MEMORANDUM

TO: District 10 County Extension Agents

FROM: Kathleen Greer Megan Logan
District Extension Administrator District 10 4-H Specialist

SUBJECT: 2016 District 10 Livestock Judging Contest

DATE: Saturday, April 23, 2016 – Livestock Judging @ Fredericksburg

REGISTRATION: Registration on 4-H Connect as follows:

- Regular Registration:
  - March 28 - April 6, 2016 under the event “2016 District 10 Livestock Judging”
  - Cost: $10.00 (Per Individual)

- Late Registration:
  - April 7th-8th, 2016 under the event “2016 District 10 Livestock Judging”
  - Cost: $35.00 (Per individual, $10 individual plus $25 late fee)

This year, the process will return to each individual member registering on 4-H Connect, themselves and agents will list their teammates in a manager field before sending on to the District Level.

If counties are paying for participant registration fees with a county check, please make payments directly to Texas 4-H Foundation. Please include a report of the participants you are paying for with the check so proper credit can be made!

VOLUNTEER FORM
DUE DATE: April 8, 2016 to the District Office (form enclosed)

AGE DIVISIONS: There will be three age divisions for all Judging Contests. Age division is determined by the grade as of August 31, 2015.
- Juniors – 3rd Grade (and 8 years old) – 5th Grade
- Intermediates – 6th – 8th Grade
- Seniors – 9th-12th Grade (has not surpassed their 18th birthday as of August 31, 2015)
TEAM/INDIVIDUAL: Counties may enter as many teams as needed and up to 2 individuals in judging contests in each age division. All youth entered in each age division will be eligible for high point individual awards.

MATERIALS: Scantrons will be provided for all participants at the judging contests. Contestants will be required to bring two (2) #2 pencils and one clipboard.

MAPS: Included is a map to the Gillespie County Fairgrounds.

VOLUNTEERS TO ASSIST WITH CONTESTS:
All of the District Judging Contests will need additional volunteers to help as group leaders, tabulators, etc. Agents will need to recruit and CONFIRM TWO volunteers who can serve in these roles. Enclosed are forms for agents to complete and return to the District Office by April 8th for each contest date. We will be sending confirmation letters/emails to the volunteers prior to the contest so be sure to confirm with them before submitting their name as a helper.

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<td>Saturday, April 23, 2016</td>
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<td>Agents: Please hold Friday, April 22, 2016 @ 1:00pm to help with set-up of the contest.</td>
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<td>Reminder: All Ag and 4-H agents are required to attend.</td>
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Additional Information for District Judging Contests

Livestock Judging - Superintendents, Sam Silvers (Kimble County) and Stephen Zoeller (Kendall County)
- Judge nine (9) classes with the possibility to drop down to eight (8).
  - Possibility of a Dorper Sheep Class
- Juniors will have 5 questions.
- Intermediates will give reasons over 1 class.
- Seniors will give reasons on 4 classes.
- No printed materials may be used as an aid during the contest.
Contestants will utilize Expected Progeny Differences (E.P.D.'s). If you have any questions about any of the judging contests, registering participants through 4-H CONNECT or the volunteer forms, please contact the District Office.

Enclosures
- Volunteers to Assist with Judging Contests
- Maps
The persons listed below have been confirmed to assist at the **Livestock Judging Contest**. Help needed: livestock handlers, group leaders, and scribes.

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Gillespie County Fairgrounds
530 Fair Drive
Fredericksburg, TX 78624
2016 District 10 and District 12 Livestock Judging Agent Assignments

***Adult Volunteers will serve as group leaders, leading them from one class to another***

**Contest Chairman:**
- Sam Silvers
- Stephen Zoeller

**Facilities:**
- Brad Roeder
- Taylor Osbourn

**Registration/Tabulation:**
- Natalie Cervantes
- Julie Zimmerman
- Luis Saldana – D12

**Announcer:**
- Michael Haynes

**Class Monitors/Animal Movers:**
- Chris Wiemers
- Bryan Davis
- Travis Franke
- Roy Walston
- Derrick Drury
- Laci Bostic
- D12 Agent
- D12 Agent

**Group Leader Coordinator:**
- Jeff Hanselka

**Reasons Group Leaders:**
- James Crockett
- Jeff Hanselka
- Pascual Hernandez
- Rachel Bauer
- Stephen Zoeller (D12 Int.)
- D12 Agent (D10 Int.)

**Senior Reasons:**
- Dwight Sexton
- Texas Tech Team

**District 10 Intermediate Reasons:**
- D12 Agent

**District 12 Intermediate Reasons:**
- Sam Womble

**Scribes:**
- Megan Capeheart
- Natalie Cervantes
- Kailey Hunt
- Koy Coffer (for D12 Int.)
- D12 Agent
- D12 Agent (for D10 Int.)

**Break and Awards Set-Up:**
- Jason Mangold
- Matt Miranda
- Luis Saldana – D12 Awards