

Making a Difference *Tyler County*



Extension Newsletter for Commissioners Court

Overview of major programming efforts of County Agent Jacob Spivey for month March:

When the agent is not actively engaged in a program, conference or meeting, office hours include site visits for both producers and 4H members; phone calls; emails; program planning, office visits, coordination with collaborators and other office and community needs.

March 1 – Agent Attended Farm Bureau Board of Directors Meeting

March 3- Agent Attended Tyler County Hospital Foundation Board of Directors Meeting

March 5- Agent Attended Meeting of the Minds Pro-Development Event (Lufkin, Texas)

March 8 – Agent Attended Jacob’s Ladder Board of Directors Meeting

March 9 – Agent Took Sick Leave

March 9 – Ag in the Evening Online Educational Event

March 10 – Agent Took Sick Leave

March 15- Agent Attended Chamber Board of Directors Meeting

March 17- Agent Collected and Delivered Soil Samples for Annual Soil Drive (92 samples collected)

March 19- Agent Took Annual Leave

March 22- Agent Conducted Ag in the Evening Planning Meeting

Educational programs of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service are open to all people without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, genetic information or veteran status. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating

March 22- Agent Conducted Tyler County 4H Council Meeting

March 23- Agent Took Sick Leave

March 23- Ag in the Evening Online Educational Event

March 23- Tyler County Beekeepers Meeting

March 24- Agent took Sick Leave

March 25- Agent conducted Annual Review with District Administration

March 26- Lion's Club Rodeo/ Western Weekend

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March 29 – Agent Traveled to deliver trailer parts for Tyler County Fair

Various County Programs and Meetings were canceled due to no face-to-face meetings allowed- Online/Facebook Presence was supplemented where possible

Educational Programs: Programs Presented: 5

Program Participants: approximately 250

Educational Contacts Include: Telephone: approximately 45

Email: approximately 4000

Office Visits: approximately 5

Site Visits: approximately: 5

Other In-Person Contacts: approximately 1000

Media Outreach: Tyler County Booster: 2 AGNR Extension Entries

2467 Subscribers and Printed 5000

Booster Total Outreach: 14,934copies of paper.

Social Media Contacts include :

Facebook:

AgriLife – 1187+1 gained= 1188 Followers X 16 Posts = 19,008 Direct Contacts

2,020 Indirect Contacts

Tyler County 4H -839+10 gained = 846 Followers X 5 Posts = 4230 Direct Contacts

1049 Indirect Contacts

Social Media Total Contacts : 26,307 Contacts

Total Tyler County Contacts on behalf of AgriLife Extension By Jacob Spivey: 46,546

Miles Traveled within the County: Approximately 350 miles

Miles Traveled Outside of the County: Approximately 400 miles

Total Miles Traveled By Jacob Spivey on behalf of Tyler County AgriLife Extension: Approx 750 miles