

Making a Difference *Tyler County*



Extension Newsletter for Commissioners Court

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

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.

August 2- Agent Attended Beef Cattle Short Course (College Station)

August 3- Agent Attended Beef Cattle Short Course (College Station)

August 4 – Agent Attended Beef Cattle Short Course (College Station)

August 5- D5 Horse Show Follow up Meeting – Teams

August 9- Office Closed Due to Covid19 exposure

August 10 - Office Closed Due to Covid19 exposure

August 10 – Ag in The Evening Program (Online)

August 11 - Office Closed Due to Covid19 exposure

August 12 - Office Closed Due to Covid19 exposure

August 13- Office Closed Due to Covid19 exposure

August 16- Beef and Forage Workshop Planning Meeting (Phone)

August 17 – Breakfast CEUs

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

August 18- Contest Chair Planning Meeting for d5 4H (online)

August 19- Spoke at Lion's Club (30 Attended)

August 19 – Wildlife Program (35 Attended)

August 20 – Multi-County Beef and Forage Event (15 attended)

August 23- Tyler County 4H County Wide Meeting

August 23 Tyler County Beekeepers Association Meeting

August 26- Smoking and Grilling Required Training

August 27- Tyler County Fair Broiler Pickup

August 28- Tyler County Fair Rabbit Validation

August 30- Agent Worked from Home due to Covid exposure

August 30- D5 4H Workday (Agent Attended Online)

August 31- Agent Worked From home due to covid exposure

Educational Programs: Programs Presented: 9

Program Participants: approximately 125

Educational Contacts Include: Telephone: approximately 15.

Email: approximately 4500

Office Visits: approximately 4

Site Visits: approximately: 30

Other In-Person Contacts: approximately 1000

Media Outreach: Tyler County Booster: 5 AGNR Extension Entries

2467 Subscribers and Printed 5000

Booster Total Outreach: 37,335 copies of paper.

Social Media Contacts include:

Facebook:

AgriLife – 1217+12 gained= 1229 Followers X 28 Posts = 34,412 Direct Contacts

7,805 Indirect Contacts

Tyler County 4H -931+40 gained = 971 Followers X 33 Posts = 32,043 Direct Contacts

11,895 Indirect Contacts

Social Media Total Contacts: 86,155 Contacts

Total Tyler County Contacts on behalf of AgriLife Extension by Jacob Spivey: 129,164

Miles Traveled within the County: Approximately 300 miles

Miles Traveled Outside of the County: Approximately 400miles

Total Miles Traveled by Jacob Spivey on behalf of Tyler County AgriLife Extension: Approx. 700miles