



4-H Update



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April 2011

DATES TO REMEMBER

- April 9 4-H Fishing Day, 8:00 am, Selby Pond
- April 12 Junior Leader meeting, 6:00 pm, 4-H office
- April 23 Regional SET (Science, Engineering & Technology) Camp, Gonzales
- April 29 –
 May 1 State 4-H Shooting competitions
- May 2 District Cookery contest in Hammond
- May 4 Activity & Awards Day for elementary 4-Hers, Audubon SCA
- May 13 Camp registration deadline!!!
- June 1 4-H Day at the Capitol
- June 21 - 24 4-H University, LSU (for 4-H members 13 & older)
- June 27 & 28 SE District Horse Show
- July 11 - 15 4-H Camp, Grant Walker Educational Center, for 4th – 6th graders
- July 4-10 State Horse Show

CONGRATULATIONS!

Southern University Livestock Show winners

Destinee Morris – Light Weight Reserve
Champion and Reserve La Bred Market Steer.

Dorian Temple –Medium Weight Reserve
Champion Market Steer.

John Carr – Medium Weight La Bred Reserve
Champion Market Steer

Regional Shooting Sports winners

Air Rifle

Whit Vidrine -1st place, Precision, Senior

Colt Pritchard – 1st place, Precision, Junior

Hayden Charlet – 4th place, Sporter, Junior
Fox Vidrine – 8th place, Sporter, Junior
Paycen Brouillette – 14th place, Sporter, Jr.

BB Gun

Ella Calhoun – 2nd place

Other competitors – **Emma Beauchamp** and
James Patrick Horn.

Archery

Joseph Horn – 14th place, Bare Bow

Other competitors were **Olivia Shoemake**, **Riley Charlet**, **Hayden Charlet**.

Precision Rifle Team - Three members of the West Feliciana 4-H Rifle Team were selected by the Junior Olympic Selection Committee to represent Louisiana at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colorado. **Leah Ewing, Christian Hashagen, David Higgins** and coach **John Hashagen** will spend several days at the Olympic Center where the team members will compete against members of the Olympic Development Team and the Olympic Shooting Team.

4-H TAKE A PARENT FISHING DAY

On Saturday April 9, 4-H members along with parents or other adults have the opportunity to participate in a fishing event at a local pond. See the handout for details and sign up with your favorite adult by April 7.

REGIONAL SET CAMP IN GONZALES

If you like science and doing lots of fun, messy experiments, this new one-day camp is for you. It's being planned and conducted by teen 4-H members on the Louisiana 4-H SET Board and it is open to any 4th – 6th grade 4-H member. You need to turn in the registration form and \$24 fee to the parish 4-H office by April 8. Transportation will be on your own.

ACTIVITY & AWARDS DAY

The attached page includes all the information and the permission slip for the elementary end-of-the year activity. It is very important that you turn in your permission slip on time. We use those slips to plan for lunch, transportation, etc. Permission slips are due April 21.

4-H CAMP

We will be camping the week of July 11 this year. The letter many of you received at March club meetings or by mail should tell you everything you need to get signed up, but feel free to call the 4-H office at 635-3614 if you have any questions. This year the deadline for registration and your \$50 deposit is May 13. **Do not turn in your registration and money to your school office!!**



Andre' Brock
Assistant County Agent

4-H TSHIRTS ON SALE

A limited number of the new 4-H shirts are available at the 4-H office. Call or come by to see if your size is on hand. Shirts are sold for \$10, check or money order only. These shirts can be worn at 4-H events like Awards & Activity Day.

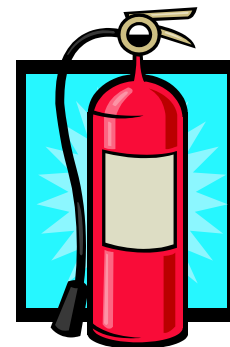


4-H DAY AT THE CAPITOL

This event in Baton Rouge on June 1 is a chance to make 4-H visible to our legislators and the public. If you and/or your parents are interested, we need to register by the beginning of May. Transportation and chaperones will determine how many can attend! After the event at the Capitol, the 4-H foundation will treat you to lunch in Baton Rouge. Call the 4-H office at 635-3614 if you would like to participate

4-H FACTS ABOUT SAFETY AT HOME ALONE

- Memorize important phone numbers.
- Don't tell anyone you're home alone.
- Carry your house key with you.
- Learn basic first aid.
- Know how to use a fire extinguisher.
- Make sure smoke alarms work.
- Don't open the door for strangers.
- Only let friends over if you parents say it's okay.
- Let your parents know when you arrive at home.
- Discuss all rules with your parents ahead of time regarding what you can and can't do.



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