



Spanish Fork FFA HAPPENINGS

DEGREE CEREMONY

STUDENTS EARN DISCOVERY, GREENHAND, AND CHAPTER DEGREES

The Spanish Fork FFA held their annual Degree Ceremony January 7. Students were awarded degrees given based on performance indicators set forth by the National Organization. For the first time Discovery Degrees were awarded to 17 of our 8th grade members. This degree recognizes students enrolled in 7-8 grade agricultural classes making strides toward successful involvement in the FFA.

41 students earned the Greenhand Degree. FFA members enrolled in their first year of high school credit agricultural science, that have satisfactory plans for a supervised agricultural experience (SAE) program and that have demonstrated their understanding of the history and purpose of the FFA may apply for their Greenhand Degree.

13 students received their Chapter Degree. Those FFA members that have received their Greenhand degree may apply for the Chapter Degree. Members must be enrolled in an agricultural science class, have completed at least two semesters in agricultural science at or above the ninth grade level, have in operation an approved SAE program, demonstrate leadership skills and be actively involved in the activities of the local FFA chapter. We are proud of our students and their achievements in scholastic, FFA, SAE, and community service.



Game Night

FFA members cleaned the headhouse (which hadn't been done in a while!) After cleaning they spent the evening playing fun board games. It was great to see everyone get involved and mingle with everyone around them. Thanks to those who helped!

SPANISH FORK FFA ALUMNI BANQUET
 Dinner, Recognition and Auction
FEBRUARY 24 6:30 P.M.
 PONDEROSA BUILDING SPANISH FORK FAIRGROUNDS

HELPING PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS

RECOGNIZING ACHIEVEMENTS OF PAST GENERATIONS



Support students by bidding on auction items including:

- Handtooled belt
- Flowers and labor to plant
- Western apparel
- Half of pork
- Gift baskets
- Quilts
- Tax Return
- Ammunition
- and much more



AREA CONTESTS



Arctic Cat Grant



STUDENTS COMPETE IN PARLI, PREPARED, CREED AND PROFICIENCIES

On January 27, the chapters of the Area 5 FFA met at Spanish Fork High School to compete. Spanish Fork FFA's Parliamentary Procedure team consisting of Jackson Stewart, Bailee Argyle, Lindsey Olsen, Brooke Voorhees, and Madelynn Yeil took second. Raquel Christensen, who represented the chapter in Prepared Public Speaking

took fourth. Our chapter had two creed speaking representatives. Porter Olsen did well and Kalley Stubbs came home with a plaque and will be representing our area at State Convention.

In addition proficiency awards were awarded. Our chapter had five of our seven proficiencies move on. Congratulations to the

following:

- Tori Rucker: Landscape Management
- Kirsty Stubbs: Vegetable Production
- Kaitlin Hallam: Swine Production, Diversified Livestock Production, and Ag Mechanics
- Raquel Christensen: Star Greenhand in agriscience.

Spanish Fork FFA was the recipient of a \$800 Arctic Cat Grant. Thanks to Mr Gradner for his work in getting us this. Also a special thanks to Cutlers who helped. A \$200 was also sent to the Utah FFA Association.

SAE SPOTLIGHT



Kalli U: Ag Sales & Ag Education

Kalli has two different SAE projects. She currently works at Macey's where she has done cashier, bagging, and produce department work. In addition she is currently interning at Diamond Fork Junior high with the agricultural education teacher. She has been able to lead classes and teach lessons.



Jorgen O: Sheep Production

Jorgen has a small flock of sheep that he cares for. He uses these sheep to raise show sheep that he shows throughout the state. He and his family have also started to sale at National and Regional shows.

Jorgen has done great in showmanship and market throughout his FFA career.



Kirsty S. Vegetable Production

Kirsty has a quarter acre garden that she and her sisters care for. They are in charge of the planting, weeding, watering, harvesting, and marketing of vegetables. Kirsty has been able to learn a lot in the garden including hardwork and the importance of family. Her produce has won awards at the county fair!

CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS

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Students learn about animal byproducts by making Jello



Students learn how to care for exotic pet animals.



Candy Flowers



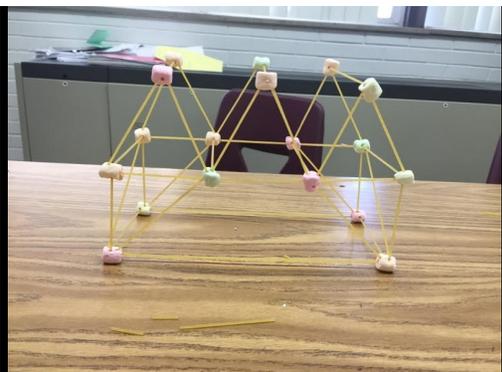
Wild Wonders visits DFJHS



Students learn about animal products and enjoy a steak!



Soil cups to learn the layers of soil



Greenhouse structures with spaghetti and marshmallows



Students mix cereal feed rations based on nutrient levels



Gaits of the horse with sidewalk chalk and acting as the horse

Congratulations

Kaitlin Hallam who was the winner of the Turkey Scholarship Essay Contest! Way to represent our chapter.



CDE Practices will be held soon. Figure out which team you want to be on!