

# UPTON COUNTY 4-H UPDATE



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## ANIMAL PROJECTS for 2016-2017

When obtaining your 4-H show animals, please remember these approximate validation dates for livestock projects for the upcoming year.

- LAMBS - before November 1
- GOATS - before November 1
- PIGS - before December 1
- RABBITS - before November 1

**Watch your newsletter for ordering dates for validation tags. Please remember that your tags must be paid for before they will be ordered.** Exact validation dates, locations and times will be announced for each of the above. **Information on various sales is coming in daily to the office. Please call us for more information. If you need assistance with getting animals, we need to know ASAP.**



### ATTENTION RABBIT EXHIBITORS

If you plan to show rabbits, you need to make some contacts soon about getting rabbits for this fall. Call the Extension Office if you need names and numbers of rabbit breeders.

### DISTRICT VI 4-H RECORD BOOK JUDGING

Due Date: TBA

Record books help 4-H'ers develop record keeping skills, track their 4-H careers, see their accomplishments from past activities, and set future 4-H goals. They are so important for scholarship and awards. Materials and guidelines for construction of record books are available at the Extension Office.

**Don't forget - record books are due in the County Extension so they can be prepared and sent to the District Contest.**

For more information or help getting started with your Record Book, please contact the Extension Office.

## CAMP INFORMATION

If you have any questions about the 4-H summer camps or would like further information about any of them, please contact the County Extension Office at 693-2313. Also, we will be happy to mail you any information or applications that you need.

### Camps include:

**Junior High Leadership Lab**

**PRIME TIME**

**Horizons 2016**

**Texas 4-H Congress**

**Texas 4-H Golf Challenge**

**Howard College Lamb & Goat Camp**



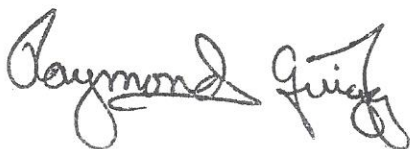
## NOTICE TO ALL 4-H FAMILIES

Upton County 4-H sponsors the All Kid Rodeo every year. This year our rodeo will be held Saturday, June 4th at 3:30 p.m.

This is a fund raiser for **Upton County 4-H**.

**Everyone involved in 4-H should be volunteering to work and help at this Rodeo.**

All Upton County 4-H members benefit from this fund raiser. If you show an animal or if you participate in 4-H events such as the Food Show, the Fashion Show, Judging Contests, Shooting Sports, or Round Up - basically, if you are a 4-H member - you benefit from the Rodeo. It is your privilege to help raise the money that supports your County 4-H Programs. The volunteers are what make a success or failure of the rodeo. Please show your support and appreciation by volunteering **TODAY**. We need help in the arena setting barrels, poles, handling goats, working gates, loading chutes, working calves, working in the concession stand, and taking admittance fees and selling programs at the arena entrance. Please call the Extension Office today and volunteer to work.



Raymond Quigg  
CEA-Ag/NR

I PLEDGE  
**MY HEAD**  
to clearer *thinking*  
**MY HEART** to greater *loyalty*  
 **MY HANDS** TO **LARGER SERVICE**  
**MY HEALTH**  
to better *living*  
FOR MY CLUB & MY  
MY COMMUNITY *WORLD.*  
MY COUNTRY

### REMINDER!

In order to receive your County Checks pens must be cleaned and thank you letters must be turned in to the county office no later than May 30th. This is mandatory for every youth that uses the facilities.