**4-H Blast**

 June 22, 2015

* ~~June 22: Leadership Workshop, 1-5pm, YEB~~ (CANCELED!!!)
* June 23: Spring Heifer Validation, 7am-10am, Milam County Livestock Auction
* June 24-26: County Recordbook Judging, 9am, CEO (email Micah)
* June 24-26: District Leadership Lab, Brownwood
* June 26: Recordbooks and Awards Due (NEW DATE!!)

***Major Livestock Show Tag-In***

***Milam County Livestock Auction, 2605 Auction Barn, Cameron, TX 76520***

**June 23: Heifer Validation, 7am-10am, Milam County Livestock Auction**

7:00am – 12:00pm

Heifer validation for the up-coming show season will be on **June 23, 2015** from 7:00am– 10:00am

Remember, at validation, your livestock project, and a parent must be present to complete validation. If a parent is unavailable to attend validation, you must contact us beforehand to complete and sign additional validation paperwork. **NO** animals will be validated without a parent/guardian present, or paperwork prepared beforehand.

Validation only validates ownership of the animal project. You will still need to enter your livestock in the respective livestock shows.

**NO** animals will be validated prior or after the set validation date.

For questions or concerns call or email : Floyd Ingram,

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**Recordbooks and Awards:**

Since we have so many out next week, we have made the date to judge recordbooks on **Monday, June 29th**, at 6pm at the County Extension Office. Please make arrangements to come and judge. The more we have judge the faster we will be done!!! Yay! This brings me to the second part: Since we have change that date till later, we have extended our deadline for recordbooks to **Friday, June 26th** This also includes awards! Don’t forget about the awards! You do not have to do a recordbook for some of the awards! Here are the links for recordbooks and awards:

Recordbooks: <http://counties.agrilife.org/mc4h/4-h-activities/recordbooks/>

Awards: <http://counties.agrilife.org/mc4h/4-h-activities/4-h-awards/>

***Rockdale Fair***

 HE Rules are coming soon!

Ownership and Tag-in dates are as follows:

* Commercial Heifers: Palpation: **Oct. 3, 2015**, 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.
* Lambs, Swine & Goats: **July 11, 2015**, 7:00 to 9:00 a.m., Rockdale Fair Park
* Rabbits: **September 9, 2015**, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Home Demonstration Building
* Broilers: Order through RFA, by May 18, pick-up **August 26**, Home Demonstration Bldg.,

Cost per broiler: $1.67

***Milam County 4-H Information!***

For information about any 4-H related activity, please go to the website or facebook page! [www.Join4-h.com](http://www.Join4-h.com) or [www.facebook.com/milamcountyfourH](http://www.facebook.com/milamcountyfourH)