

JULY 2015



Tyler County 4-H News



Nothing is impossible; the word itself says 'I'm possible!' – Audrey Hepburn

June Highlights

TYLER COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT NAMED

OVERTON- Ms. Kelly Jobe has been named Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service's County Extension Agent-FCS Tyler County, effective June 8, 2015, according to a joint announcement by Tyler County Judge, Jacques L. Blanchette, the Tyler County Commissioners Court, and Ms. Shelia Lewis, District Extension Administrator, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, headquartered at Overton, Texas.

"I am pleased to have Kelly join our County Extension Faculty in Tyler County. She will be a great asset to the county and Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service," says Ms. Lewis. "I feel certain she will do an excellent job because of her enthusiasm for providing quality, educational programs and working with the public."

Ms. Jobe earned both her Bachelor of Science and Masters of Science from the University of Houston.

She was previously employed by Goose Creek CISD and Deer Park ISD where she served as a Lifeskills teacher and Special Education Administrator before moving to Chester where she has spent the last 16 years. Over these years she has served Chester ISD in many capacities, including Elementary Principal, Special Education teacher and Interim Superintendent. Kelly commented "I am so excited to have this opportunity to serve my county in a new capacity. After 29 years of teaching in the public school system, I felt the need to expand my educational audience. When the Family and Consumer Science Extension Agent position became available, I saw an opportunity to give back to my community, using all of my skills and gifts that God has so graciously afforded to me."



Congratulations!



Kaci Vaughn of **Colmesneil** has won the **\$3000 Davidson Family Foundation** scholarship. **Vaughn** a member of **Tyler County** 4-H, plans to attend **Angelina Community College**. More than 55,000 Texas youth are members of 4-H community clubs in the state. The program, part of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, prepares youth to meet the challenges of childhood, adolescence and adulthood, through educational experiences in leadership, citizenship and life skills.

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Mark Your Calendar

It's almost that time again! Please mark your calendar for **August 15** to register for 4H and maintain membership. When the time comes, log into 4H Connect and enroll there. The fee is \$25.

Calendar at a Glance

August 3, State Recordbook Judging

August 13, 4H Banquet

August 15, Start of New Year for 4H

August 15, Registration for 4H 2015/2016 Year Starts

4-H Club Meetings

Colmesneil 4-H, 1st Monday of the Month, 6pm @ Tyler County Rodeo Arena

Fred 4-H, 4th Thursday of the Month, 7pm @ Fred Elementary Cafeteria

Spurger 4-H, 1st Thursday of the Month, 6pm @ FBC Spurger

Warren 4-H, 3rd Wednesday of the Month, 6pm @ Warren Masonic Lodge

Tyler County 4-H Council, 3rd Thursday of the Month, 6pm @ Extension Office.

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