FFA February Meeting



"FFA Members, why are we here?"

PLEASE STAND!

"...TO PRACTICE BROTHERHOOD, HONOR AGRICULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES, AND TO DEVELOP THOSE QUALITIES OF LEADERSHIP WHICH AN FFA MEMBER SHOULD POSSESS!"

Go Texan Day / Sign up

Friday February 24th You will miss your 1st-3rd periods Helping serve food at lunch Sign up after the meeting with Ms. Adams





Sweetheart and Beau Application

Are you a senior that has been in FFA all 3 years? If so, you are eligible to apply to be the FFA Sweetheart or Beau! Applications will open this Friday!

Next meeting the chapter will vote for the sweetheart and beau!



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Program Sales

- Fundraising event-hours will be given to those who attend
- March 2nd-at the Houston Rodeo
- Sign up after the meeting with Ms.
 Adams
 - *Must be in Official dress to participate



CDE Contest

- Floriculture with Ms. Adams- March 2nd
- Meat Judging with Ms. Skrobarczyk- March 3rd
- Livestock Judging with Mr. Ibrahim- March 11th
- Veterinary Science with Ms. Infante- March 14th

CDE PRACTICE SCHEDULE

- Floriculture Tues, Wed, Fri first half lunch
- Meat Judging Wednesdays first half of lunch
- Livestock Judging Mon, Wed, Fri- first half lunch
- Vet Med Infante sent info









Ag in Ireland



Get into contact with **Ms. Infante** if you're interested in going to....









Hour Requirements

- All hour totals will be emailed to students and parents
- All hour requirements start over next semester (spring)
 - 10 Hours Barn Work Day
 - 10 Fundraising Hours
 - 3 Social Events per semester
- HOURS ROLL OVER FROM FALL INTO SPRING
- Your Species Advisor will email the current hours



SHOW BOOK & AD SALES

- Every Livestock exhibitor MUST sell at least 5 ADS!
- Available on Bidpal



Official Dress

- Information for ordering FFA Official Dress can be found in the PDF of slides emailed
- Sizing your student for a jacket has very specific steps. Please be sure follow all instructions online. If you need assistance, your student's AG teacher can help with gathering student measurements
- All students are <u>REQUIRED</u> to have Official Dress for the HLSR Program Sales Event and for the Lamar FFA Livestock Show & Auction



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SHOW REQUIREMENTS

- ALL HOUR Requirements
 - 10 BWD hours
 - 10 Fundraising
 - 3 Socials
- 5 Ad sales (any size)
- Passing most recent report card





Lamar Show Contests

Floriculture:Packets will be posted online. The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion will be able to sell their art work.

Horticulture:Packets will be posted online.The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion will be able to sell their art work.



Creative Arts: Paintings, Inks and Drawings, Photography this is an individual contest.Packets will be posted online. The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion will be able to sell their art work.

Cook Off: Only 10 teams are allowed to participate. Teams consists of 3 people and one adult chaperone. Requires the team to stay overnight and cook a brisket. Teams can consists of FFA members or non FFA members.Packets will be posted online. ALL ENTRIES DUE April 1st

BUCKLE SALES

We have 25 buckles that needs to be sponsored!

We need all buckles sponsored, or else nobody gets a buckle!

Buckles which need to be sponsored:

Grand champion, reserve champion, and showmanship of Steer, Pig, Goat, Lamb, Chicken and Rabbit as well as all 3 members of both the grand and reserve champion cook off team



There will also be a buckle awarded to the member who sells the most ads and fundraises the most for the Lamar FFA livestock show and auction.

Available on Bidpal-https://one.bidpal.net/lamarffa2024/welcome

FFA WEEK

(Every day participated = 1 social credit) Tag Lamar FFA on your Instagram story to receive!

February 17-24

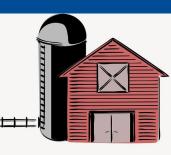
Monday-Favorite FFA memory: (Post a fun story on Instagram of your favorite FFA memory)
Tuesday-Best boots: Wear your best boots to school to show your support for the Lamar FFA!
Wednesday-Blue and Gold Day: Wear accents of blue and gold to match FFA colors.
Thursday- Teacher Appreciation Day: Show your appreciation by bringing a sweet gift for you AG teacher!
Friday-Go Texan Day: Wear your Lamar FFA Chapter Shirt.



Barn Work Day + Line Dance Social

- Saturday, February 10
- Lamar FFA Barn- 11611B Riceville School Rd.
- 12PM-1PM
- Bring Water!!!
- COME AND LEARN SOME LINE DANCES BEFORE GO TEXAN DAY!! From 12PM-1PM.

Remember all exhibitors need a minimum of 3 social events per semester to show Line dancing social will be right after BWD!!



CHICKEN UPDATE



Chickens are arriving MARCH 22ND!! (a) 5pm
 If you are keeping chickens at the barn then pen selection will be this barn work day

PLEASE JOIN CHICKEN BAND APP

Please speak to Ms. S about further information!

RABBIT UPDATE



- → Rabbits are arriving MARCH 16TH! Time is TBD
- → Rabbits are to be raised at **YOUR** House

PLEASE JOIN RABBIT BAND

Contact Ms. Adams for more information



NEIGHBORHOOD CANVAS DAYS- Sign Up

- We will be going to canvas local businesses to recruit local sponsors for the show & auction!
- Dates: February 24, March 3, March 23
- 8-10 AM
 - Sign Up: With Ms. S tomorrow (Only 3 spots per day)

Upcoming Socials

- Line dancing social February 10th right after BWD
- FFA Week- tag us on instagram to receive the social credit each day
 - February 17-24
 - Monday-Favorite FFA memory
 - Tuesday-Best boots
 - Wednesday-Blue and Gold day
 - Thursday- teacher appreciation
 - day
 - Friday-Go Texan Day





Mandatory livestock meeting

There is a mandatory livestock meeting for **ALL** livestock exhibitors and parents to follow this meeting in 9B!



FUTURE MEETINGS



- Student Meeting-March 6th
- Barn Work Day- March 9th





Follow Us!

• Band App:



Instagram: @lamarffa

Website: https://lamar.ffanow.org

MEETING SIGN IN:



MAKE SURE YOU SIGN IN ON THE SIGN UP SHEETS





