# Bridgeland FFA Newsletter February 2020

# **January Recap**

This past January's students have been spending these final weeks working hard with their projects for the CFISD Livestock Show. Keep up the hard work and give it everything you got, we'll be cheering for everyone in the stands!

# **February Meeting**

When: Tuesday, February 11 Time: Meeting Begins at 7:00 pm Where: 4th Floor LGI Join us for our sixth official meeting of the year for our valentine's themed meeting. We will be discussing important information about upcoming HLSR events and everything planned for the spring semester. Hope to see you there!

# **Booster Club Meeting**

When: Tuesday, February 11th Time: Meeting begins at 7:00 pm Where: Room 1557 Parents, please attend the booster club meeting and learn how you can get involved too! We have so many exciting things planned for our members and would love to have your support!

# **Important February Dates**

Feb 11 - FFA/Booster Club Meeting Feb 12 - Club Picture Feb 13 - Barn Clean Out Feb 14 - Valentine's Day Feb 17 - No School (President's Day) Feb 20 - 1st Steer Payment/Entries Due Feb 24-28 - National FFA Week Important March Dates Mar 6 - Cowboy Mounted Shooting Mar 11 - Program Sales Mar 16 - Tour Guiding

# **CFISD Show Results**

A huge congratulations to all those who participated in the 26th Annual CFISD Livestock Show! You all did an amazing job and should be proud of all your hard work and effort that was put into your projects. The results are as follows: Turkeys: Ag Mechanics

Blue Ribbon Projects: Isabel Ward Payten Owles Eryn Barnes Owen Hoefer Abby Neff Kasey Klyng Red Ribbon Projects Kyle Compton Drake Bonvillain Mason Birkelbach

Remi Castellese - 4th place Emily Lewis - 6th place Evyn Barnes - 7th place Kade Krause - 10th place Kim Lewis - 11th place Eryn Barnes - 12th place

Broilers Isabel Ward - 13th place Kyle Compton - 16th place

# Goats

Remi Castellese - 1st in class and Reserve Grand Champion overall Luke Schulz - 3rd in class and 13th overall Eryn Barnes - 6th in class Horticulture Ashleigh Whiteside - 8th place Fresh Flower Arrangement Isabel Ward - 10th place Fresh Flower Arrangement Isabel Ward - 8th place Silk Flower Arrangement

## Lambs

Jaycee Osina - 5th in class Baylee Osina - 6th in class Marisa Dodson - 1st in class, 3rd overall and Reserve Champion in Showmanship Mason Birkelbach - 3rd in class Claire Lewis - 10th in class Azariah Hardy - 6th in class Jenya Bray - 8th in class Elise Hoffman - 10th in class Evyn Barnes - 1st in class and 6th overall Kyle Compton - 5th in class Zachary Jeffery - 7th in class

#### Steers

Aaron Hawkins - 1st in class and 4th overall Sofia Lozano - 3rd in class Grace Callan - 6th in class Zach Bacon - 3rd in class and 10th overall

Heifers Grace Callan - 2nd in class Market Rabbits Kade Kraue - Reserve Grand Champion Parker Combs - 4th place Eliana Lake - 12th place

#### **Breeding Rabbits**

Adam Ferroukhi - 6th place Junior Doe Daniel Bueno - 2nd place Senior Buck Bailey Smith - 3rd place Senior Buck Isabella Hernandez - 7th place Senior Buck Jack Stanko - 2nd place Senior Doe Kade Krause - 5th place Senior Doe Jordan Conville - 7th place Senior Doe

#### Pigs

Morgan Cornman - 2nd in class and 9th overall Brayden Turner - 2nd in class and 23rd overall Kyle Compton - 7th in class Joshua Benedict - 6th in class Reagon Carter - 3rd in class and 16th overall Abby Neff - 6th in class Jack Stanko - 7th in class Parker Combs - 2nd in class and 26th overall Hayden Duncan - 9th in class

#### HLSR Calf Scramble

This year we have a few of our very own members scrambling at the Houston Rodeo. Remember to wish them luck as it gets closer to their scrambing date! Evyn Barnes - March 12 Marisa Dodson - March 19 Gabby Townsend - March 16 Sloan Davis - March 22

# District Officer, Area Officer and Lone Star Degree Workshop

If you are interested in becoming an officer or earning your Lone Star Degree this year please begin coming Thursday's after school to Ms. Scardino's room to earn help on completing your AET and ensuring you meet all the necessary requirements.

## Senior Scholarships

Are you a senior looking for scholarship opportunities? Speak with Mrs. Neuendorf to find out what scholarships are out there for you!

## Snack Stick Monday

Every first and third monday stop by the ag shop and check out a bundle of snack sticks to sell for \$2 during the school day! Make sure to return any unsold items and money at the end of the day!

## 2021 CFISD Steers

If you are interested in raising a steer for the 2021 CFISD Livestock Show, please speak with Mrs. Neuendorf for more information.

## Letter Jackets

Interested in Lettering in FFA this Spring? Speak with Ms. Scardino to find out what requirements are needed.

# Senior Spotlight - Aaron Hawkins

This February we would like to highlight our own Aaron Hawkins. He has been apart of FFA for four years now and competed with our Wildlife CDE Team, as well as the Fishing Team. He has also participated in our CFISD Livestock Show raising pigs and steers. This most recent year he placed 1st in class with and 4th overall with his steer. After high school Aaron plans to attend Texas A&M and study agribusiness. Way to go Aaron Hawkins for all your wonderful accomplishments!



## **HLSR Events**

Upcoming in March we will be participating in Tour Guiding, Program Sales, and Cowboy Mounted events at the rodeo. We highly encourage everyone to participate

## Member of the Month-Isabel Woo

This month we would also like to recognize Isabel Woo for her amazing accomplishments. She has not only competed on the State placing Vet Med CDE Team last year, she has also been hard at work this year earning her 2nd place individual and 1st place individual award at Katy Invitational and Cibolo Creek Invitational. On top of that Isabel is an outstanding Creed Speaker that competed for Bridgeland this past fall semester during LDE's. A huge congratulations to Isabel for all of her amazing accomplishments!



# FFA Google Classroom In an effort to keep everyone informed of chapter events, we have a Chapter Google Classroom. This system allows us to send instant updates and info to anyone that is a subscriber.

The google classroom code is **uqv02w**.

#### Livestock Projects Google Classroom

In an effort to keep everyone raising animals informed of events and updates, we have a Livestock Google Classroom. This system allows us to send instant updates and info to anyone that is a subscriber.

The google classroom code is **fvmnnw**.

#### **Major Show Hotels**

If you are showing at any of the major shows, it is your responsibility to make your hotel reservations. Please do not let this get away from you. Make reservations EARLY!

#### **Quality Counts**

Any FFA member that will be showing at major livestock shows this school year MUST complete the Quality Counts program, if you have not already done so. You must complete the online course and pass the exam at the end to be Quality Counts verified. If you just moved up from elementary to JH or JH to HS you must take the next level test. Directions on how to complete this process are attached to the Google Classroom.

#### Chapter Social Media

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