



Lamar FFA Parent Meeting

February 7, 2023

Upcoming Fundraising Events- Spring

- **Go Texan Day**
 - Friday, February 23rd
 - 8:30AM- 1:00PM
 - At Lamar High School, students get excused from classes for the event
 - Students must wear Blue Jeans (NO HOLES), Boots or sneakers, and this year's **BLUE** Chapter Shirt
 - We will be taking individual headshots for the Show Book
 - Sign Ups will be during Livestock Meeting
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Upcoming Fundraising Events- Spring

- **HLSR Program Sales**
 - Saturday, March 2nd at NRG Stadium
 - Plan for about 5 hours of volunteer time (actual times will be emailed out closer to the date)
 - Students NEED to own Official Dress for this event
 - Sign-ups will be available at Livestock Meeting
 - 6 Parent spots available

Upcoming Social Events

- **FFA Line Dancing Social**
 - At the barn after barn work day, should only last about an hour. The officers and other members are going to have dance lessons to prepare for our Go Texan Day kick-off event.
 - **FFA Week February 17-24th**
 - All participation is virtual with different themes for each day of the week. Students can check Instagram and Band for updates.
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Social, Fundraising & BWD Hours

- All hour totals have been emailed to students and parents
- 1 alternative fundraiser for those who have not met their hours
 - Emails were sent to individuals
- All hour requirements start over next semester (spring)
 - 10 Hours Barn Work Day
 - 10 Fundraising Hours
 - 3 Social Events per semester
- HOURS DO ROLL OVER FROM FALL INTO SPRING

Livestock Show & Auction

- **SAVE THE DATES- APRIL 25-27th**
 - Thursday, April 25- Livestock Show
 - Thursday and Friday, April 25-26th- Lunch Sales at Lamar Fundraiser
 - Saturday, April 27th- Auction Day
- Tentative schedule will be released in March.
- More times and other events will be added before, during and after that

Lamar Show & Auction- Contests

- There are a variety of contest students can enter into, additional to the livestock show. Below are the contest types. All contest paperwork will be available at the February FFA Meeting. Each contest has its own prizes or opportunities for a sale slot.
- Floral Design and Horticulture Contest
- BBQ Scholarship Cook-Off Contest
- Artwork Contest

Lamar Show & Auction Student Bios

- Students are to submit a bio that reflects their involvement in the FFA and as a LHS student. The bios are printed in the Showbook and will be written in the Auction Webpage for Buyers, Sponsors, and Event-goers to see.
- Bios must be written in third person and should be kept to a MAXIMUM of 5 sentences for formatting purposes.
- Use the link to submit- <https://forms.gle/Y6o9AndqYMcT6pWZ9>
- Please see the example on the link for how bios should be written and formatted.
- Student bios must be submitted by February 7th during the FFA Meeting

Sponsorship Opportunities

- **Buckle Sponsorships**

- There are a total of 25 buckles that need to be sponsored this year! It is our goal to have all 25 sponsored by the deadline.
- All individual buckles are \$125 to sponsor and the cook-off sets are \$300 to sponsor

Outstanding Sales Buckle

- ALL FFA members are welcome to participate in selling show sponsorships and booklet ads. The student with the most sales will receive the brand new Outstanding Sales Buckle!!
- This buckle DOES NOT require you to have an animal to win
- ANY FFA member can win!

Parent Volunteer Opportunities



Sponsorship Opportunities

- **Title Sponsorships**

- Originally called Title Sponsors but has now changed names to "Supporter Contributors"
- There are 4 different sponsor levels and each come with their own benefits for donating
- Platinum- \$2000+
- Gold- \$1000-\$1999
- Silver- \$500-\$999
- Bronze- \$250-\$499

Sponsorship Opportunities

- **All livestock exhibitors are required to sell 5 advertisements per animal species they exhibit for the Showbook (FFA Program booklet)**
- Ads are available in 4 sizes
 - Business Card- \$25
 - ¼ Page- \$50
 - ½ Page- \$75
 - Full Page- \$100
- Ads can be business sponsored, pictures, or support/congratulatory messages

Sponsorship Opportunities

- All Sponsorships (aka Supporter Contributions) are paid either by company check, money order or credit card.
- **NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED AND NO PERSONAL CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
 - **Checks are to be written out to Lamar Athletic Booster Club and in the memo write FFA Ag Show**
- All Sponsorship payments are made on SchoolPay.

Table Commitments

- Buyers who purchase table commitments agree that the funds are either used to bid on projects or used for Add-Ons and are non-refundable
- Buyers purchase projects with intention of processing the project and must pay the cost of processing the animal. Cost of processing is not paid for through this "tab" and will be an additional cost to anticipate.
- All buyers must have appropriate arrangements made for the disposition of the animal (processing, own transportation, etc)
- **Table commitments must be paid to the LAMAR ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB with memo FFA Auction**

Buyer's Club Donations

- The "Buyer's Club" is a pool of funds that is collected and split amongst the exhibitors in the live auction.
- Anyone can contribute to the Buyer's Club and the funds aren't directed toward any specific exhibitor.
- Donating to the "Buyer's Club" benefits companies, donors, or organization's who are interested in benefiting the entire group as a whole

Academic Eligibility

- All exhibitors and student volunteers for the Lamar FFA Show & Auction will be subjected to a grade check.
- Any students who do not meet academic eligibility for ALL of their classes, will not be allowed to participate in the Lamar FFA Show & Auction, any of the contests, nor will they be able to volunteer during the student lunch days.

Students must be passing all classes for the Cycle 5 Report Card.

The Cycle 5 End Date is April 1, 2024

Barn Work Day

- **Saturday, February 10th, 8am-noon** or until work complete if sooner.
- 11611 Riceville School Road, Houston, TX 77071

Meeting Updates



If you missed a meeting or want to back to a previous one, the powerpoints will be in this tab. You would click on 'Meeting Updates' then scroll all the way to the bottom where it says 'Documents'

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2.0.0.0.0.0.0	Eica Infante	9/9/2016	3594 KB
2.0.0.0.0.0.0	Eica Infante	11/10/2016	1278 KB
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2.0.0.0.0.0.0	Eica Infante	1/8/2017	545 KB
2.0.0.0.0.0.0	Eica Infante	5/8/2017	891 KB
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2.0.0.0.0.0.0	Eica Infante	10/6/2017	1400 KB
2.0.0.0.0.0.0	Eica Infante	10/9/2017	2897 KB
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Our meetings are categorized by dates. Search for the meeting that you missed or want to go back to by the date that the meeting was scheduled.

Social Media and Band

Here are our Social media accounts

twitter:Lamar Houston FFA
@LamarFFA



Instagram:LamarFFA



YouTube: Lamar FFA



Website: www.lamar.ffanow.org



To keep up to date, join our Band!

It is MANDATORY that you and your parents join our Band group

Future Meetings

We hope to see you in the future!

- Parent & Student Meetings
 - March 8th @ 6:00PM
 - April 5th @ 6:00PM
- Barn Work Days:
 - February 11th
 - March 11th



Questions?