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*Community
Service
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February 2023

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

Chairmen: Evelyn & Brody Mathis

All clubs are asked to donate used eyeglasses 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 the last week day of the current month.

Aluminum Cans for Ronald McDonald House Charities

Chairman: Rachel Walden

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.

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, 2021, through April 15, 2023. 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.

Crisis Center of the Plains
Used Cell Phones

Chairmen: Hagen & Colson Pate

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 the last day of the current month.

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

Chairman: Sterling Berry

Please bring your Christmas cards to the Extension office by the last week day of the current month. The cards will be mailed to St. Jude's to help with their fundraiser for Christmas 2023.

"Blue Jeans Go Green"
Denim Recycling Picture

WHEN: Thursday, February 2nd at 4:30 p.m.

WHERE: High Plains Concrete (3200 NW Canyon St.)

We need as many 4-Hers and Clover Kids as possible in the picture! Please bring a pair of jeans to hold in the picture.

Denim donated by Hale Co. 4-H will be delivered to Habitat for Humanity in Ft. Worth Saturday, February 4th.

Shoebox Christmas Deliveries

WHEN: Wednesday, February 1st at 4:30 p.m.

WHERE: St. Mark's Episcopal Church

4-H families are needed to deliver Shoebox Christmas sacks to Meals on Wheels recipients. These sacks were supposed to be delivered, but items have been on backorder. There are 12 routes that need to be delivered, and it will take about 1 hour. If you can drive a route, please contact Beverly Wall at 774-1040.