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Mission:

The mission of the National FFA Alumni Association is to secure the promise of the FFA and agriculture education by creating an environment where people and communities can develop their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success.

Greetings from the Alumni Association

As the fall season kicks into full gear, we would like to say welcome and we hope you are just as excited as we are to be involved in the many upcoming events! In this issue of the Chronicle, you will find information on affiliate membership, how to get on the Alumni list-serve, the alumni spotlight, chapter grant recipients, and upcoming events. For FFA members it is back to school and that means time to recruit new members and prepare for the busy year ahead. This is also a time to for you to join the Alumni and support the North Carolina FFA members.

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Alumni List-Serve



Wouldn't you like to get emails about upcoming events and opportunities for alumni members? Join the list-serve! By joining the list-serve, you will receive emails about upcoming events, dues deadlines, and any other alumni opportunities. It's simple to sign up; just follow these three steps:

1. Send an email to mj2@lists.ncsu.edu
2. Leave the subject line blank.
3. Include the following text in the body of the message: subscribe ncffaalumni

Chapter Grant Recipients

NCSU Collegiate

Bandys

Corinth Holders

North Stanly

South Rowan

Southern Guilford

Wake Forest

West Carteret

White Oak

South Johnston

South Granville

North Pitt

Granville Central

West Rowan

To apply visit: <http://ncffa.org/community/alumni/grants-awards/>

Upcoming Events:

- October 29—November 1 National FFA Convention
- November 8 Vet Science CDE
- November 14—15 State Land Judging CDE
- November 18—22 NAAE/ACTE Convention
- November 19—20 Dairy Evaluation CDE



2014-2015 State FFA Officer Team

Pictured left to right: Harrison Jenkins, Ashlynn Spell, Marty Wines, Sarah Lemons, Anthony Scala, & Haley Shore

Alumni Spotlight - South Johnston FFA Alumni

The South Johnston FFA Alumni is proud to support the South Johnston FFA Chapter. When the FFA chapter decided one way they could help others in need was by hosting a Food and Supply Drive for the Ronald McDonald House, the alumni helped out by donating items. Items that were donated by the alumni included razors, shampoos, toothbrushes, toothpaste, and other toiletry items.

Some members of the SJHS alumni also attended the chapter banquet last May and saw many FFA members recognized for their hard work throughout the year. The SJHS alumni supports the members of the FFA chapter by providing scholarships to those who have excelled in agriculture education and wish to pursue a higher education. This past year they awarded four scholarships to outstanding seniors in the FFA chapter.

As a community event, the alumni took part in having a booth at the Four Oaks 125th Celebration. The booth was in conjunction with the FFA chapter. At the celebration, the alumni sold t-shirts and raffle tickets for a chance to win a Yeti cooler or cash prizes.

A few of the SJHS alumni members attended the North Carolina FFA State Convention last June. At the Alumni meeting that is held during convention, the SJHS Alumni was awarded the membership growth award for being the alumni with the most new members for the 2013-2014 year. The South Johnston FFA Chapter was also a recipient of a North Carolina FFA Alumni Chapter Grant.



Above is the South Johnston FFA Alumni Silent Auction.



To the left is a picture of the South Johnston FFA Alumni meeting that was held in September.