PEEBLES FFA CHAPTER NEWSLETTER

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Adams County Fair

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people, fair week is the highlight of their year; it's what everything leads up to. This is the week when you find out if all of your hard work has paid off, or if you fell short. Fair week is always bustling with activity, exhibitors taking care of their livestock, Junior Fair Board members running around trying to fix problems, advisors helping in anyway possible, and the people of the public always come out to support the youth of the county. This year we had five members on the Adams County Junior Fair Board. These members include; Jordan Crum, Joseph Crum, Kamden Crum, Carlie Cluxton, and Whitney Bauman. They all worked very hard throughout the week working shows and in the Junior Fair Board office to make sure the fair was a success. Fair week kicked off on Sunday, with the parade in the evening which is then followed by the Queens' Contest, where the royalty for the week is crowned. This year our members were successful in each of their projects and represented our chapter well. The sheep show kicked off our Monday evening, starting with showmanship, then breeding, followed by the market lamb show.

Fair Week continued

Rabbit showmanship was also held Monday night. Tuesday was a very busy day. It started with the breeding rabbit show followed by the market rabbit show, which lasted well into the afternoon. Also held on Tuesday was the livestock judging contest in which many of our members competed. Tuesday afternoon the dairy goat show was held followed by the swine breeding and market show. Wednesday morning was the crop and shop project judging. Also held Wednesday morning was the poultry show and swine showmanship. That evening was the goat show, starting with showmanship, then breeding, and ending the night was the market goat show. Thursday was the beef show. The morning began with beef showmanship. It was followed by the beef breeding show and then the feeder calf show. The night ended with the market beef show. On Friday was the open dairy show, and later, the small animal and baked good sale. On Friday night was the awards round-up followed by the showmanship sweepstakes contest. Wrapping up the fair on Saturday was the livestock sale, demolition derby, and barnyard Olympics. The Adams County Fair provides our FFA chapter with many different opportunities, and is a way for our members to interact with other farmers.













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Community Volunteering

Peebles FFA Chapter members donated their time this summer to helping local families with odd and end jobs that they were unable to do. Members worked diligently to get jobs done such as weeding gardens and clearing out ponds. They enjoyed their time spent visiting and were glad they could be of service to our community members.













State Fair Pork Booth

Peebles FFA Chapter members traveled to the Ohio State Fair on July 27, 2017 to volunteer their time to work the pork producer's booth. The members and volunteers spent the morning enjoying the fair and the evening working the booth. We partner with the Pork Producers each year to create a working relationship with the organization. We work for them and they donate items for us to use during our 3rd Grade Ag Day Program and give us \$100 for our volunteer work. While working, the booth members met many new people and got to explore "The Taste of Ohio's" booths such as: Dairy, Pork, Chicken, Beef, and Lamb. While working at the Pork Booth, members kept food items filled, put meals together, and served refreshments to the customers. All together this was a great learning experience for our chapter members and members can't wait to go back next year!







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NAME: Whitney Bauman



PARENTS: Kent and Joy Bauman

YEAR IN FFA: 3rd

ACTIVITIES TAKEN PART IN: Beef BBQ, Pork booth, Forestry, General Livestock, Public Speaking, Poultry, PES Fall Carnival, Mum and Pumpkin Sale, National & State Convention.

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FAVORITE THING ABOUT FFA: The lifelong skills it teaches you.

FAVORITE THING ABOUT MRS. MINTON: She speaks her mind.



MOST MEMORABLE FFA MOMENT: Being the 4th place team at the state poultry contest.

WHAT IS ON YOUR IPOD NOW? A wide variety of music

PLACE YOU'D LOVE TO VISIT: Greenland

YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE: Into the Woods

YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOWS: The Fosters

FAVORITE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS: Band

FAVORITE 'SPARE TIME' ACTIVITY: Reading

WOULD LOVE TO TRADE PLACES FOR A DAY WITH: Nobody

FUTURE PLANS: Attend the Ohio State University



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- 21-Open House
- **23–** First Day Back at School

All Month-

Working on the garden!