



April 2021

**RSVP and Hale County 4-H  
Keep Plainview Beautiful Texas  
Trash-Off Event**

Chairman: Campbell Offield

WHEN: Wednesday, April 21st at 4:15 p.m.

WHERE: Hike and Bike Trail

All 4-H members are asked to meet at the gazebo off of Quincy street. We will divide into groups and clean the trail with the RSVP members.

**K.W.A.K Cart**

Chairmen: Rylie & Harmony Morales

All Hale County 4-H Clubs are asked to bring stuffed animals or coloring books and crayons to their April club meetings. The stuffed animals and coloring books and crayons will be used in the hospital emergency room. These items may be dropped off at the Extension office by Friday, April 30th. All items will be donated to Covenant Hospital Plainview.

**County-Wide Community Service  
Manufacturer's Coupons**

Chairmen: Jaiden, Braiden, & Azlan 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.

**Hale County Service - Rainbow Room**

Chairmen: Kelton & Campbell Offield

All Hale County 4-H Clubs are asked to bring items for teenagers such as perfume, makeup, fingernail polish, cologne/body sprays, etc. to their April meeting. Donations may be dropped off at the Extension office by Friday, April 30th or brought to your monthly club meeting. The baby care items will be used by the CPS case workers.

**Hunger Plus**

Chairmen: Henley Stoerner & Brooklyn Blackerby

Hale County 4-Hers are asked to bring bottled water, Kool-Aid Jammers, Capri Suns, or other boxed drinks to their April club meetings or to the Extension office by April 30th. The boxed drinks will be used for a children's mission program in Ciudad Acuna, Mexico.

**"Blue Jeans Go Green"  
Denim Recycling**

Chairman: Evelyn Mathis

The Texas Cotton Ginners Association will not hold their convention and contest this spring. Hopefully, the TCGA will meet in spring 2022. 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.

**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-from-home" for the families of seriously ill children being treated at nearby hospitals. Please bring aluminum beverage cans to your monthly club meetings.

## **Keep Texas Beautiful “Young Texan Ambassador” & Keep Plainview Beautiful Photographer**

Congratulations to Campbell Offield for being chosen as a “Young Texan Ambassador” for Keep Texas Beautiful! Miss Offield was chosen to represent Keep Texas Beautiful for the next two years due to her 4-H activities in Keep Plainview Beautiful. She will use her leadership skills to spread awareness and educate others in the importance of litter prevention and environmental efforts.

Hagen Pate is serving as the official Keep Plainview Beautiful photographer. His responsibilities include photography the monthly award winners and writing the captions for the Plainview Herald. The awards include: Up with Trees, Beautification, Recycling, and Plainview Partners.



## **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 home-schooled students living in Hale County are eligible. Annabeth Alison won the scholarship in 2020.

These community service opportunities are available at the club meetings this month:

- FISH - paper sacks & plastic bags (County)
- PAWS Pet Adoption - loose change (County)
- Manufacturer's Coupons (County)
- “Blue Jeans Go Green” Denim Recycling - any type of old denim (State)
- Ronald McDonald House - aluminum cans (District)
- Pennies for Progress - loose change for the Texas 4-H Center projects (State)
- Hunger Plus - bottled water, Kool-Aid Jammers, Capri Suns, other boxed drinks (International)
- Rainbow Room-perfume, makeup, fingernail polish, cologne/body sprays, etc. (County)
- K.W.A.K. Cart-stuffed animals, coloring books, crayons (County)