



December 2020

Christmas Pet Treats for PAWS

Chairman: Hanna Bozeman

Please make the treats and drop off at PAWS by Wednesday, December 30th. Please text Kelley Bozeman at 774-0343 when treats have been dropped off.

PAWS is also in need of paper towels, bleach, towels, blankets, and cat litter as well as monetary donations.

Homemade Dog Treats

2 cups wheat flour

- 1 cup skim milk
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1 cup peanut butter

Mix all ingredients.
Roll out to 1/2" thickness and cut out.
Bake in 375 degree oven for about 20 minutes.

Homemade Cat Treats

1 can tuna in oil, drained 1 egg 1 1/4 cups flour, plus extra for dusting 1/2 cup water Dash of parsley 1 km a for down are comminged in second

1. In a food processor mix all ingredients until a dough forms. If the dough looks too sticky, add a bit more flour.

2. Dust a surface with flour and roll out dough to 1/2" thick. Use a bottle cap to cut out treats.

3. Bake in 350 degree oven for 20 minutes on a cookie sheet lined with parchment paper.

Kind House Ukraine Bakery

Chairman: Kolt Barrett

Everything in the bakery is priced at \$1.00. That is because they want you, the donor, to decide whatever you would like to give to the orphans and those who live in the war zone of the Ukraine. You are saving lives!

4-H families may help by donating the following items: powdered sugar, evaporated milk (not sweetened condensed), butter, pecans, chocolate chips, coconut, flour, and sugar.

Monetary donations go directly to Ukraine....not to purchase supplies!

This is an INTERNATIONAL community service.

Kind House Ukraine Bakery 2100 SW 60th Ave. | Amarillo, TX 806-220-8115 | https://kindhousebakery.org/

Christmas Meals on Wheels

Chairman: Hagen Pate

Please consider delivering meals during Christmas break from Monday, December 21st to Monday, January 4th. Meals are ready at 11:00 a.m. at Covenant Hospital at the east door by the helicopter pad. You will receive 1 hour of community service. For more information, contact Derrick Pate at 549-8699, Beverly Wall at 774-1040, or the Extension Office at 291-5270.

<u>"Shoe Box Christmas"</u>

Chairman: Hanna Bozeman

All Hale County 4-H Clubs are asked to donate the following personal Hygiene items: lotion, hand soap, large box Kleenex, shampoo, shaving lotion, powder, etc. Items will be used for residents of nursing homes and assisted living centers. Please drop off items to the Extension Office by Friday December 18th.

County-Wide Community Service "Give the Gift of Sight"

Chairmen: Henley Stoerner & Brooklyn Blackerby

All clubs are asked to donate used eveglasses and sunglasses. These glasses will be taken to Lens Crafters in Lubbock to be restored. Lens Crafters will distribute these glasses to other world countries. Donations may be dropped off at the Extension Office by Friday, January 29th.

Crisis Center of the Plains Used Cell Phones

Chairmen: Colton & Colby Scott

Please bring any used cell phones to the Extension Office. These cell phones will be given to women at Crisis Center of the Plains for emergency use only. Donations may be dropped off at the Extension Office by Friday, January 29th.

St. Jude's Ranch for Children **"Recycled Card Program"**

Chairmen: Rylie & Harmony Morales

Please bring your Christmas card to the Extension office by Friday, January 29th. The cards will be mailed to St. Jude's to help with their fundraiser for Christmas 2021.

<u>"Blue Jeans Go Green"</u> **Denim Recvcling**

Chairman: Evelyn Mathis

The Texas Cotton Ginners Association did not hold their convention and contest last spring. Hopefully, the TCGA will meet in spring 2021. All Hale County 4-Hers are asked to continue saving their old denim. The top three organizations that enter the heaviest weights of collected denim will win cash prizes. The denim will be used for insulation in Habitat for Humanity homes. Contact Beverly Wall at 774-1040.

Crisis Center of the Plains Chairman: Sterling Berry

All Hale County 4-Hers are asked to bring any baking items or mixes that can be used for Christmas dinners should be brought to your local club meetings. These items should be dropped off at the Extension Office by Friday, January 29th. Examples of items: powdered sugar, cake mix, pie filling, pie shells, vanilla, food coloring, sweetened condensed milk, etc.

<u>Crutches 4 Africa</u>

Chairmen: Hagen & Colson Pate

Hale County 4-Hers are asked to donate crutches, canes, walkers, walking boots, or any other item used to help those needing these items in Africa. The Plainview Rotary Club will help ship these items to Africa. We will be collecting these items for the next few months. This is an INTERNATIONAL community service.

County-Wide Community Service Manufacturer's Coupons

Chairmen: Jaiden & Braiden Barbian

Please bring manufacturer's coupons to your club meetings. The coupons will be used to provide free or low-cost items to the Crisis Center of the Plains. If you have any questions, please contact Rachel Barbian at 806-701-0976.

Aluminum Cans for Ronald McDonald House Charities

Chairman: Dakota Peterson

All 4-Hers are asked to recycle any aluminum beverage cans. This helps support Ronald McDonald House program, a temporary "home-away-fromhome" for the families of seriously ill children being treated at nearby hospitals. Please bring aluminum beverage cans to your monthly club meetings.

Meals on Wheels Scholarship

Hale County Meals on Wheels, Inc. awards scholarships to a senior student who is pursuing higher education and who meets the criteria listed below. Awards are based solely on the number of volunteer hours accumulated with our organization. Hours may be accumulated by students during their junior and senior year. Students can begin accumulating hours at the first of their junior year. Hours that count toward this scholarship must be performed between September 1, 2019, through April 15, 2021. You must take responsibility for keeping up with the dates and hours of your volunteer service and turn in the attached log to the scholarship committee. Dates and hours will be verified by the committee. All public, private, and homeschooled students living in Hale County are eligible. Annabeth Alison won the scholarship in 2020.