

Aubrey FFA

NEWSLETTER

Welcome Back To School!

Welcome back, FFA members! We're excited to kick off another incredible year with all of you. This year brings fresh opportunities and energy, as we warmly welcome our four new teachers to our chapter. Their diverse experiences and passion for agriculture will undoubtedly enrich our program, helping us grow and continue to achieve great heights. Let's come together to make this year one of the best yet—full of learning, leadership, and lasting memories. Welcome back, and let's get started!

September Events

5-14 West Texas State Fair
12 JV Football Concessions
23 District 5 Leadership
Workshop @ Valley View
25 Area V Greenhand
Conference- Camp Copass
27-10/20 State Fair of
Texas



Livestock Updates

It's that time of year! The time where students showcase their skills in raising and presenting various animals, such as lambs, goats, pigs, rabbits, and chickens, at fairs and shows. Showing livestock not only cultivates a deep understanding of animal care but also fosters valuable life skills like responsibility and teamwork. For anyone interested in getting involved, contact any of the Ag Teachers or sign-up using the link below.

[Livestock Interest Form](#)

[Swine Tag Order Form Link](#)

SEPTEMBER 2024

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Members of the Aubrey FFA Chapter Receive Lone Star FFA Degree

Jace Looper, Tucker McDonald and Berkley Noles of the Aubrey FFA Chapter, were awarded the Lone Star FFA Degree at the 96th annual Texas FFA State Convention held July 8-12 in Houston. The Lone Star FFA Degree is the highest degree bestowed by the Texas FFA.

The Lone Star FFA Degree recognizes FFA members who have received the Chapter degree, been active FFA members for at least two years, completed at least four semesters of agricultural science at or above the ninth grade level, maintained a supervised agricultural experience (SAE)

program, demonstrated their leadership skills, and have shown a commitment to the FFA through involvement at the chapter level and above. Looper, McDonald and Noles were three of more than 2,300 FFA members to receive this esteemed degree.

The 96th annual Texas FFA Convention recorded approximately 16,000 members and guests. Members of the state's largest agricultural youth leadership organization spent the week attending leadership workshops, participating in events and activities, being recognized for their achievements, and serving as the legislative body for the Texas FFA Association.

The Texas FFA is the nation's largest state FFA association with a membership of more than 177,000. FFA gives students the opportunity to apply practical classroom knowledge to real-world experiences through local, state and national competitions. For more information about the Texas FFA, visit www.texasffa.org.



Berkley Noles



Junior Member Form

Use this link to complete a contact information form if your student is in 3rd-7th grade,

2024-2025 Chapter Officer Team

President Carmela Castiglione
Vice President McKenna Thompson
Secretary Zoe Fikes
Treasurer Ashlynn Navarro
Reporter Preslee Martino
Sentinel Jenrtri Phipps
Student Advisor Lexi Gravely
Parliamentarian Dayzee Tovar
Chaplain Berkley Noles
Executive London Gravely

Ice Cream Social

Thanks to everyone who attended the ice cream social! Chapter officers spoke to students about opportunities in FFA and members selected competitions for the year.

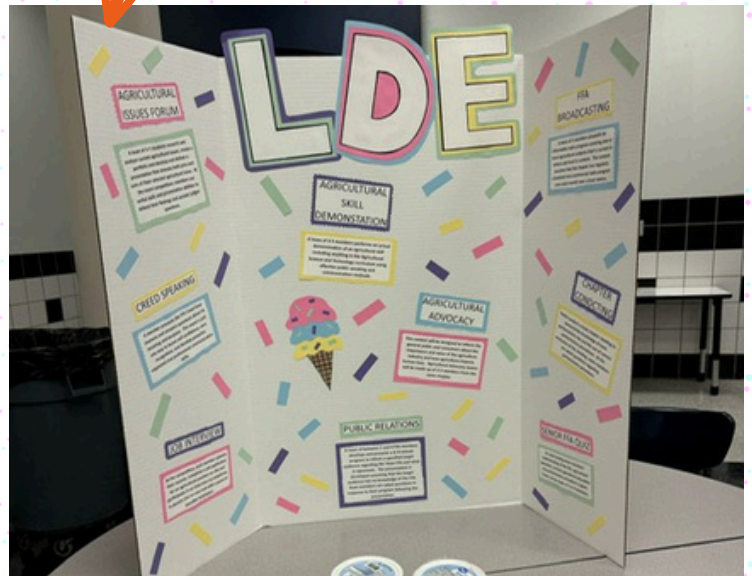
TX FFA STATE CONVENTION



OPPORTUNITIES



Ashlynn Navarro



Introducing

AUBREY FFA MEMBER MAP



What is the Member Map?

The Aubrey FFA Member Map is an online activity tracker. You will log your FFA activities monthly and those most involved members at the end of the year will be rewarded with an invitation to the Texas FFA State Convention in Fort Worth June 30-July 4, 2025.



Fall Fundraiser

August 30- September 16

Start Now!

1. Download the iFreshCountry app or visit freshcountry.com
2. Make an account with the Organization Code: AF3564
3. Message your family and friends!



Participate!

- All students who earn 20 or more points will win a field trip to Ag Awareness Day at the State Fair of Texas on October 14.
- Once our FFA Chapter has met 50% of our goal, any student who has over 25 points will also receive a free t-shirt!

Top Three Point Winners:
1st Place Free Belt Buckle
2nd Place \$50 Cash
3rd Place \$50 Cash

**Meats and sweets
will be delivered before
Thanksgiving!**

Homecoming

MUMS & GARTERS FOR SALE

Pricing

Mum \$45

Mini Mum \$30

Garter \$30

Peewee Garter \$20

Save the date!

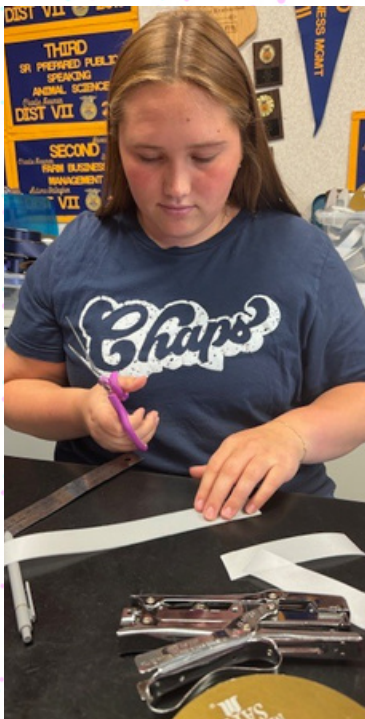
Aubrey Homecoming is September 20, 2024 and AHS Floral Design is selling homecoming mums and garters. Orders are due September 11 and mum reveal/pickup is September 18 from 3:00-6:00 at the AHS Ag Shop.

ORDER
NOW



Floral Design

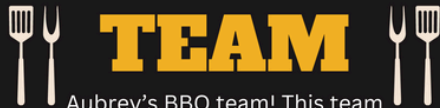
All items will have chains, ribbons, a bell and trinkets. They are hand-made custom to each order by students in AHS Floral Design and Advanced Floral Design classes.



FFA Opportunities

CLICK EACH FLYER TO SIGN UP!

BARBECUE TEAM



Aubrey's BBQ team! This team consists of 1-5 members from 9-12th grade. We will be using the TxHSBBQ association, with cooking consisting of Dessert, Side, and Meats. This organization is dedicated to fostering a love for pitmasters. Joining this team will give you hands on experience with BBQ and connect with other people who also love smoking meats. These meats include Brisket, Pork ribs, Pork butt, Chicken, sausage. There can be multiple teams from a school with them competing separately.



Agriscience fairs offer competition opportunities for middle and high school students studying in the scientific principles of agriculture.

TEAM & INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

GRADES
7-12

AUBREY FFA AG SCIENCE COMPETITIONS



No livestock
required!



TOPICS:

FOOD PRODUCTION
ANIMAL SCIENCE
EQUINE SCIENCE
AGRICULTURE BUSINESS
HORTICULTURE
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
AND MUCH MORE

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Join an LDE
team today!

Aubrey Welding Team

TXHSWS's purpose is to develop the technical and employability skills necessary in today's youth for tomorrow's welding industry. Our series events include hosting welding certification events all over Texas. Students of all skill levels are challenged to improve ability and increase the desire to pursue a career in welding. Industry professionals team up with educational leaders to create these one-of-a-kind events to raise the bar for students.



FRIENDS & FAMILY ALUMNI GROUP

Aubrey FFA Alumni
1st Annual Clay Shoot
Friday, September 13th
Fossil Pointe Sporting Grounds
7282 FM 51, Decatur, TX 76234

Prizes:
1st, 2nd, & 3rd Place Team Trophies
Raffle Drawings

Entry Fee:
\$500/Team of 4
\$250/Team of 2
Includes 100 clays/ea
Lunch Provided

8 AM Registration | 9 AM Shotgun Start

Registration and Sponsor Information:
Email AubreyAFF@gmail.com to register

Sponsor Information:
\$150 Station Sponsors [12 available]
Email hsuggs@gmail.com to inquire



Hosted by Aubrey FFA Alumni | Benefitting Aubrey FFA

Seeking:

- sponsors
- volunteers
- teams

SAVE THE DATE

AUBREY



**Membership
Registration**



**Aubrey Friends and Family FFA
Alumni Meeting**
Tuesday, September 24th, 2024
7p.m.

**Point Bank Community Building
Pilot Point, Tx**



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