



## 2020 Multi-District Judging Contest Information

### Dates

**Horse Judging:** Saturday, April 4, 2020

**Livestock Judging:** Saturday, April 25, 2020

**Meat Judging and Identification:** Saturday, April 25, 2020

### Locations

Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843

(See contest information on following pages for specific location)

### Entry Requirements

- ✓ **Horse Judging:** Enter individually on 4-H Connect beginning **March 3, 2020** at <https://texas.4honline.com>
- ✓ **Livestock and Meats Judging:** Enter individually on 4-H Connect beginning **March 16, 2020** at <https://texas.4honline.com>
- ✓ Fee - \$10 per contestant per contest
- Late Entry Fee - \$25 per contestant per contest
- Competing as a **Team**
  - ✓ If a county does not have enough Junior or Intermediate individuals to fill a 3 to 4 member team, these two age divisions can be combined and all members will be classified **up** into Intermediate age division at the contest.
  - ✓ Senior teams may only consist of senior age division youth.
  - ✓ **Exception:** Teams without enough members to participate as a team will compete individually.
- **Horse Judging** (3 to 4 member team event)
- **Livestock Judging** (3 to 4 member team event)
- **Meat Identification and Judging** (3 to 4 member team event)

### District Deadlines

#### Horse Judging:

- Registration on 4-H Connect, entry materials emailed and county approval by **March 18, 2020**
- Late entry – **March 20-22, 2020** (late fees apply)

#### Livestock Judging and Meat Identification and Judging:

- Registration on 4-H Connect, entry materials emailed and county approval by **April 1, 2020**
- Late entry – **April 3-5, 2020** (late fees apply)

## **Entry Divisions** (grade by August 31, 2019)

- Junior            Grades 3, 4, and 5
- Intermediate    Grades 6, 7, and 8
- Senior            Grades 9, 10, 11 and 12

## **Special Accommodations**

- Any competitor who requires auxiliary aids or special accommodations must contact the District office at least 2 weeks before the competition or note such needs when registering on 4-H Connect.

## **Overall Schedule**

- Schedule may be modified based upon number of contestants.
- See contest information on following pages for a tentative contest schedule.
- Specific times for each contest will be sent to county Extension agents ONE week before event. Final schedule will be posted on the district website at [D54-H.tamu.edu](http://D54-H.tamu.edu) and on the district Facebook page at [District 5 Texas 4-H](http://District 5 Texas 4-H)

## **Awards**

- Presentation of awards for each Judging contest will be held following tabulation of results.
- 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> places will be presented a rosette and a prize to be determined by committee.
- High point individuals in each age division and each contest will be recognized with a prize to be determined by committee.
- Entry via 4-H Connect gives permission to the District office to use the participant's name and/or photograph as needed for marketing and promotion purposes.

## **Qualifying for State Roundup**

- The top three Senior age division teams (grades 9-12) will advance to state.
- The Texas 4-H Roundup contestant paperwork is available online at <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/events/roundup/>