

**Williamson Country, TX**  
**2016 4-H / FFA Youth**  
**Show Poultry Showmanship Classic**



The event will have a poultry clinic where experts will talk about different aspects of poultry showmanship, feed and breeding tips. We will also have a youth Showmanship competition for participants to show the judge their birds and answer poultry questions.

**Youth Showmanship & Clinic \$5 (18 yrs old and younger)**

Participants can bring any healthy poultry (APA/ABA/Backyard) as long as the bird has been PT-tested. **Current P/T or proof of testing MUST accompany entry.** CONTACT Poultry Programs Administrator, Mr. Joseph (J. C.) Essler, Texas A&M Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory, (979) 845-4186, or by Region. Region 1 Poultry Epidemiologist (940) 736- 4204, Region 2 Poultry Epidemiologist (903) 327-6947, Region 3 Poultry Epidemiologist (979) 450-5418, **Region 4 Poultry Epidemiologist William Glass (512) 466-8235**, PRIOR TO SHOW TO HAVE YOUR BIRD/S TESTED. THIS IS A FREE SERVICE. Call to set up appt. for a Representative to come to your place for testing. Please do not bring birds if they have not been tested. There will be no testing available at show.

Participants will be responsible for feeding and watering their birds.

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**June 4th Agenda:**

8:30am–9:30am:	Show Registration
9:30am	Showmanship Judging Begins
9:30am–10:00am:	Food & Nutrition talk
10:00am-10:30am:	Rooster Crow and Hen Cluck-Off Contest
10:30am-11:00am:	Texas Poultry Breeder talk
11:00am-11:30am:	For the birds, Costume Contest
11:30-12:00noon:	Awards

**Poultry Showmanship:**

Demonstrate your showmanship skills and breed understanding. This event gives the participants a one-on-one chance to show to a judge their poultry knowledge. In showmanship scoring emphasis is given to both the bird and the person showing the bird. ABA & APA Standards will be used and all decisions of judges are final.

- a) The quality and care of their bird
- b) The proper way to handle and inspect the bird
- c) Demonstrate knowledge of their bird and breed
- d) Exhibit understanding of poultry questions

**Crow & Cluck-Off Contest:**

JOIN THE FUN! Show us your best chicken imitation--vocalizations, behaviors, etc.

**For the birds, Costume Contest:**

Dress your beauty King or Queen up, and sometimes having the bird in matching attire helps. This will be a people's popularity pick so put on your bird's most noticeable fashion.

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