Carroll Area FFA

Chapter Newsletter

December 2021

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December Chapter Events

December 6 - Chapter Meeting at 7:00P (Ag Building)

December 13 - Subdistrict CDE Showcase at 6:00P (Ag Building) -- come see our subdistrict contestants practice their contest areas before they perform in Coon Rapids!

December 15 - NE Subdistrict Leadership Conference at 4:00P (Coon Rapids) -- FFA members will compete in Ag Broadcasting, Ag Sales, Chapter Program, Conduct of Meetings, Creed Speaking, Extemporaneous Speaking, Job Interview, Parliamentary Procedure, Public Speaking, and welding areas!

December 20 - FFA Winter Party at 5:00P (Ag Building) -- stop by for snacks, socializing, and fun activities before winter break begins!

Ignite / Amplify / Transform Conferences

Limited spots remaining for the January 8th IAT Conferences in Ankeny!

Firm commitments for this leadership opportunity are required by Friday, December 10. This is a great opportunity to learn more about FFA at the state level and develop valuable leadership skills! Ignite (freshmen), Amplify (sophomores and juniors), and Transform (seniors) all have spots open -- but are first come, first served for only 12 chapter members! Contact Mr. Eischeid ASAP if you want to sign up.

Membership Information

New FFA memberships and renewals for returning members are now available for the 2021-22 school year. Please consider joining FFA in the next school year and inviting all your friends to join as well!

In order to become a full, nationally-affiliated FFA member, students must be enrolled in at least one agricultural education class per school year. If you have any questions about FFA membership, contact chapter treasurer Sara Vonnahme or chapter advisor Mr. Eischeid!

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Student / Parent Guide

Check out the student and parent guide for the Carroll Agricultural Education Program! Digital guides can be accessed at https://goo.gl/1Ti2b9; hard copies may be requested from Mr. Eischeid.

Career Development Events

Contest season will be here before you know it; get ahead of the game by getting involved and starting practices! See Mr. Eischeid ASAP!

District Leadership Development Events -- March 5, Carroll

- Agricultural Issues and Perceptions
- Chapter Website
- Experience the Action
- Quizzes: Farm Business Management / Greenhand

State Career Development Events -- April 11-12, Ames

- Agricultural Biotechnology
- Agricultural Communications
- Agricultural Sales (team)
- Chapter Exhibit
- Greenhand Quiz
- Farm Business Management
- Marketing Plan
- Poultry Evaluation

State Skills Career Development Events -- dates TBD

- Veterinary Science (late May, online)
- Agricultural Mechanics (mid-June, Ames)
- Agronomy (mid-June, Ames)
- Food Science (mid-June, Ames)
- Floriculture (mid-June, Cedar Rapids)
- Horse Evaluation (mid-June, Cedar Rapids)
- Nursery/Landscape (mid-June, Cedar Rapids)
- Livestock Evaluation (late August, Ames)
- Meats Evaluation (late August, Ames)
- Dairy Cattle Evaluation (mid-September, Manchester)
- Milk Quality and Products (mid-September, Manchester)

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

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Subdistrict CDE Showcase December 13, Ag Building

NE Subdistrict Leadership ConferenceDecember 15, Coon Rapids

FFA Winter Party December 20, Ag Building

January FFA Meeting January 3, Ag Building

Ignite / Amplify / TransformJanuary 8, Ankeny

FFA Legislative Symposium January 25, Des Moines

SW District Review Night January 26, Manning

February FFA Meeting February 7, Ag Building

Chapter Officer Interviews February 14, Ag Building

> National FFA Week February 19-26

District CDE Showcase February 28, Ag Building

SW District Leadership ConferenceMarch 5, Carroll High School

Carroll Area FFA Banquet March 26, Templeton

Iowa FFA State Leadership ConferenceApril 10-12, Ames