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DATE: September 05, 2023
SUBJECT: Invitational FFA Land Judging Career Development Event

The Invitational FFA Land Judging Career Development Event. The contest will be held on **Thursday, October 12, 2023** at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette - Cade Farm. Registration will begin at 8:00 am with competition beginning at 9:00 am.

This event is co-sponsored by the St Landry Soil and Water Conservation District, Area IV Soil and Water Conservation Districts (SWCDs), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and the University of Louisiana – Lafayette (ULL), Ducks Unlimited.

Rules for this event can be obtained from the Louisiana FFA Website. This year we will be using **Scan Tron Cards**. There will be awards for the top three teams as well as individual high scorer. Also, lunch will be provided for those in attendance.

There will be a registration fee of **\$15 per team**. Please make checks payable to the following:

St. Landry SWCD
5832 I-49 N. Service Road, Ste. 2
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*Payment will be accepted the day of the event.

The deadline for team registration will be by **Friday, October 06, 2023**.



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October 12, 2023

School: _____
Advisor(s): _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____ Cell: _____

_____ TEAMS ATTENDING @ \$15.00 \$ _____

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 06, 2023

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Land Form #601TX-3

Team #	Last Name	First Name
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Team Name / Additional Info
SAMPLE: FOR PRACTICE ONLY

Part I	SURFACE TEXTURE	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Coarse	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Moderately Coarse	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Medium	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Moderately Fine	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
5 Fine	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		
Part I	SUBSURFACE TEXTURE	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Coarse	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Moderately Coarse	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Medium	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Moderately Fine	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
5 Fine	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		
Part I	DEPTH OF SOIL	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Deep	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Moderately Deep	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Shallow	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Very Shallow	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Part I	SLOPE	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Nearly Level	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Gently Sloping	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Moderately Sloping	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Strong Sloping	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	5 Steep	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
6 Very Steep	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		
Part I	EROSION - WIND & WATER	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 None to Slight	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Moderate	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Severe	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Very Severe	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Part I	PERMEABILITY	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Rapid	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Moderate	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Slow	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Very Slow	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Part I	SURFACE RUNOFF	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Rapid	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	2 Moderate	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	3 Slow	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
	4 Very Slow	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	

Part II	VEGETATIVE LAND TREATMENTS	1	2	3	4	Answer all factors all sites - 25 marks per site!
	1 Row crop/occasional soil conserving crop	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	2 Row crop/frequent soil conserving crop	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	3 Row crops not more than 2 out of 4 years	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	4 Row crops not more than 1 out of 5 years	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	5 Return crop residue to the soil	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	6 Practice conservation tillage	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	7 Establish recommended grass or grasses and legumes	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	8 Proper pasture and range management	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	9 Protect from burning	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	10 Control grazing	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	11 Plant recommended trees	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	12 Harvest trees selectively	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
Part II	MECHANICAL LAND TREATMENTS	1	2	3	4	Answer all factors all sites - 25 marks per site!
	14 Control brush or trees	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	15 Terrace and farm on contour	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	16 Maintain terraces	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	17 Construct diversion terraces	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	18 Install drainage system	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	19 Control gullies	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
20 No mechanical treatment needed	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)		
Part II	FERTILIZER & SOIL AMENDMENTS	1	2	3	4	Answer all factors all sites - 25 marks per site!
	21 Soil amendments	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	22 Phosphorus (P)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	23 Potassium (K)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	24 Nitrogen (N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	25 No fertilizer or soil amendments	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	

Part I (continued)	MAJOR FACTORS	1	2	3	4	Answer all factors all sites - 8 marks per site!
	1 Texture	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	2 Depth	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	3 Slope	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	4 Erosion	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	5 Permeability	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	6 Runoff	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
	7 Wetness	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	
8 Flooding	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)	(Y/N)		
Part I (continued)	CAPABILITY CLASS	1	2	3	4	One answer per site!
	1 Class I	(I)	(I)	(I)	(I)	
	2 Class II	(II)	(II)	(II)	(II)	
	3 Class III	(III)	(III)	(III)	(III)	
	4 Class IV	(IV)	(IV)	(IV)	(IV)	
	5 Class V	(V)	(V)	(V)	(V)	
	6 Class VI	(VI)	(VI)	(VI)	(VI)	
	7 Class VII	(VII)	(VII)	(VII)	(VII)	
8 Class VIII	(VIII)	(VIII)	(VIII)	(VIII)		