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## THE DUVAL MESSAGE

4-H Newsletter March, 2015

Hello 4-H Families,

The shortest month of the year has come and gone, and boy was it short. Last month we saw the opening of stock show season. I followed the 4-H families that traveled to San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo and watched shotgun competitions and livestock shows. It takes a lot, both time and money, to do something like that and I want to congratulate those families that went out there and competed.

Now, this month in the Duval County, we have both of our county shows taking place here in the beginning of the month. They are going to be fun, interesting and heartbreaking all at the same time, and I look forward to every minute of it. I will be present at both the shows as well, I am traveling to the valley and to The Star of Texas Show in the State's Capital at Austin.

Needless to say, this month is going to be jam packed with things to do. If you see me out there please come by and say hello, I would love to sit down and talk if I have the chance.

If you all need anything, call, email or come by,

Travis D. Trevino

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**County Extension Agent** 

**Duval County, Texas** 

Good Lucky to the Duval 4-H and FFA members who are showing in the Major and County livestock shows.

## **County Fair Dates**

San Diego Fair- March 6 &7, 2015

Freer Fair- March 12, 13 &14,

2015

\*I will make School Excuses

ONLY for the KIDDIES, AND 4H'ers WHO ARE REGISTERED

ON 4-H CONNECT, and for
the kiddies who called in that
were to young to register
online.\*

# is about more than the ribbons and awards... It's about the people, the EXPERIENCES, the life-long skills, the memories, the COOOO DOO BOOD TI's about BEING A ROLE MODEL, giving back, and MAKING THE BEST BETTER

#### **2015 S.A.L.E JUNIOR SHOOT-OUT**

Congratulations to the Duval 4-H Shotgun Team who traveled to San Antonio to Compete in the S.A.L.E Junior Shoot-Out February 18th -21st. You All did an outstanding job. Way to go out there and represent Duval County! Travis and I are extremely proud of you! Shotgun Members who competed include: Left to Right: Preston Hinojosa, AJ McNeal, David Carlos Garza, Jordan Garcia, and Jose Rene Lopez (JR).



## 2015 POSTAL MATCH FOR SHOOTING SPORTS

Shotgun, 22 Rifle, and Archery Postal Match Registration has now been opened on 4-H Connect. If you are interested in participating please Contact me at the Duval Extension Office or on mobile to get registered. The Deadline to Register is Monday March 2, 2015 If you have any questions, let me know 361-256-4591.

## 2015 San Diego Fair

#### **Schedule of Events**

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Thursday, March 5, 2015	
5:00 – 8:00 pm	Registration and Check-in on Non-Livestock Entries with Class/Division Superintendents Food Projects Check-in on Friday
Friday, March 6, 2015	
8:30 – 9:30	Registration and Check-in of Food Entries Class/Division Superintendents
10:30 - 4:00 pm	Judging of Non-Livestock Entries.
8:00 am – 2:00 pm	Registration and Check-in of Livestock Entries with Class/Division Superintendents
4:00 pm	Weigh and Sift of Markets Animals Begin sift of Market Animals (according to Duval County Fair Rules) in following order: Steers, Lambs, Goats, Swine, Rabbits and Poultry
4:00 – 9:00 pm	Public viewing of Non-Livestock Entries
5:00 pm	Presentation of Photo Contest Winners
5:30 pm	Opening Ceremonies Judging begins in following order: Becf Bulls, Becf Heifers, Breeding Nannies, Market Rabbits, Market Poultry and Kiddie Show. (Beef Calf, Goat, Lamb and Swine)
Saturday, March 7, 2015	
10:00 am – 2:45 pm	Public viewing and Silent Auction of Non-Livestock Projects
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9:30 am	Judging of Market Animals in following order: Swine, Goats, Lambs, and Steers
3:00 – 5:00 pm	Entertainment
5:30 pm	Buyers and supports Supper and Fellowship at Rotary Pavilion
6:00 pm	Honoree Presentation
6:30 pm	Livestock Auction at Pavilion Show Ring

#### 2015 FAIR SCHEDULE THURSDAY - March 12, 2015 10AM - 2PM MARKET ANIMAL CHECK-IN KIDDIE ANIMAL CHECK-IN & WEIGH 10 AM - 2 PM 10 AM - 5 PM HOME SHOW CHECK-IN 4PM WEIGH-IN - GOATS / LAMBS RABBIT SHOW 6:00 PM Fryer Rabbits Kiddie Rabbit FRIDAY - March 13, 2015 9:00 AM HOME SHOW - Judging Begins All Non-Food Projects WEIGH-IN - HOGS 9AM 10AM WEIGH-IN - STEERS \*\*\* LUNCH BREAK \*\*\* 1PM LAMB & GOAT SHOW 6:00 PM KIDDIE SHOW Kiddie Calf Kiddie Hog Kiddie Lamb Kiddie Goat SATURDAY - March 14, 2015 8AM - 9AM FOOD SHOW CHECK-IN 9AM STEER SHOW **FOOD JUDGING 10AM** After Steers **HOG SHOW BUYERS SOCIAL** 5:00 PM 6:00 PM **PREMIUM AUCTION**

# **Duval County 4-H**



2<sup>rd</sup> Annual Skeet Shoot

All Welcomed!



#### **GREAT PRIZES!**

Date: April 11, 2015

Where: Duval County Park In Benavides @ The Shotgun

Shooting Complex!!!
Time: 8:00Am-???

Adult Division and Youth Division (18 and up- Adult Division & 17 and under- Youth Division)

Entry Fee for Adults/Youth \$100.00 per person



Individuals only!!!

**Shotguns ONLY** 

For additional information contact Jennika at 361-256-4591 or 361-522-5647

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Registration forms are at the Duval Extension Office!

Bring your own drinks!!!

All proceeds go to the Duval 4-H Shotgun Team