



Willard FFA Newsletter

Willard FFA Chapter Updates and News

November- December 2016

Willard FFA Competes in County, Sub-District, and District Parliamentary Procedure Contests

The Parliamentary Procedure career development event is an assessment of students' abilities to participate effectively in a business meeting or other group decision making situations.

Willard FFA members: Derek Wilson, Phillip Bogner, Rebecca Blanton, Pressley Buurma, Lesley Burton, and Caley Legg all participated in the Advanced Parliamentary Procedure Contest at South Central High School for the county level. At the contest, they placed third. The advanced team also participated in the Sub-District contest at Margaretta High School and placed second which qualified them to move on to Districts.

Willard FFA also had a novice parliamentary procedure team which is a team made up of only freshman students. Our team was Ivy Smith, Regan Hartz, Zoey Hartz, Natalie Iracheta, Becca Slone, Nicholas Bauer, Shyann Stephens, and Charity Newsome. The team won first place at the county contest. They moved on to sub- districts and placed 2nd. This qualified them for the district contest!

Congrats to both the advanced and novice parliamentary procedure teams!



Back row: Derek Wilson and Phillip Bogner
Front row- Rebecca Blanton, Pressley Buurma, Lesley Burton, Caley Legg



Pictured: Zoey Hartz, Regan Hartz, Becca Slone, Shyann Stephens, Charity Newsome, Nick Bauer, Natalie Iracheta
Front: Ivy Smith

Food for Thought grant

The Willard FFA Chapter hosted the district parliamentary procedure contest this year. We were excited to show off our beautiful new school. We also used this time to educate our guests on Ohio grain commodities as part of our Food for Thought Campaign. We provided each FFA member, advisor, and guest with a meal focused around whole wheat food choices. We provided spaghetti, whole wheat breadsticks, a salad, and milk. We made a slideshow to present information on wheat grown in the United States.



Lesley Burton, Alicia Saavedra, Brittany Montoney, Caley Legg, and Rebecca Blanton volunteering at the soup and sandwich

Soup and Sandwich

On January 17th, the Willard FFA Chapter partnered with Shelby FFA in a soup and sandwich dinner at the Shelby vs. Willard girls basketball game. Members from both chapters made and donated soup. Community members who attended the game made a donation for a bowl of soup and a sandwich. Over \$2,300 was raised and is all being donated to former Plymouth FFA President, Kim Myers, who is battling a rare and aggressive form of cancer. It is truly incredible when communities come together and support one another. Thank you to all who supported the event!

SENIOR PROJECT AND FFA MEMBERS

Senior Project is a requirement for graduation at Willard High School. The program is a student selected exploration of a topic which results in a research paper, a project/product, and a presentation.

Seniors, Phillip Bogner and Caley Legg, recently completed their senior projects; both of which were related to their career goals within the agriculture industry.

Phillip completed a project based on the hog industry and the impact that consumers have on it. For his product, he raised and butchered a market hog.

Caley completed a project centered around hands-on learning, its benefits, and the positive impact of youth organizations like 4-H and FFA on children. Part of her product, was completing a hands on activity with young children at a local event.



Phillip Bogner butchering his hog for his product



Caley Legg presenting to the judges

FFA Thanksgiving

The Willard FFA Chapter had a Thanksgiving dinner with the chapter members. Each member brought a dish and they all enjoyed a meal together.



Nicholas Bauer and Lesley Burton

Nicholas Bauer and Lesley Burton competed in job interview at Western Reserve High School on November 9th. Prior to the contest, they both prepared resumes and cover letters. At the contest they completed an application, one-on-one interview, and wrote a follow up letter. Nicholas Bauer placed fourth out of fourteen and Lesley placed sixth out of thirteen.

FFA FRUIT SALE

Thank you to all those who supported us by buying fruit and nuts. When your purchase from our fundraisers, you're supporting:

- Leadership Training
- FFA Contest
- Banquet
- Students Trips
- Student Growth



Craft Show

On December 10th, the Willard FFA Chapter participated in the Willard Elementary Craft Show at the high school. They sold pallet signs and string art that were made in class. FFA fruit and nuts were also sold. They made about \$260 which will go towards the class.



FFA Christmas

On December 19, The Willard FFA Chapter had a Christmas dinner and gift exchange with chapter members. They ordered pizza and ate cookies. Each member that attended brought a gift and they played white elephant.

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Upcoming FFA Events and Activities



February 2nd- Regional Evaluation of State Degrees, American Degrees, and Proficiencies

February 6th- ATI Campus Tour with FFA Jrs & Srs.

February 15th- Sub-District Public Speaking at Plymouth High School

February 18th-25th- FFA Week Celebration

February 22nd- District Public Speaking at Wellington

February 25th- ATI Livestock Judging Contest- Wooster

March 11th- ATI Dairy Judging Contest- Wooster

March 15th- Livestock and Dairy Exams- Online

March 16th- Willard FFA Banquet

March 18th- Dairy and Livestock Ashland Invitational

March 25th- State Livestock

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DON'T MISS OUT!

WILLARD FFA
STRAWBERRY SALE

SALE BEGINS FEB 13TH

Half Flat- 4 Clam Shell Containers- 4# - \$10
Full Flat- 8 pint loose pack strawberries- 8.5- 9# - \$20



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DETAILS



2016-2017 Willard FFA Officer Team

President- Derek Wilson

Vice President- Rebecca Blanton

Secretary- Lesley Burton

Treasurer- Pressley Buurma

Reporter- Caley Legg

Sentinel- Annie Cummings

Student Advisor- Phillip Bogner



WILLARD FFA STRAWBERRY SALE

Full Flat
8 pints
8.5-9 lbs of
Loose Berries
\$20

OR

Half Flat
(4)- 1 pound
Clam Shell
Containers
\$10



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ORDERS MUST INCLUDE YOUR NAME, PHONE
NUMBER, ADDRESS, AND QUANTITY

ORDERS DUE:
FEBRUARY 24TH

Thank you for supporting
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DELIVERED
WEEK OF MARCH 6TH



*An FFA member will contact you to set up
pick up times or home delivery.
Money will be due at that time*