




# Lamar FFA Parent Meeting

November 6, 2024





LAMAR FFA  
ANNUAL  
POINSETTIA  
SALE

Presales are now until November 30th!  
Regular sales end December 3rd!

Available in the color **Red**  
Poinsettias are \$12  
Payments can be made through  
SchoolPay using the QR Code below.

**Pick-Up: December 4th, 5pm-7pm**  
**Where: In the Transit Center**



Email receipts to  
[kaitlyn.adams@houstonisd.org](mailto:kaitlyn.adams@houstonisd.org)



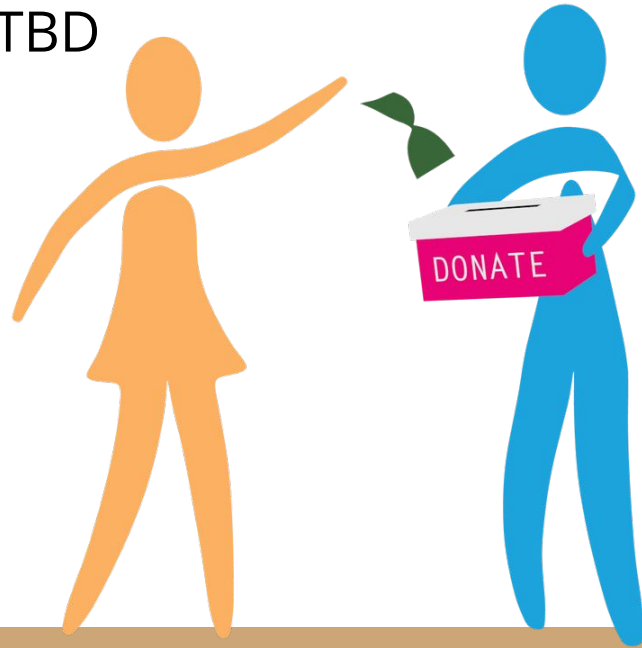
# Lamar FFA Poinsettia Fundraiser

- **5 plants = 1 Fundraising hour**
- To participate in the Lamar FFA Show/Competition students must meet the fundraiser requirement
  - If not met, student will be not be eligible to partake in the event
- Make sure purchasers who wish to credit your student do so on SchoolPay in the appropriate box
- Delivery: 1st Week of December, Date and Time is TBD.



# Spring FFA Fundraisers

- HLSR Rodeo Program Sales - TBD
  - Students will need FULL Official Dress for this event
- Lamar HS Go Texan Day- TBD





# Green hand Camp!

All new FFA members join us for a fun time at the barn! We'll be playing games, and you can win fun prizes!

When: November 9, 2024 11 AM - 12 PM

Where: 11611b Riceville School Rd,  
Houston, TX 77071



# Ordering 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 **REQUIRED** to have Official Dress for the HLSR Program Sales Event and for the Lamar FFA Livestock Show & Auction

# What is Official Dress?

- **FFA JACKET**
- **BLACK SLACKS OR KNEE LENGTH SKIRT (NO SLITS)**
- **BLACK HOSIERY OR BLACK SOCKS**
- **FFA TIE OR SCARF**
- **WHITE BUTTON UP SHIRT WITH BUTTONS TO THE TOP**
- **BLACK FLATS, HEELS, BOOTS, OR DRESS SHOES**



Proper FFA official dress requires skirts to be no more than 2 inches

**MEN**



Black Dress Shoe

**WOMEN**



# Pig Validation

- Tuesday, November 18th
  - Crosby Fairgrounds
- Required for all pig students and parents
- Students and Parents will meet at the barn at 7AM.
- Skrobarczyk will send an email with all details.



# Houston Livestock Show Entries

- Entry paperwork and fees due Monday, November 18th by 4pm in J112 to Infante
- Students receive paperwork from the advisor in charge of their species at their clinic
- **Any fees and entry costs will be made payable to the Lamar Athletic Booster Club via Check or M.O. NO CASH ACCEPTED**
- **ALL HOUSTON RODEO PAPERWORK MUST BE NOTARIZED**

# Houston Rodeo Contests and Competitions

- Floriculture with Ms. Adams
- Meat Judging with Ms. Skrobarczyk
- Livestock Judging with Mr. Ibrahim
- Veterinary Science with Ms. Infante
- Miniscapes - Landscaping
- Rodeo Cup - Floral Design
- Texas Tables - Floral Design - Theme "Mardi Gras Masquerade"
- Container Grown Plants - Plant Life
- Photography - Horticulture - Theme "Deep in the Heart of Texas"
  - **\*\*If you are interested in any of these competitions, please get in touch with Ms. Adams\*\***

# Calf Scramble Applications

- HLSR Calf Scramble Applications will be available tomorrow, Thursday, November 9th.
- Calf Scramble applications will be accepted until November 17th at 4pm.
- Applications will be on received on a first come first serve basis.
- Ms. Infante holds the right to deny any student the opportunity to participate based on FFA involvement, Lamar HS Behavioral Conduct, Lamar FFA membership status, past animal care history, or financial ability.

# Social- FFA Friendsgiving

- Friday, November 22nd
- 7:30AM-8:20AM
- Students can sign up to bring items at the student FFA meeting.

# Social, Fundraising & BWD Hours

- All hour totals have been 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
- Hours totals will be emailed to every animal student by the end of next week.

# Lamar FFA Livestock Show & Auction

- Save the Date: April 3-5, 2025
- Parent Boosters needed for different committees.
- We need help with finding title sponsors, buckle sponsors, project buyers, and organizing the fundraising for the livestock show and auction.

# Holiday Ag Teacher Hours & Availability

- The AG Teachers will NOT be available AT ALL during Thanksgiving Break. We will give emergency veterinary information in each animal Band chat and it will be emailed by the species advisor in charge of your species
- In case of immediate animal emergencies please use the vets listed in the animal group chats
- In case of fire call: 911
- In case of intense water leak or flooding, call HISD Maintenance emergency line: (713) 556-9400
- To report a stray dog at the barn call: 311

# See Something, Say Something

- Please assist us in staying vigilant with regards to the barn, animals and FFA property
- We would like to thank those that keep us updated when issues arise and please ask that you continue to stay diligent in the work you are putting in at the farm and with your students
- Best way to make contact with the advisors is through email
- For immediate responses or emergencies regarding animals, phone calls and texts are best. Please use sound reason and judgement before a phone call.



# Meeting Updates



The screenshot shows the Lamar FFA website header with a yellow background and a large FFA emblem. The navigation menu includes: Home, It's ALL about the FFA!, Advisors & Classes, Calendar, Officers, Livestock Projects & Facility, Lamar FFA Show & Auction, Shows & Opportunities, Parent & Booster Club, LDE's & CDE's, Scholarships, Fundraising, Ordering Official Dress, Remind-Text System, Photo Gallery, Meeting Updates (highlighted in red with an arrow), and Updates. Below the navigation menu is a blue banner with the FFA emblem and the text "I CAN. WE WILL. Together We Are Strong".

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'

#### Documents

Name	Owner	DateAdded	Size
8-5-18 Meeting	Elisa Infante	9/22/2018	97 KB
10-8-18 Meeting	Elisa Infante	10/9/2018	1054 KB
11-12-18 Meeting	Elisa Infante	11/14/2018	1279 KB
11-13-18 Parents	Elisa Infante	11/26/2018	17 KB
12-4-18 Meeting	Elisa Infante	1/8/2019	545 KB
1-8-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	1/8/2019	953 KB
2-12-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	2/13/2019	1525 KB
3-5-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	3/5/2019	1638 KB
4-8-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	4/14/2019	1134 KB
8-10-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	8/13/2019	12902 KB
10-9-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	10/9/2019	1400 KB
11-4-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	12/9/2019	2697 KB
12-3-19 Meeting	Elisa Infante	12/9/2019	2036 KB
1-14-20 Meeting	Elisa Infante	1/15/2020	482 KB
2-11-20 Meeting	Elisa Infante	2/12/2020	703 KB
3-10-20 Meeting	Elisa Infante	3/11/2020	638 KB

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](http://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 Meeting- December 4th in J112
- Student Meeting- December 4th in Grand Hall
- Barn Work Day- December 7th



Questions?