.

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

- 374** Livestock Projects (all species)
- 114** Participated in County Livestock Shows
- 63** Attended State-level Livestock Shows
- 52** Attended District-level Agriculture & Natural Resources educational or competitive events
- 15** Youth Trained through "Quality Counts" Program

**Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults**

- 47** 4-H/FFA Mega-Clinic for All Animal Species
- 26** Shooting Sports Archery and Rifle Team Members
- 6** Horticulture Workshop

**Significant Agriculture & Natural Resource accomplishments from county Events & Activities**

The Jim Wells County 4-H Shooting Sports teams continue to grow with 26 4-H'ers participating in rifle and archery. Thanks to donations from local businesses and individuals, the teams are acquiring new equipment for the youth to use. 1 new leader became certified in archery for a total of 6 being active coaches in archery and rifle.

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

- 31** Attended State-level educational or competitive events
- 56** Attended District-level educational or competitive events

**Local Training Opportunities for Youth and Adults**

- 63** Consumer Decision Making Team Practices (6 held)
- 44** Foods and Nutrition Workshop and Camp

**Significant Family & Consumer Science accomplishments from county Events & Activities**

Food Challenge and Consumer Decision Making continue to be favorites of JWC 4-H'ers. Food Challenge teams and individuals participated in the San Antonio, Houston, and District Contests. With top honors going to JWC 4-H teams at District in both Food Challenge and 2nd in Consumer Decision Making. Youth are thriving in oral reasons for CDM .