

September 1st, 2023

MEMO TO: Rolling Plains 3 CEA-AG/Nr, FCH and 4-H Agents

SUBJECT: Leaders 4 Life

The 2023 District Leaders 4 Life Contest will be held on November 13, 2023. The contest will be held at **Chico Middle School**. There will be a \$10 fee for each participant. **Registration will be on 4-H Online**. Registration will be open from September 1-November 3, 2022. The top three senior teams will advance to State Roundup in June 2024.

The District 3 Leaders 4 Life Contest is open to all 4-H youth in the district.

Juniors—Grades 3, 4, 5

Intermediates—Grades, 6, 7, 8

Seniors—Grades 9, 10, 11, 12

If a county does not have enough junior 4-H members to create a full team, juniors may move up to compete on an intermediate team. Intermediates may not move up to the senior age division or down to the junior age division. Seniors may not move down to a lower age division

For more information about the Leaders-4-Life program and study guides go to <http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/leadership/>

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The Leaders 4 Life Skill-A-Thon has three components:

- **Parliamentary Procedure Contest** —The teams will demonstrate a simulated 4-H meeting using a standard agenda that is provided at the event. Teams of four to six county 4-H council members will have 20 minutes to conduct the meeting before a panel of judges. The maximum number of points for this part of the contest is 100.
- **Question-and-Answer Session** —Each team will be asked 10 questions on parliamentary procedure. Every team member must answer at least one question but no more than three questions. The remaining questions may be answered by any team member, and the team members will choose who will answer the extra questions before they are read. Each contestant must respond within 10 seconds and complete the answer within 1 minute. Each question is worth up to 10 points, for a maximum score of 100 points.
- **Service Learning Interview** —Each team will submit a simple document (not judged) that includes the name of a project that was conducted during the year. The document will include the project name and three or four sentences describing it. The judges will ask the team about the project and its use of the eight steps of service learning (outlined on page 6 of the Use Your Hands ... For Service document). The maximum score is 70 points

Additional resources and information needed for the Leaders 4 Life contest can be found at the following link.

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