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What is Texas 4-H Roundup? For youth throughout the state of Texas, Texas 4-H Roundup is the culmination of a 4-H member's year of hard work and dedication. It is designed to supplement the county 4-H program and project work. Each year contests are held throughout the counties, the twelve Texas A&M AgriLife Extension districts, and at the state level.

Texas 4-H Roundup has been held in College Station, Texas since its inception, with the exception of 2012. Over 4,000 youth and adults attend Roundup each year. Roundup consists of approximately 50 competitive events. Most of these contests require each individual or team to qualify at the county and district level.

Texas 4-H Roundup also offers invitational (non-qualifying) contests that allow intermediate and senior 4-H members to participate. If you are not looking for a competitive opportunity, a number of educational workshops are also available, many open to both youth and adults.

Roundup is scheduled to officially begin Monday, June 6, 2017 and ends Thursday, June 9, 2017. Henderson County 4-H has a great group of youth who will be representing our county and program. Competing in the Robotics Invitational are Justin Jones, Burk Box, Luke Baber (Senior Level) and Joshua Jones, Elijah Harrison, Madi Gurley and Maddie Early (Intermediate Level).

Leo Varos will be doing Invitational Archery, Andrew Childress will be competing in the Ag ID contest, Justin Jones in the Consumer Decision Making contest, Christopher Childress in Fashion Show and Educational Presentation as well as Laura Ashley Childress in Fashion Show and Food Show.

We wish all of them the best of luck as they showcase their projects they have been working so hard on over the last few months! Serving as their County Extension Agent, I think I get the best job of all in getting to be there to encourage them and cheer them on!

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