

# Montgomery County 4-H News

June 2020

## Wildlife Seed

This is for anyone that may want to plant a Wildlife Seed plot for Deer, Quail, Turkey and Songbirds. It requires an eighth to a quarter of an acre about 300 feet long and 15-20 feet wide. Needs to be planted in field. Must be protected from Livestock. Seed should be planted in worked up seed bed from **May 1-through June 15**.

Contact Rusty Evans at [jEvans1@utk.edu](mailto:jEvans1@utk.edu) if interested.

## Academic UnConference!

What does BINGO, prize packages, office hours and tours of lands far, far away have to do with Junior High Academic Conference? Yep! Academic Conference looks a little different this year. We won't REALLY be on campus this summer, but that won't stop all of the fun and great learning adventures! We have a few surprise elements for Tennessee 4-H members and lots of prizes to be won! It's gonna be great! Registration is now open for the 2020 4-H Junior High Academic UN-Conference! Are you ready for a unique, virtual experience?

Here's an opportunity to experience college life virtually. Working with UT professors, specialists and faculty members, you will learn in-depth knowledge about your 4-H project area, explore careers and network other 4-H members across the state while participating in fun, interactive, hands-on experiences! Applications are not needed for this year's event. However, you may only sign up for one project area. If you are in the **6th, 7th and 8th grades (as of January 1, 2020)**, you are eligible to attend.

**Registration deadline is June 1!**

Please contact your 4-H agent to get registered today! The event is **June 9-11, 2020**.

## Life Skills and CDM Judging Team Meeting

Do you like to shop and want to learn more about how to compare and make decisions based on facts collected? Then this would be a great opportunity for you. Looking for 4-Hers in grades 5-9 as of January 1 of the current year!

**Thursday, June 11, 2020**  
**via Zoom**  
**6:00 p.m.**

If you are interested or have questions, please call (931) 648-5725 or email [ewaddy1@utk.edu](mailto:ewaddy1@utk.edu).

## 4-H Horse Judging

**Zoom Practice June 18th**

- You do not need to own or have access to horses to participate.
- There are three divisions: Jr. (4th & 5th Grade), Jr. High(6th-8th grade) and Sr. (9th-12th).
- You will learn how to evaluate the confirmation of different breeds and types of horses and how to judge different performance classes

*For more information and/or an invite to the zoom meeting contact: Kevina Green (931)648-5725 or e-mail:[kgreen@utk.edu](mailto:kgreen@utk.edu)*

# Savor the Flavor



## Video Cooking Contest

The Tennessee 4-H Beef Industry Council is offering an opportunity exclusively to TN 4-H Members. They are sponsoring the annual Savor the Flavor video contest for 4-H members. This Contest is offered in an effort to engage youth 6-12 grades in promoting beef recipes in a “Tasty Style” recipe video.

1<sup>st</sup> Place: \$200.00  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$150.00  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$100.00

### Rules

This contest is for 4-Hers in the **6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades** as of January 1, 2020  
Create video by using Beef recipe from [www.beefitswhatsfordinner.com](http://www.beefitswhatsfordinner.com)  
Video must be at least 1 minute in length and no longer than 2 minutes

You tube video links are only acceptable format

In your submission include: You tube link, name, address, phone number, county and grade

Submit entries to [jsullivan@tnbeef.org](mailto:jsullivan@tnbeef.org) by **June 19, 2020**

## Western Region 4-H Horse Show



The Western Region Horse show has been rescheduled for **August 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>**.... Horses need to be **enrolled by July 1<sup>st</sup>** ... IF anyone is interested they can e-mail [kgreen@utk.edu](mailto:kgreen@utk.edu) and she will email the enrollment forms for your horse and a show packet. This event will be at UT Martin.

**Volunteer Meeting: June 22, 2020 @ 6:00 PM via Zoom**  
**for more information contact Esther [ewaddy1@utk.edu](mailto:ewaddy1@utk.edu)**

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4-H youth development, family and consumer sciences,  
and resource development.

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