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INTRODUCTION

"Learning to do, doing to learn, earning to live, living to serve"

FFA is a program for students interested in agriculture and leadership. This program is an intra curricular meaning you participate and are a member inside of school. Although, There is plenty to do outside of school hours as well for example, chapter meetings.

FFA stands for "Future Farmers of America" although not all students who join have to be interested in agriculture or farming. Many students aspire to become doctors, scientists, business owners, biologists, chemists, engineers and so much more. FFA is a organization for all students because it is committed to helping students



GREETING

The FFA motto "Learning to do, Doing to learn, earning to live, and living to serve", to North FFA this is more than just a motto, it's a lifestyle. This motto embodies the agricultural experience that is provided to every student in our FFA program. Here at North high we "Learn to do" by watching our competitive team members be fond of our chapter events whether we win or lose. We "do to learn" by "Following the leadership of our president" and compete to our fullest capabilities. Our FFA chapter teaches us a lot about "Earning to live" through our SAE projects on our school farm, whether it's from us raising sheep or growing crops. We "Live to serve" by our continued assistance from alumni whether it is setting up for chapter activities or preparing for competitions.

North high competes in many competitions, including opening and closing, parliamentary procedure, and crop judging. We work hard, spend loads of hours and have fun as a team. There are always many things to participate in, from the north high farm cleanup to FFA chapter meetings. Some of our most memorable chapter meetings so far have included the Zumba meeting, where we hired an instructor in a beginners course of Zumba workout. Another meeting could be the

HISTORY

HONORARY CHAPTER MEMBERS recognizes individuals from the community that have contributed their time and energy into bettering the agriculture program. This special membership is designed to honor parents, administrators, staff and supporters.

- 1991- Brock and Bodie Thoene
- 1992- Rod Lancatser
- 1993- Gayle Forshee
- 1994- Rene McNabb
- 1995- Fred Swanson
- 1996-Tom Spryberry
- 1997- Roger Riley
- 1998- Cindy Prather and Carol Stoncipher
- 1999- Stockdale Exchange Club
- 2000- Mitchell Mynk
- 2008- Elizabeth Bledsoe
- 2009- Chuck Sears
- 2010- Phil Green
- 2011- Tom and Glynda Martin
- 2013- Mr. & Mrs. Jackson
- 2014- Craig & Abbe Shugart
- 2015- Daran & Paula Frances
- 2016- Mark Balch & Cindy Irby
- 2017- Scott & Julie Boardman
- 2018- Megan & Aaron Dutto



HISTORY (CONTINUED)

PAST CHAPTER PRESIDENT The President is stationed by the rising sun as a token of a new era in agriculture. It is under the leadership of the chapter President that North FFA continues to build a legacy for the future of agriculture.

1992- Sharon Stepherson

1993- Patty Keefer 1994-Mike Moore

1996-Robert Mills

1997-Melissa Williams

1998-Scott Boardman

1999-Rianna Mebane

2000-Casey Black

2001-Kattie Watt

2002- Justin Mebane

2003- Nikki Strickland

2004-Cabe Culberson

2005-Jordan Owen

2006- Bennet Mebane

2007- Amanda Zenger

2008- Kamille Rogerson

2009- Betton Neville

2010- Oliver Guzman 2011- Amy Mebane 2012- Scot Swan 2013- Holley Shugart 2014- Jacob Birks 2015- Kelsey Breadmont 2016– Bridgitte Barrera 2017-Garrett Aranda 2018-Lexie Tanner 2019-Daniel Murray



HISTORY (CONTINUED)

AMERICAN FARMER DEGREE Less than half of one percent of all FFA members are bestowed the American Degree, making it one of the organization's highest honors. This is awarded to students who have demonstrated the highest level of commitment to FFA and their SAE project. Some specifics for degree requirements include leadership, scholastic, community service.

1992- Rachel Thoene	2014- Abigail Grisedale, Amy
1994- Rosalle Johonson, Dusty	Mebane, Garrett Stane, Shannon
Hill, Jenny McNabb, Sharon	Caldwell
Stepherson	2015- Amber Davis, Andrew
1995- Jim Stepherson, Mike	Francis, Dustee Albitre, Elizabeth
Moore	DeLeon, Olivia Velo, Scot Swan
1996- Chris McNabb	2016- Jacob Aranda, Kassidy
1998-Rosee Keith, Melissa	Sears
Moore, Janette Snow, Melissa	2017– Ethan Francis, Autumn
Williams, Nicole Brush, Kim	Jackson, Kutis Nix
Klienman	2018-Joshua Burk, Mylene
1999- Scott Boardman, Chris	Gutierrez, Alexa Kinch
Black, Chet Mebane	2019– Garrett Aranda, Aalexias
2000- Pascoe Bowen, Rianna	Woolf
Mebane	
2011 Kalaay Caara	E

2011- Kelsey Sears



HISTORY (CONTINUED)

DELKALB AWARD The Dekalb award is designed to honor the senior student that has demonstrated excellence in each component of the agriculture program. This student has exemplified scholastic achievement, leadership and a strong supervised agri-

- 1989- Kim Bench
- 1990- Rachel Thorne
- 1991- Shannon Parsons
- 1992- Paul Martinez
- 1993-Bryan Bestwick
- 1994- Jerry Sporer
- 1995- Cynthia Hays
- 1996- Bryan Wonderly
- 1997- Elizabeth Albertson
- 1998- Darren Wonderly
- 1999- Fonna Oldham
- 2000- Dustin Newby
- 2001- Sebrina Bryan
- 2002- Justin Mebane
- 2003- Nikki Strickland
- 2004- Cabe Culbertson
- 2005- Jordan Owen

- 2007- Amanda Zenger
- 2008- Kamille Rogerson
- 2009- Betton Neville
- 2011- Summer Jett
- 2015- Ethan Francis
- 2016– Alexa Kinch
- 2017- Bridgitte Barrera
- 2018– Koina Stockton



CALENDER OF ACTIVITIES

AUGUST

14- School Starts
26-Back to School Night
29- Fair Parent Meeting- 5:30pm
29- Ice Cream Social Meeting- 5pm
SEPTEMBER
4- Greenhand Conference
4- Livestock Show @7pm, Football Field
7- Kern COLC- 9am- KVHS
10- Bingo Lunch Meeting
13- Fair Set Up
Sept. 18- 28 -Kern County Fair
OCTOBER
8- Pink Out Tailgate – 5pm
25- Drive Thru BBQ

28-11/2 National FFA Convention

NOVEMBER

- 5- Zumba FFA Meeting, 5pm, Cafeteria
- 7- Skate Night @ Skateland 5-8pm
- 11- No School, Veteran's Day
- 12- Opening & Closing Tryouts

13-14 Mandatory Opening & Closing Practice

18- Opening & Closing Dress Rehearsal

19-Opening & Closing Contest @ BHS 5pm

25-29 Thanksgiving Break

DECEMBER

4- Banking Contest @ Pavilion -5pm

10- FFA Mock Rock Meeting-6pm

17- Cocoa & Cram, 4-6, D Annex 20- State Conference Applications Due 23-Jan 3- Christmas Break JANUARY 8- Manuscripts and Resumes Due 8- Chapter FFA Meeting- 6pm 18- Kern Inyo Speaking Contest 28- Record Book Scoring FEBRUARY 31-1- Modesto Parli Pro 10- President's Day No School 11-13- Tulare Farm Show 15-16 MFE/ALA Conferences - Visalia 17- No School 17-21 National FFA Week 21- Spring Drive Thru BBQ 22- San Joaquin Regional Meeting 27- Novice Records/BIG/Coops Contest @ Arvin- 5pm MARCH 5- Lunch FFA Meeting 6-7- UC Davis Parli Pro & Field Day 17- Kern Inyo Parli Pro Contest @ Foothill-5pm 20- Regional Speech Contest @ COS -10am 20-21- MJC Field Day 27- Regional Parli Pro Contest @ COS 12pm

28- Reedley Field Day



CALENDER OF ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)

MARCH

5- Lunch FFA Meeting 6-7- UC Davis Parli Pro & Field Day 17- Kern Inyo Parli Pro Contest @ Foothill- 5pm 20- Regional Speech Contest @ COS -10am 20-21- MJC Field Day 27- Regional Parli Pro Contest @ COS 12pm 28- Reedley Field Day 31-Kern Inyo State Degree Banquet APRIL. 1- FFA Meeting and Activity Night-6pm 3-4- Consumnes Field Day 6-10 Spring Break 22- State Speaking Finals 23- State Parli-Pro Finals 23-25 State FFA Leadership Conference @ Anaheim 29- Kern Sectional Officer Apps Due MAY 1- Chapter Officer Applications Due

- 2- State FFA Finals @Cal Poly SLO
- 7- SAE Projects Due
- 7-Kern Inyo Sectional Elections @ Highland 5pm
- 10- All members vote in class
- 14- Chapter Banquet: Dinner 5:30pm, Awards 6:30pm



BUDGET

		Money spent
Livestock	Livestock Supplies	1200
Officer Training	Chapter Officer Retreat	150
Livestock	School Livestock Show	40
Officer Training	Bootcamp	180
Chapter Development	Chapter Meetings	1,000
Advisory	Advisory Committee	150
Officer Training	COLC	100
Chapter Development	State Officer Visit	100
Contests	Speaking Contest Host	900
Conferences	Greenhand Conference	200
Fundraisers	Drive Thru BBQ	2500
Conferences	National Convention	
Contests	Opening and Closing	650
Professional Develop- ment	Road Show	200
Contests	Ag Banking	35



BUDGET (CONTINUED)

Contests	Parli-Pro	1000
Field Days	Field Days	750
Chapter Development	World Ag Expo	
Conferences	MFE/ALA	1800
Chapter Development	National FFA Week	300
Chapter Development	Regional Meetings	140
Contests	BIG/Co-ops/NR	150
Conferences	SLE	600
State Awards	State Awards Banquet	950
Conferences	State Conference	9000
Banquet	Banquet	4000
Chapter Development	Sectional Elections	100
Professional Develop- ment	CATA Conference	1830
Fundraisers	Poinsettias	5500
Fundraisers	T-Shirts Sales	700
FFA Membership	FFA Membership Dues	3000

COMMITTEE STURCTURE AND MEMBERSHIP

Student Develop- ment Committees	Wellness Committee	-two people per grade level -5K run/walk, nutrition workshop, yoga ses- sions, healthy picnics
	Turtle Committee	-Activities that help members grow and come out of their shell, fresh- men specific meeting
	Career Preparation Committee	-Provide FFA members with new ideas for SAE projects, career guidance and to encourage better organization. SAE project completion. Committee will develop SAE guid- ance manual. Committee will make arrangement for judging
	Electoral Committee	-Meet twice a year to evaluate qualities in can- didates and brainstorm potential questions for greenhand and chapter
	Learning Opportunities	-Meet two times a month to scheldule tutoring days. Increase study hab- its will meet during fair and finals.
Community Develop- ment Communities	Economic Committee	-Will be responsible for activities that connect the FFA chapter with the community
	Environmental Com- mittee	-Activities that benefit the environment. Ex: Food for America, Great American Clean Up



	Citizenship Committee	-Staff Breakfast, Business Lunch- eon, Teachers Ag seminar, and community service
	Ag Promotion	-Promote FFA and Ag through World Ag Expo, National Ag Day, Farm Day in the City, and Kern County Fair
Chapter Development	Wave Day	-2 people from each class. To ease tension during tough times of the year and promote good behavior and decisions.
	Poinsettia Sales	-5 people from each class. -Organize and disperse plants once they arrive. -Create participation competition
	Aggie of the Month	-Ag Comm class -Promote one outstanding Aggie of the month from each grade level. -Publish monthly article
	Parli-Pro demo	-Parli Pro advanced team -Demonstrate how to run a meeting to PTC, other clubs, ad- min
	FFA Alumni	-Alumni -work to keep mem- bers involved after high school.



Eva Aburto	Amber Armstrong	Breanna Boardman	Cherokee Cameron
Melanie Aguilar	Nevaeh Armstrong	Dylan Boardman	Kimberly Campos
Branson Akins	Nathan Arrington	Savanna Bogue	Paytin Canales
Yessenia Alcala	Katherine Arriola	Courtlynne Boles	Hannah Cannon
Marlyn Alcala Rodarte	Christopher Arroyo	KC Booker	Carson Capps
Alexa Alfaro	Gabriela Ayala	Kailyne Booth	Lexus Capps
Lance Allen	Valeria Ayon-Corral	Jadyn Boston	Jovanny Cardenas
Luke Allen	Kennedy Bailey	Heather Bottorff	Jayna Cardona
Trinity Allen	AJ Balch	Alissa Bowles	Brooke Carpenter
Angelica Alvarez	Matthew Baldridge	Kandra Bowles	Hayle Carrillo
Clarissa Alvarez	Jacob Barnett	Austin Boytis	Derrick Cartwright
Faith Alvarez	Arthor Barrientos	Alexis Bradley	Ashlee Castillo
Kevin Alvarez	Riley Bartlett	Faith Bradley	Sarina Castro
Adam Amador	Kayla Bates	Faith Brand	Austin Cesmat
Audon Amador	Angelica Bejarano	Alexa Branson	Evonnie Chacon
Marlene Ambriz	Krislynn Bell	Noah Bryan	Haley Chambers
Adrian Amezcua	Alie Bennett	Tristin Bryant	Robert Chapman
Ella Ancheta	Delaney Bentley	Samantha Buck	Cristina Chavez
Hasani Anderson	Deryk Bentley	Kellsy Burk	Luciano Chavez
Lilli Anderson	Raevyn Bernal	Gracie Burlison	
Christopher Apodaca	Earl Bishop	Nevaeh Bustamante	
Garrett Aranda	Lucas Bishop	Jaycee Butler	
Tristan Aranda	Jacob Black	Peyton Butterfield	
Ashira Archie	Jazmin Black	Azalea Calderon	Pills -
Ciara Arellano	Andrew Blevins	Taylor Calley	

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Preslie Clemons Adrian Cruz Aiden Douglas Julissa	Fernandez-
Madeleine Cleveland Jairo Cuevas Martinez Kayte Downhour Mendo	DZa
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Shannon Cline Emma Cummings Ashley Durfee Kaitlyn	i Figueroa
William Cline Ryan Cupelli Abby Echevarria Dakota	a Finch - Hutchason
Andrew Coffia Katie Curtis Mackenzie Eden Kay Fit	tzpatrick
Audreyana Coleman Carson Dahlstrom Joyce Elben Emmily	y Flores
Meagan Collinsworth Brandon Davenport Preston Ellis Kenya	Flores
Jace Collom Andre Davis Tera Ellwein Melody	y Flores
Emily Cologna Emily Davis Hanastyn England-Wilson Alexis	Floro
Jaidyn Conner Keith Davis Alexis Escamilla Taylor	Forry
Jaden Cook Michael De Lellis Julius Esparza Billie F	orthman
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Drew Cornelison Serenity Dewoody Noah Estrada Jonath	an Fredrick
Anthony Corona Azeneth Diaz Susanne Fairbanks Camer	on Gage
Lois Correll Fatima Diaz Violet Fairbanks Mireya	a Gal-
Nautica Cotton Keeber Diaz Alex Fairley Iardo	

Savannah Gamon	Dylan Gray	Jaylee Harris	Yeva Honcharova
Kylie Garcia	Jeffery Green	Isaac Hathaway	Grant Howell
Luzmila Garcia Mar-	Rylee Green	Scarlett Hatridge	Jacob Hunt
tinez	Caden Grisedale	Cloe Hawk	Dylan Hunter
Carson Garrett	Arlette Guerra-	Stephan Hayden	Hailey Hyde
Tanner Garrity	Gonzalez	Bethany Helton	Zoe Insco
Joelie Gentry	Samantha Guerrero	Allison Henson	Mya Irving
Lexy Gentry	Maricarmen Guerrero	Auna Hernandez	Nichalous Jackson
Angel George-Ramos	Alvarez	Hector Hernandez	Rebecca Jeffcoat
Chloe Gibson	Aiden Guider	Melony Hernandez	Emma Jeffries
Kaiden Glinton	Alfonso Guido	Brooke Hess	Haley Job
Caleb Gomez	Anika Gunning	Chase Higgins	LillieAnn Job
Camerzell Gomez	lasnai Gutierrez	Chloe Higgins	Anabelle Jobe
Rain Gomez	Arianna Guzman	Kelli Hiler	Trinity Johnson
Angela Gonzales	Arianna Guzman	Kimi Hiler	Chantel Jones
Gilbert Gonzales	Madison Hakala	Eli Hilliard	Grace Jones
Mario Gonzales	Taylor Hall	Logan Hines	Luke Jones
Davina Gonzalez	Jacob Hanna	Abby Hobbs	Shiann Jones
Roxy Gonzalez	Shaina Hanna	Madison Hobbs	Kaylea Kabonic
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varro	Jordan Harbin	Aerik Holland	Key
Madison Goodman	Tessa Hardin-Peterson	Sydney Holmes	
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Kamden Klein	Shirley Lira	Gerardo Mares	Hannah Mcleod
Samantha Kline	Carisa Littlejohn	gerardo mares	Nick McLeod
Haley Klopfstein	Araceli Lona Felix	Juan Mares	Skylar McMurray
Kevin Kyle	Alondra Lopez	Payton Marlett	Dylan McNamara
Victoria Kyle	Angel Lopez	Haley Martin	Patrick McNamara
Emily Lake	Anthony Lopez	Mikella Martinez	Anthony Medrano
Breanna Lamb	Brianna Lopez	Reyes Martinez	Sabastian Mele
Timothy Lamb	Jose Lopez	Seth Massey	Brian Melendez
Callie Lambert	Linnzie Lopez	Hannah Maston	Emely Melgar
Jerrel Lambert	Heaven Lovell	Arianna Matthews	Miracle Melton
Kalep Lambert	Jillian Lovett	Karisma Maxberry	SIlas Mendoza
Brenden Lamere	Dominick Lucero	Braeden May	Unique Mendoza
Savannah Langley	Jaden Ludwig	Drew Mcbride	Raylene Meraz
Annie Mae Lazaro	Gabino Macias	Renee McCane	Madison Merritt
William Leask	Ashlyn Madden	Cowen Mcclintock	Trinity Mesa
Josiah Legree	Michelle Mancilla	Maegan McCord	Aaryn Miles
Adam Lester	Monse Mancilla	Haylei McDaniels	Ryley Millard
Alexander Lester	Benjamin Mangham	Cailyn McElwrath	Nickolas Miller
Jacob Lincheta	Tucker Manning	Devin McFadden	Jeremy Mi-
Christie Lindenbaum	Baylee Maples	Mysti Mcguire	lutin
Melanie Lira	Tommy Maples	Sarah Mckinley	Amberly
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Amberly Mixon	Kaiah Murphy	Elvia Ordonez	Joseph Poovey
Aimee Monsen	Daniel Murray	Julie Osborn	Darren Pope
adrian montoya	Nicole Murrell	Carlie Overcash	Alyssa Portillo
Jacob Mooney	Brody Napier	Francesca Palacios	Stan Pryor
Joel Mooney	Bryna Nathan	Salem Palmer	Chandler Pulley
Barrett Moore	Carlos Nava	Maxwell Partain	Brayauna Quarles
Destani Moore	Veronica Nelson	Eric Patty	John Quintana
Liberty Moore	Rylee Newton	Samara Payne	Matthew Quinteros
Stephany Moore	Anthony Nguyen	Alexis Pelzer	Breanna Ramirez
Rico Morales	Samantha Nielsen	Megan Pennington	Karla Ramirez
Daniel Moreno	Kalie Nipper	Joeline Peraza	Mateo Ramirez
Eden Moreno	Casey Nix	Aizely Perez	Mason Rankins
Juliann Morgret	Kyren Noble	Angel Perez	Cole Raquet
Lydia Morgret	Andrew Nunez	Kaitlyn Perrette	Heaven Ratliff
Trinitie Morris	Alexander Nusbaum	Shelby Perrigo	Raymond Rebish
Haley Morse	Alexis Ogle	Khole Perry	Owen Redfeairn
Madeline Moss	Ethan Olds	Mia Perry	Wilson Redfeairn
William Mudge	Amy Oliver	Cheyenne Phillips	Eliot Reeves
Fiona Mullican	Cory Olson	Hannah Phillips	Trinity
Jessica Mullins	David Olsson	Arlene Piceno	Reyes
Rachel Mullins	Nathaniel Onsurez	Breann Pollard	18

Isaiah Reynaga	Gaona	Derek Shively	Maysee Spain
Christian Reynoso	Mercedez Rodriquez	Chloe Showman	Riley Steele
Clark Rhodes	Octavio Romero	Harris Shugart	Alexandra Steers
Makayla Rhodes	Maxine Ronase	Mariah Sierra	Cassidy Stevens
Ethan Rice	Jayde Roskam	Angelina Singh	Emma Stevens
Cassidy Richardson	Jorge Ruiz	Steevie Sipe	Jesse Stevens
Auriana Ricketts	Alissa Ruprecht	Kayla Skelton	Korina Stockton Cox
Angelina Rinker	Blain Rushing	Jerri Skiles	Summer Stuart
Reyna Rivera	Alex Ruvalcaba	Hailee Sliter	Madison Stull
Sophitia Roach	Jakob Sage	Cadance Smith	Leslie Talavera
Jersey Robey	Shayla Salas	Desteny Smith	Lexie Tanner
Josiah Rocha	Kimberly Salazar	Journey Smith	Denise Tapia
Lillian Roden	Jamie Saldana	Masen Smith	Mercedes Tapia
Ayleen Rodriguez	Haven Saling	Sae Smith	Karlie Tate
Chloe Rodriguez	Kristopher Salmoran	Shauana Smith	Addison Taylor
Jennifer Rodriguez	Taylor Salyer	Thomas Smith	Gracie Taylor
Lucy Rodriguez	Rhiannon Sandoval	Scott Smyth	Patience Taylor
Mariah Rodriguez	Rylee Schuldheisz	Cassidy Snodgrass	Scott Taylor
Mariah Rodriguez	Madison Scott	Jay Snodgrass	Tristan
Brown	Kennedie Scoville	Areanna Solorio	Taylor 10
Kimberly Rodriguez	Alexis Shepard	Coby Sotelo	

Jeffrey Terra	Emma Walker	Andrew Willingham
Erin Thomasson	Norman Wallis	Kylie Wood
Ellen Thompson	Mea Bella Washum	Aalexias Woolf
Tytus Trent	Lizzy Watkins	Isabel Worley
Cassidee Tripp	Breanna Webb	Kambria Worthey
Emma Tripp	Hailey Webb	Jesse Wright
Kylee Tripp	Landon Webb	John Wright
Jake TRUE	Shawn Webster	Layney Wyrick
Jesse TRUE	Beverly Weeden	Mason Wyrick
Ashley Turner	Brody Weeden	Devyn Ybarra
Malana Unsell	Hanna Weiss	Destiny Yelland
<u>Aleksa Urbina</u>	Shaylee Welch	Martin Yelland
Ericka Urena	Ana West	Edward Youhouse
Justin Valadez	Natalee West-	Angelina Zuniga
Alexandra Vance	moreland	Gregory Zuniga
Cassie Varley	Krista White	
Kammie Varley	Caiden Whittaker	
Destiny Vasquez	Ambria Wiegmann	
Alma Vazquez	Ashlen Wikoff	
Sarah Vogel	David Willey	
Cheyanne Waite	Caleb Williford	



COMMITTEE GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND PLANS

STUDENT COMMITTEE

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Breann Pollad

Goal:

Activities: FFA Meetings, Chapter Elections, Wellness activities, Agriculture Program Completer Applications, Scholarship, Scholarship Dinner

Objectives and Plans:

CHAPTER COMMITTEE

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Daniel Murray

Goals:

Activities: Freshmen Extravaganza, Chapter Banquet, Chapter/Greenhand Degree Recognition, Fall Study Session, Ag Business Luncheon, North Farm Festival

Objectives and Plans:

COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Addison Taylor

Goal:

Activities: PALS program, Great American Clean Up, Elementary School Carnivals,



COMMITTEE GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Darcie Shugart

Goals:

Activities: Facebook Page, Instagram Account, Chapter Calendar, Chapter Publicity, Sectional

Skate Night, Chapter Share Activity

Objectives and Plans:

SAE COMMITTEE

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Tristan Aranda

Goal:

Activities: SAE Project Competition, Record Book Work Day, SAE Guidance Manual, Farm Clean Up, World Ag Expo, Kern County Fair

Objectives and Plans:

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Cristina Chavez

Goals:



COMMITTEE GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND

TURTLE COMMITTEE:

Committee Chair(s):

Committee Members: Salem Palmer

Goal: Help members to grow individually beyond their comfort zone. Focus on activities to motivate younger members to feel like they belong and encourage FFA participation.

Activities: National FFA Week, WAVE Day, Aggie of the Month, Greenhand Week Recognition, and Ice Cream Social.

Objectives and Plans:



POINTS AWARD SYSTEM

Back to School Night	50
Ice Cream Social	50
Dress Up	25
Livestock Show	25
SJR Bootcamp	25
KI COLC	50
September Meeting Attend	50
Greenhand Conference	50
KCF Animal	25
KCF Placing	25



KCF Harvest Hall	25
Farm Clean Up	25
Social Media	25
Zumba meeting	50
Zumba Dress Up	25
National Convention	150
Socktober	100
Sold Drive Thru BBQ Tickets	25
Helped at Drive Thru BBQ	25
Opening Closing Contest	75

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Trivia Meeting	50
KI Skating	50
Poinsettias	25
Banking Quiz	50
Novice Records	50
Mock Rock	50
Mock Rock Dress Up	25
Mock Rock Performer	25
Coco & Cram	50
Exeter Citrus Contest	50



Movie Night Meeting	50
Movie Night Dress Up– PJ	25
Porterville Citrus	50
KI Speaking Contest	50
KI Speaking Volunteer	50
KI Speaking Place	25
Tulare Citrus	50
Winter State Finals	200
Basketball Tailgate	50
Proficiency Degree App	50



State Degree	75
Sectional Proficiency Placing	75
Regional Proficiency Placing	100
Mineretes Parli	50
Drive Thru BBQ	25
Drive Thru BBQ Helper	25
Ag Expo	25
National FFA Week Activities	50
National FFA Week Dress Up	25
MFE/ALA	75



Spring Regional Meeting	50
UC Davis Parli Pro	50
UC Davis Field Day	50
BIG & Coops	50
March Meeting	50
March Dress Up	25
KI Parli Pro	50
Regional Speaking Contest	100
Farm Day in The City	100
MJC Field Day	50



Sate Degree Banquet	50
Serve at State Degree Banquet	50
Regional Parli pro	100
Reedley Field Day	50
April Meeting	50
April Meeting Dress Up	25
Sate Speaking Finals	200
Sate Proficiency Interviews	150
State FFA Conference	175
State Officer Candidate	0



Regional Officer Candidate	0
Sectional officer Candidate	0
KI Officer Elections Meeting	50
Kern Scholarship Dinner	50
Cal Poly State Finals	200
Banquet Speaker	50
Banquet Attendee	25



	STITUTI ember 17, 1985	ON
	November 30, 1985	Revised on October 2000
Article I	Name and Pur	
Section A.		organization shall be the "North chapter of the Future
		ters "FFA" may be used to designate the chapter, its activi-
ties, or mem		
Section B.		which this chapter is formed are as follows:
Section B.	1.	To develop competent and aggressive agricul-
	1.	tural leadership.
	2.	To create and nurture a love of agricultural life.
	3.	To strengthen the confidence of students of vo-
	5.	cational agriculture in themselves and their work.
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	4.	To create more interest in the intelligent choice
	т.	of agricultural occupations.
		or agricultural occupations.
	5.	To encourage members in the development of
	5.	individual occupational experience programs and estab-
		lishment in agricultural careers.
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	6.	To encourage members to improve the home
		and its surroundings.
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	7.	To participate in worthy undertakings for the im-
		provement of the industry of agriculture.
	8.	To develop character, train for useful citi- zenship and foster patriotism.

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Article III Membership
Section A. Membership in this chapter shall be of three kinds: 1. Active; 2. Alumni; and 3. Honorary, as defined by the national FFA constitution.
Section B. The regular work of this chapter shall be carried on by the active member- ship.
Section C. Honorary membership in this chapter shall be limited to the honorary chapter FFA degree.
Section D. Active members in good standing may vote on all business brought before
 the chapter. An active member shall be considered in good standing when: 1. They regularly attend local chapter meetings with reasonable regularity. 2. They show an interest in and take part in the affairs

CONSTITUTION (CONTINUED)

Section E. Names of applicants for membership shall be filed with the membership committee.

Article IV Emblems

Section A. The emblem of the FFA shall be the emblem for the chapter.

Section B. Emblems used by the members shall be designated by the National FFA Organization.

Article V Membership degrees and privileges

Section A. There shall be four grades of active membership in this chapter. These grades are:

- 1. The Greenhand FFA degree,
- 2. The Chapter FFA degree,
- 3. The State FFA degree, and
- 4. The American FFA degree.

All Greenhands are entitled to wear the regulation bronze pin. All members holding the degree of Chapter FFA are entitled to wear the silver emblem pin. All members holding the State FFA degree are entitled to wear the regulation gold emblem charm. All members holding the American FFA degree are entitled to wear the regulation gold emblem key.

Section B. Greenhand FFA degree minimum qualifications for election: (Refer to state constitution for a complete list of degree requirements.)1. Be regularly enrolled in a class in vocational education for an agricultural career occupation and have satisfactory and acceptable plans for a program of supervised farming and/or other agricultural occupational experiences.

- 2. Learn and explain the FFA creed, motto and salute.
- 3. Describe the FFA emblem, colors and symbol.
- 4. Explain the proper use of the FFA jacket.
- 5. Have satisfactory knowledge of the history of the organization.
- 6. Know the duties and responsibilities of the FFA members.
- 7. Personally own or have access to the official FFA manual.
- 8. Submit written application for the degree and for the chapter rec-



CONSTITUTION (CONTINUED)

Section C. Chapter FFA degree minimum qualifications for election:

1. Must have the degree of the Greenhand and have a record of satisfactory participation in the activities of the local chapter.

2. Must have satisfactorily completed at least one year of instruction in vocational agriculture, have in operation an improved supervised farming and other agriculture occupational experienced program and be regularly enrolled in a vocational agriculture class.

3. Be familiar with the purposes and programs of activities of the state association and national organization.

4. Be familiar with the provisions of the constitution of the local chapter.

5. Be familiar with parliamentary procedure.

6. Must lead a group discussion for fifteen minutes.

7. Must have earned by his/her own efforts from his/ her supervised farming and/or other agricultural occupations program and deposited in a bank or otherwise productively invested at least \$150.00 or whole 100 hours on his/her SOEP in excess of scheduled class time.

8. Have to attend Chapter FFA degree banquet.

9. Must fill out and turn in application for a chapter degree.

Section D. State FFA degree, minimum qualifications

for elections:

- 1. Qualifications for the State FFA degree are those set forth in the constitution of the state association
- 2. Must go to the state degree banquet.

Section E. American FFA degree, minimum qualifications for elections:

1. Qualifications for the American FFA de-

CONSTITUTION (CONTINUED)

Section F. Special committees shall review the qualifications of members and make recommendations to the chapter concerning degree advancement.

Article VI. Officers

Section A. The officers of this chapter shall be as follows: president, three (3) vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, reporter, sentinel, and historian, The local advisor shall be the teacher of vocational agriculture in the school where the chapter is located. Officers shall perform the usual duties of their respective offices.

Section B. Leaders shall be elected annually by a majority vote. There shall be 7 leaders chosen, and then between the chosen 7, they will be appointed to offices that fit their interest and capabilities. In the event that two or more leaders are interested in the same office, the individual with the most chapter votes is appointed.

Section C. An officer can be removed from office when the following situation exists:

- 1. The officer has lost interest in performing the duties of their office.
 - 2. He or she has missed 2 major events and/or
- 3. He or she has 3 unexcused chapter or executive meeting absence.

In a closed officer meeting, the highest-ranking officer will entertain a motion to remove the officer from office. A second to the motion must be secured. The officer can only then be removed with a majority vote from the executive team, with the Advisor's consent.

In the event this occurs, all of the past officer's materials will be confiscated by the Advisor. A Vice President will take on the duties of that office until a replacement can be nominated at the next regular meeting.

Section D. The officers of the chapter with the chairman in charge of the major sections of the annual program of activities shall constitute the Chap-



CONSTITUTION (CONTINUED)

Section E. Honorary members shall not vote or nor shall they hold any office in the chapter except that of advisor.

Section F. Chapter officers must hold the Chapter FFA Degree.

Article VII Meetings

Section A. Regular chapter meetings shall be held once a month during the school year and once during the remaining of the year at such time and place as is designated by the chapter executive committee. Special meetings may be called at any time.

Section B. Standard meeting equipment shall be used at each meeting. All regular meetings shall open and close with the official ceremony. Parliamentary Procedure shall be used in transacting all business at each of the meetings. Section C. Delegates as specified by the State Constitution shall be elected annually from the active membership to represent the chapter at the State Leadership Conference. Other delegates may be named as necessary in order to have proper representation at various other FFA meetings within the state.

Section D. A majority of the active members listed on the secretary membership roll shall constitute a quorum, and a quorum must be present at any meeting at which business is transacted or a vote take committing the chapter to any proposal or action.

Article VIII Dues

Section A State and the Chapter or Grants when purchasing State FFA Leadership Packets shall pay National Dues.

Article IX

Amendments

Section A This constitution may be amended or changed at any regular chapter meeting by a two-thirds vote of the active members present providing it is not in conflict with the State Association Constitution or that of the National Organization FFA.

Section B Bylaws may be adopted to fit the needs of the chapter at any regular chapter meeting by a two-thirds vote of the active members present providing such bylaws conflict in no way with the constitution and bylaws of either the State Association or the National Organization.

CHAPTER APPLICATIONS NORTH FFA CHAPTER OFFICER APPLICATION
Name: Grade: Current GPA: Phone #
*Must <u>currently</u> hold the Chapter Degree to be President, Vice President, Secretary, or Treasurer.
First Choice Office:
Second Choice Office:
Qualifications: Check yes or no for each of the following Yes
NO
Do you have your Chapter Degree?
Did you receive your Greenhand Degree?
Do you have an SAE Project?
Do you play a sport?
Can you commit to Officer Retreat June 15-17 (after summer school)?
Do you plan on being on a competitive FFA team?
Please check all that apply and/or write the number of times you have participated in that activity. To be eli- gible for selection you must be able to check off something from each bold category.
Highest Degree Earned:
Greenhand
Chapter
State Degree
SAE's:Has a current SAE project. Specify:Kern County Fair

CHAPTER APPLICATIONS (CONTINUED) North FFA Activities – Must be able to check of at least three ____Monthly FFA Meetings ____ FFA Banquet Carnivals or other Community Service ____Farm Clean Up _____ Poinsettia Sales ____FFA Week Activities ____Regional Meeting _____ Activity Night: *ex:Skate Night* _____ Other Contest: ex: BIG, Novice Records, Banking, Co-ops Leadership – Must be able to check off two here. ____Chapter Officer ____Opening/Closing Creed Greenhand Officer BIG ____Vegetable Crops Team ____Speech Contest ____ Banking Team ____ Nursery Landscape Made for Excellence ___ Advanced leadership Academy ____ Novice Records ____ Co-ops Team Greenhand Conference ____State Convention ____Parliamentary Procedure Short Answer: Feel free to attach additional paper if needed to answer the following questions. 1. Why do you want to be a chapter officer in the FFA? 1. List the top five FFA activities you have participated in:

1. Give a specific example of how you would encourage members to become more involved in FFA?

1. What are your future goals in FFA?

1. What are your goals for the North Agriculture program?

6. Do you participate in an extra-curricular activity like band or sports? Are you planning on having a job during the next school year?

The undersigned student and parent understand that by signing this application the student is agreeing to participate in FFA activities necessary to run the North FFA Chapter with parental support. It is understood that Officer Retreat is MANDATORY and will take place on June 15-17th, numerous activities will also take place after school and students will be required to attend some weekend events. The undersigned is also aware of eligibility requirements, the strike system



NOMINATION PAPER FOR NORTH FFA GREENHAND OFFICE

Application Deadline: At 3:30 p.m. November _____ Officer Interviews (required): To be held after school Wednesday November 4th. Officer Announcement (required): November Chapter Meeting November 17th @ 6pm. Please fill out to the best of your ability. Use a separate sheet of paper or type if need be.

Eligibility to Hold Greenhand Officer

Students eligible to hold office with North High FFA must be a member in good standing with the Chapter. They must be at least of freshmen standing and an active participant in the North High Agricultural Education program. Candidates must also agree to attend certain required activities and commit themselves toward their duties and the benefit of the North High FFA and its members. Students running for greenhand office must have a minimum 2.5 GPA at the time of elections.

FFA Leadership & Participation 25% of Election Process

FFA Leadership will be scored separately. This portion indicates the candidate's level of activity at all levels of the FFA organization. Examples of activities included are chapter activities, tours, field days, leadership conferences, and CDEs.

Oral Interview 75% of Election Process

This portion of the process evaluates the candidate's ability to think on their feet, to provide feedback to questions relating to the application and the general impression that the candidate has given the interview committee, and to gauge their level of interest and enthusiasm for the prospect of becoming a greenhand officer. A panel of chapter leaders who have been deemed not to have a conflict of interest in the selection process will conduct the interview. Individuals on the committee will be made up of a combination (but not limited to) the following possibilities; chapter officers, a full or part time member of the faculty, staff or administration at North High School, a member of the North High community or someone involved in an agribusiness within the local community, and or the president of the North High FFA Booster Club. Candidates will be evaluated upon the quality of their responses to standardized questions as determined by the committee before



Name	Grade in School
RANK YOUR PREFERRED OFFICE F <i>prefer)</i>	ROM 1-6: <i>(1 is the office you most prefer; 6 is the office you leas</i>
PRESIDENT VICE PRESIDEN	IT SECRETARY TREASURER REPORTER SENTINEL
ist your reasons for wanting thes	se particular offices
	rs, and your participation in FFA Activities:
l	
ist participation in other school a	and community activities or organizations:

What ideas do you have to improve the North FFA chapter? (use additional sheet if necessary)

Describe other activities or events you are currently involved in that occupy your time?

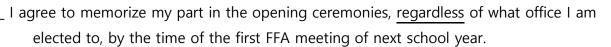
To qualify for an FFA office, you and a parent/guardian must read and agree to each of the following statements. Read each statement, and <u>initial</u> each to indicate your agreement. If you have a particular objection to one of the statements below, you may still qualify for an office by attaching a typewritten statement describing why you disagree with the statement.

Student Parent

Agrees Agrees

- I understand that a limited number of students may serve the chapter as an officer, and that this application is just the first step in the selection process. The process will include interviews, which are scheduled for the date and time mentioned at the top of the first page of this application. I understand that I will be required to attend this interview to be considered for an office.
 - _____ I understand the responsibilities of an FFA officer in general, and the responsibilities associated with the particular office(s) for which I am running. I will serve as an officer to the best of my ability.
 - ____ The FFA organization has high standards. I realize that it is a privilege, not a right, to serve as a greenhand officer. I understand that behavior that is not consistent with that of a responsible officer may result my being removed from office in accordance with the FFA constitution.

I agree that FFA members that hold an office should be held to a higher standard than other members. Therefore, if at any time during my term I am declared ineligible to participate in activities by North High School's Administration due to a good conduct violation, academic ineligibility, or any other reason, I will permanently step down from my office.



If elected to serve as an FFA officer, you will be a representative of your FFA Chapter and your school. You will also be a role model for other FFA members. Please obtain signatures from each of the following individuals, indicating that they feel you will be a good candidate for FFA office:

FFA member FFA member

FFA member FFA member

FFA member school faculty member

By signing below, we certify that:

- 1. The information on this application is true and accurate
- 2. The student has parental permission to serve as a chapter officer if elected.
- 3. We will cooperate with the FFA member in any way possible to help them do the best job they are capable of doing as an officer.
- 4. We have read and agreed to each of the above statements.



CHAPTER APPLICATIONS (CONTINUED)				
GREENHAND CONFERENCE AP	PLICATION			
Name	Student ID Number			
Period				
Quarter 1 Grade in Ag	Shirt Size			
Participants will attend this conf IN	erence on Thursday, Oct 22th from 7:45 a.m. to 2:50 p.m. PLEASE BE			
Participants will wear school app put on at	proved clothing, closed-toed shoes and will be provided with a shirt to			
the beginning of the conference	2.			
List one goal that you would like	e to achieve this year in the FFA.			
What leadership skills do you ho	ope to acquire at this leadership conference?			
List three FFA activities you plan	to participate in this year.			
Turn in this application to Mrs. (O'Connor in the IA 67 by Friday, October 16th, before 3:20 p.m.			
If selected, I can pay the \$5 con	ference fee to reserve my spot for the Greenhand Conference.			
Student Signature Parent Signat	ure Date			
Parents: Your student will be ret	turning from the conference between 3:30-4:00.			

NORTH FFA CHAPTER

Application for Made for Excellence/Advanced Leadership Academy DUE to Ag Teacher by 3:30 on November 10,. No Money will be accepted at this time.

Eligibility to Attend Made for Excellence/Advanced Leadership Academy

Students eligible must be a member in good standing with the Chapter and with North High School. They must have a minimum 2.5 GPA and be able to attend the entire trip from Friday February 19, 2016 to Saturday February 20, 2016. First priority will be given to students that have demonstrated active participation in FFA events (judging teams, chapter meetings, community service, contests, banquet). Transportation and supervision will provided by the FFA Chapter but any student that is selected to attend the conference will be responsible for \$100 which will cover the cost of registration, hotel rooms, and meals during the conference. Students that are selected to attend will receive permission slips on Thursday November 12, 2015. Only 18 students will be able to attend so the following dates are imperative. Friday November 16-**Receipt** of deposit of \$40 to Ms. Ryan (IA5<u>)</u> **Failure to cancel by November 16 will result in the loss of your deposit and all money**

paid. Final payment will be due by Tuesday November 20.

Applicants Name: _____

Year in School: _____

FFA Leadership & Participa-

tion

List

TEN Accomplishments or significant activities that you have achieved as a member of the FFA.



Do you have a minimum 2.0 GPA? YES NO

Class Period	Class Title	Semester 1 Grade

How have you contributed and what sets you apart as a member of the North High FFA Chapter?

*I understand that failure to cancel by November 16 will result in the loss of your deposit and all

money paid.

Parent Signature_____

Student Signature_____



NORTH FFA CHAPTER

Application for State FFA Leadership Conference DUE to Ag Teacher by 3:30 on January 22, 2015. No Money will be accepted at this time.

Eligibility to Attend State FFA Leadership Conference

Students eligible must be a member in good standing with the Chapter and with North High School. They must have a minimum 2.0 GPA and be able to attend the entire trip from Friday April 17, 2015 to Tuesday April 21, 2015. Candidates must demonstrate active participation in events of the FFA Chapter. First priority will be given to students that have a reason for attending the conference (Contest, delegate, committee chair, regional officers) and lower classmen. Registration costs will be paid by the FFA Chapter but any student that is selected to attend the conference will be responsible for \$200 to be applied towards the cost of hotel rooms. Students that are eligible to attend will receive permission slips on Monday January 26, 2015. We will be taking the first 30 students who turn in their paperwork and **receipt** of deposit of \$40 to Ms. Bledsoe (room 67) starting at 7:30AM on Thursday January 29th, 2015. Final payment for hotels will be due by March 26th. Failure to cancel by March 26th will result in the loss of your deposit and all money paid.

Applicants Name: _____

Year in School: _____

Do you have a reason for attending the State FFA Leadership Conference? rYES rNO Explain Reason: _____

FFA Leadership & Participa-

tion

List

TEN Accomplishments or significant activities that you have achieved as a member of the FFA.



Do you have a minimum 2.0 GPA? YES NO

Class Period	Class Title	Semester 1 Grade

In the space below please describe your reason for wanting to attend the FFA State Leadership

Conference, and why you should be chosen.

North FFA Chapter Leadership Committee Application

* Required

- Name *
- Phone Number *
- What is your cumulative GPA? *
- Current Agriculture Class *
- Ag. Earth Science
- Floral Design
- Agriculture Communication
- Ag. Biology
- Vet Science
- Ag. Government/Ag. Econ
- Year in School *
- Freshmen
- Sophomore



- Highest Degree Earned: *
- Greenhand Degree
- Chapter Degree
- State Degree
- No Degree
- What are your top 5 FFA Activities? *
- What other activities are you involved in on campus? *
- Briefly describe your SAE. *
- Why do you desire to serve as a North High FFA Committee Member? *
- Please selected the committee you prefer to serve on. *
- Student Committee
- Chapter Committee
- Community Service Committee
- Public Relations Committee
- SAE Committee
- Finance Committee
- Turtle Committee

• I understand that serving on a committee is a huge honor and responsibility within our chapter. If selected, I agree to abide by all the guidelines and make myself available when needed so that the committee can run as smoothly as possible. Additionally, I will be able to attend executive chapter officer meetings on the second Monday of every month. *

• I agree.



CURRENT OFFICERS

President- Daniel Murray



Vice President– Addison Taylor



Secretary– Cristina Chavez



Treasurer- Tristan Aranda





CURRENT OFFICERS (CONTINUED)

Reporter- Darcie Shugart



Sentinel - Salem Palmer

Historian- Breeann Pollard







FFA INFORMATION

FFA Colors: In 1929 at the second National FFA Convention held in Kansas City, **National Blue** and **Corn Gold** were adopted as the official colors as the Future Farmers of America. National Blue was selected to represent the blue field of our nation's flag while corn gold is used to symbolize the golden fields to ripened corn that unify our country.

FFA Motto: The FFA motto gives members twelve short words to live by as they experience the opportunities in the organization.

Learning to Do, Doing to learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve.

Female Official Dress:-Black skirt. *Skirt is to be at least knee length, hemmed evenly across the bottom, with slit no longer than 2 inches above the knee, excluding the kick pleat. Black slacks may be appropriate for traveling and outdoor activities.*-White collared blouse and official FFA blue scarf. –Black dress shoes with closed heel and toe (No boots, sandals, open-toed shoes, or tennis shoes.) -Nude nylon hosiery (in California) and black nylon hosiery (for all other states). –Official FFA jacket zipped to the top.

Male Official Dress: Black dress pants. (No jeans– blue or black, leather, pleather, etc.). –White dress shirt and official FFA tie. –Black dress shoes with closed heel and toe. (No boots, sandals, open-toed shoes, tennis shoes). –Black Socks. –Official FFA jacket zipped to the top.

Career Development Events: All FFA contests are designed to be a natural continuation of the instructional program in agriculture education. The contests help to make classes more interesting and give students an additional reason for doing their best to develop skills. These skills include (1) the technical knowledge gained in the classroom, (2) the ability to make sound judgments, (3) the ability to defend their decisions by giving a convincing set of reasons, and (4) to build self-confidence and leadership.

