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County Extension Agent- CEA-Ag/4-H

Agricultural Science Teachers,

The Tri- State Fair and Rodeo will be conducting a Calf Scramble Scholarship program this year during the rodeo performances on Thursday, September 21, Friday, September 22 and Saturday, September 23 at the Amarillo National Center. The participants must be 4-H or FFA members, so we need your help to promote this event. The entry and agreement form is included for your information and distribution. The entry deadline is Thursday, September 14, 2017. The following are the details of the calf scramble:

- If your student has caught a calf in a previous Tri-State Fair & Rodeo scramble they are not allowed to participate.
- There will be 20 participants at each performance with 10 calves, so there will be 10 winners each night. There will be a required orientation session at 6:00 p.m. prior to the rodeo to issue halters, provide t-shirts and discuss the rules of the scramble. The meeting will be held in the Amarillo National Center. Enter through the east side under the canopy and come up the stairs to the classroom which is also on the east side of the building.
- Winners will receive a \$250 scholarship. The scholarship is to be awarded at the conclusion of 12 hrs. of college/university/trade school with a minimum GPA of 2.0.
- The scholarship program will be managed by Opportunity Plan Inc. (OPI) in Canyon. It will be the responsibility of the scholarship winner to provide the documentation (transcript with GPA) through OPI to access the funds for the scholarship.
- The participants must be at least 15 years old and weigh a minimum of 100 lbs.
- Any 4-H or FFA member is eligible with no exhibition of animal required. The NO PASS NO PLAY rule applies to be eligible. Selection of participants will be on "first come first serve." There will be a random draw for the performance night, so a participant cannot select the night he/she scrambles. There will be alternates selected for each performance, so one could receive a call at the last minute to participate.
- Deadline for entry and agreement form is Thursday, September 14, 2017 with forms being returned to the Tri-State Fair & Rodeo at the following address: 3301 SE. 10th, Amarillo, Texas 79104. Fax: 806-376-6942
- All participants will receive a Tri- State Fair & Rodeo Calf Scramble t-shirt.

We are excited about this event and opportunity for the 4-H and FFA members who participate at the Tri-State Fair & Rodeo and we hope you will help us promote this event. If you have questions, you may call Cody Chandler@ 806-220-9422 or Galen Chandler@ 806-677-5600 or the Tri-State Fair and Rodeo office at 806-376-7767. Thank you for your cooperation and interest in the calf scramble.

Sincerely,

Cody Chandler

Galen Chandler

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Galen Chandler".