SOUTH PLAINS - DISTRICT 2 4-H



DATE: May 8, 2019

MEMO TO: All South Plains District 2 County Extension Agents

SUBJECT: 2019 District 2 4-H Horse Show

FROM: Andy Hart Greg Gruben

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4-H & Youth Development Horse Show Committee Chair

CONTEST DATE: Thursday, June 6th, 2019

CONTEST LOCATION: TTU Equestrian Center - Wolfforth

CHECK IN: 6:30 a.m. CONTEST BEGINS: 7:30 a.m.

4-H CONNECT OPENS:

Early Registration
May 10 – May 24, 2019

➤ Late Registration Not Available

ENTRY FEE: \$100 per contestant

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The 2019 District 2 4-H Horse Show will be held June 6th at the TTU Equestrian Center in Wolfforth, Texas. District 2 will be utilizing the Scoring System B this year. All entries must be completed on 4-H Connect. We are not making t-shirts this year. Each exhibitor will receive a participant prize.

If participants need any type of accommodation to participate in this program or have questions about the physical access provided, please contact your county office or Andy Hart, (806) 746-6101 at least two weeks prior to the event.

*Medical release, waiver, indemnification and code of conduct forms must be completed on 4-H Connect. If forms are not completed on 4-H Connect the 4-H member is responsible to bring a completed copy of all forms to registration to be eligible to participate in the contest.

TTU Equestrian Center will handle the stalling arrangements and stall fee. Coggins will need to be presented to the stalling committee before stalls will be assigned. You must contact Patsy McBee at (806) 792-4682 – office.

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Thursday, June 6, the arena will open at 5:30 a.m. for exhibitors to ride. Registration will be at 6:30 a.m. The show will start at 7:30 a.m.

There have been many changes over the past few years on the District and State level. One major change for 2019 is that the 57th Annual Texas State 4-H Horse Show will be taking place at the Brazos County Expo Center in Bryan, TX (July 21-27, 2019).

There are also rule changes for 2019 that 4-H families need to be aware of:

- **At the 2019 District and State 4-H Horse Show, there will be two age divisions: Junior (Grades 3-8) and Senior (9-12).**
- The 2019 Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations has all the changes, with important revisions in red type. All 4-H'ers and families should be familiar with these revised rules. The 2019 Horse Show Rules & Regulations can be found at: https://animalscience.tamu.edu/livestock-species/equine/state-4h-show/

We will again have individual packets for each exhibitor, therefore the contestant or their parents may pick up their individual packet solving group or county packet problems.

Remember: The Texas Animal Health Commission will be requiring horses to have a negative EIA (Coggins) Test within the previous 12 months before being mingled with other horses at competitive, social, or exhibition events. Therefore, we will be requiring a negative Coggins Test on all horses entering the grounds.

Assignments for those assisting with Horse Show will be coming soon.