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The San Antonio Livestock Exposition, Inc. is a volunteer organization that emphasizes agriculture and education to develop the youth of Texas.

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San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo awards Scholarships to Texas 4-H'ers

SAN ANTONIO-A group of San Antonio Livestock Exposition (S.A.L.E.) volunteers and staff attended the 4-H Roundup in College Station on June 12. Scholarships and awards were presented to twenty two outstanding young individuals who will attend a variety of Texas colleges and universities.

The awards were presented by Tony Magaro, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee. He was assisted by Fred Petmecky, S.A.L.E. President, Cody Davenport, Executive Committee Vice President, Jackie Van De Walle, Assistant Vice President and Russell Bading, Assistant Vice President.

Other San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo volunteers in attendance were Alan Cole, Family Fair Committee Chairman; Karla Friesenhahn, School Tours Committee Chairman; Bruce Hathaway, Communications Committee Chairman; Bill Jerman, Nominating Committee Chairman; Billy Schieberle, Livestock Committee Chairman; Renee Wheat, Calf Scramble Committee Chairman; David White, Barbecue Committee Chairman; Yvonne Davenport, Barbecue Committee; Tim James, Barbecue Committee; Boyd and Judy Newby, Communications Committee; and Amy Wise, Barbecue Committee.

Scholarships were presented to:

\$16,000 4-year scholarships were awarded to:

Joshua Aguilar, Cameron County
Molly Dudensing, Haskell County
Hillary Finck, Swisher County
Logan Gaskins, Howard County
William Goodwin, Johnson County
Logan Kostroun, Milam County
Sydney Lawrence, Wise County
Zane Lewis, Swisher County
John McCrady, Johnson County
Alisha Multer, Runnels County
Kelsey Stokes, Dickens County
Rachel Taylor, Brown County
Kelsey Willberg, Concho County



School Tours Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each were awarded to:

Brandon Baros, DeWitt County
Emily Bush, Wilson County
Brittany Byrd, Bexar County
Zachary Coufal, Washington County
Kelsey Johnson, Live Oak County
Rebecca Kelsay, Comal County
Peyton McBurnett, Guadalupe County
Catherine Saathoff, Medina County
Seth Saathoff, Bandera County

This year the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo has committed \$8.1 million to education. The amount represents scholarships, grants, endowments, junior livestock auctions, Calf Scramble program, and show premiums paid to youth in the state of Texas. This brings the total amount that the organization has committed since the inception of the Scholarship Fund in 1984 to over \$96 million.

S.A.L.E. has a rich tradition and history of stewardship to the community, agriculture industry and youth of Texas. With a clear vision of the future, a successful past and continual dedication from over 5,000 volunteers, SALE will continue to provide wholesome family entertainment and be a pillar of strength and support to the youth of Texas.

For additional information, go to www.sarodeo.com or call 210-225-0612.

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