



National FFA WEEK

February 15-22



FEBRUARY 8, 2025 • SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT TO THE WEST PLAINS DAILY QUILL

FFA WEEK CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 11

FFA Meeting and Game Night
Final FFA Week planning. 4-6 p.m., Ag Building

FEBRUARY 16

Wear Your Official Dress to Church
Everyone is welcome to join FFA officers attending service at First Baptist Church, 202 Walnut St. in West Plains. Meet at 10:15 a.m. in the parking lot. Wear official dress.

FEBRUARY 17

No School: Make a Difference Monday
Spend 1 hour doing for others.

FEBRUARY 18

Agriculture Career Day, American Day
Speakers from different Agriculture Careers

FEBRUARY 19

Food for America, Blue and Gold Wednesday
Wear FFA Jackets
Food for America: Third Grade Agriculture Literacy Program
National Officer presentation eighth hour

FEBRUARY 20

FFA Supporters Appreciation Day, FFA T-shirt Thursday
7-8 a.m.: Breakfast in the Ag shop for community supporters. RSVP by emailing tonya.jedlicka@zizzers.org.

FEBRUARY 21

FFA Petting Zoo, Farmer Friday
Petting Zoo for preschool to first grade students in Ag shop



FFA OFFICERS



Reporter Arika Hamilton



Historian Bailey Eades



Sentinel Brett Walker



President Camille Coleman



Chaplain Elizabeth Eades



Parliamentarian
Isabelle Snodgrass



Secretary Leah French



Vice President Macie Doss



Treasurer Morgan Beukers

Onyx Makes Custom Counter Tops & Showers

- ✓ U.S. Made In Kansas
- ✓ Lifetime Warranty
- ✓ Available In 30 Plus Colors Options

We Can Create The Look That Is Your Style

THE ONYX COLLECTION

Horn Plumbing Heating & Air Conditioning
417-256-5191 Since 1967

A family owned business that treats you like family!

502 Missouri Ave. West Plains, MO
(1 block north of West Plains Savings & Loan)

VISA Open Mon. - Fri. 8-5 Sat. 8 - Noon

See Us FOR ALL YOUR TITLE COMPANY NEEDS!

BRILL TITLE COMPANY

A Century of Service in Land Title & Escrow Closings

204 West Main Plaza, West Plains, MO 65775
Phone: (417) 256-2951 • Fax: (417) 256-0284
WWW.BRILLTITLE.COM

Proud To Support FFA!

Southern Hills Auto Plaza
1343 Southern Hills Center • 417-257-7531

Proud to support FFA

CAWVEY'S

ELECTRIC MOTOR SERVICE, INC.

417-256-4711
1-800-748-8159

SERVING THE WEST PLAINS AREA SINCE 1964

115 EAST 2ND STREET, WEST PLAINS, MO



Assistant FFA Officers 2024-25

Assistant officers are elected in the fall to fill in for chapter officers and help with chapter activities. Front row, from left: Secretary Katelyn Wheeler, Vice President Marlee Kaufman, Chaplain Jadyn Lovan and Parliamentarian Alexandria Creech. Back row: Sentinel Grayson Hale, Reporter Alicia Clawson, Historian Kennedy Wooderson and Treasurer Brylee Barnes.



FFA Advisors
West Plains High School FFA advisers are, from left, Tonya Jedlicka, Jay Hale and Rachel Brotherton.

WELCOME 2025!

JB's
Health Mart
Vitamins

1504 Preacher Roe Blvd.
West Plains, MO
Hours: M-F 9-5:30 Sat 9-4

Fred Major, ND - Owner • Over 45 years experience!

- Weight Loss
- Builds your immunity
- Cold & Flu
- Vitamins
- Minerals
- Essential Oils
- Amber Necklaces
- Copper Bracelets
- Survival Foods

[NATIONAL FFA WEEK FFA]

HART FAMILY
EYECARE

417.255.2010 • 808 KENTUCKY • WEST PLAINS, MO

www.hartfamilyeyecare.com

1

2

3

4

5

OUTPOST MOTORSPORTS
312 E. Main St., West Plains, MO • 417-256-4169
ATVs • UTVs • MOTORCYCLES
New & Quality Pre-owned

WE PROUDLY CARRY:
HSUN
GRAB SOME SUN

best service • best parts & accessories • best staff

Proud Supporter of THE
National FFA Organization

NATIONAL FFA WEEK

HIRSCH
FEED & FARM
SUPPLY
MORE THAN A FARM STORE

AVA 209 MO-5, Ava, MO 65608	MOUNTAIN HOME 67 Basswood Dr, Mountain Home, AR 72653	THAYER 660 Nettleton Ave, Thayer, MO 65791	WEST PLAINS 789 Worley Dr, West Plains, MO 65775
--	--	---	---

WWW.HIRSCHFEED.COM /HirschFeed

National **FFA WEEK**
FEBRUARY 15-22, 2025



AG INDUSTRY AND COLLEGE TRIP



Photos from top to bottom show FFA students at Express Clydesdale Ranch, Oklahoma State University Dairy Research Farm and the Historic Livestock Exchange. Students who went on the trip are Ava Campbell, Brady Seager, Garrett Whisenant, Gracie Lundry, Indie Barry, Lila Miller, Parvity Culton, Presley Moore, Alec Rogers, Alex Creech, Alicia Clawson, Ashley Nix, Brylee Barnes, Daigeen Parrish, Grayson Hale, Jadyn Lovan, Katelyn Wheeler, Kenndi Wooderson, Lucas Boze, Marilee Kaufman, Molly Logue, Lily York, Lizzy Eades, Macie Doss, Arika Hamilton, Brett Walker, Isabelle Snodgras, Leah French, Luke Pitts and Morgan Beukers.

In the fall of 2024, West Plains FFA had a unique opportunity to take a trip around the Midwest region of the country.


This is a change from past years of attending the National FFA Convention.

The change was brought about after asking the question, "How can we maximize our time and experience for our FFA members?" The result: a three-day trip across the panhandle state of Oklahoma.


The trip included a college tour of Oklahoma State University, multiple ranches and other agriculture tours of Express Ranch, the Historic Stockyards and the Oklahoma City Fairgrounds.

"We were able to provide a diverse experience, for all students," said Ag teacher Rachel Brotherton. Overall, the trip was a wonderful experience that exposed students to new places, different communities and even further knowledge of agriculture.

National
FFA
WEEK
FEBRUARY 15-22, 2025



REGISTERED CHAROLAIS BULLS AND FEMALES



Dale Jedlicka
417-331-5140
Melody Simpson
417-331-1410
Mike Jedlicka
417-331-5139



417-256-9452

FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED
Mike, Lora, Damon & Haley Mayfield & Team
2090 Clark Ave, West Plains, MO 65775




FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

West Plains FFA 24-25 officer team





THANK YOU FARMERS & FUTURE FARMERS!!



www.lynchequipment.com
3711 N. Highway 63 • West Plains, MO
417-256-1905

LOCAL MATTERS.

Please support the proud advertisers that power your community paper.

See us for all your farm and ag needs!



Community First 1
BANKING COMPANY
"Living up to our name."

WEST PLAINS (417) 255-2265 MOUNTAIN GROVE (417) 926-3820 THAYER (417) 264-7104

www.cfbankco.com 


Proud to support all of our local FFA CHAPTERS 



National **FFA WEEK**

FEBRUARY 15-22, 2025

The Future of Farming is OUR Future.



Newberry Sales LLC

Steel • Farm Supplies • Trailers, Parts & Repair
3229 North US Hwy. 63, West Plains
417.256.1928

Congratulations FFA!



We proudly congratulate our area FFA chapters on another successful year!

We salute the National FFA Organization for continuing to make a positive impact in the lives of our students by developing their leadership skills through agricultural education.

WOOD & HUSTON BANK
Your Trusted Advisors Since 1874

1319 PORTER WAGONER BLVD., WEST PLAINS, MO
417-256-7183

1310 PREACHER ROE BLVD., WEST PLAINS, MO
417-257-7032 (INSIDE WAL-MART)

Member FDIC

woodhuston.com

Justin Shelby

1721 Gibson St.
West Plains, MO

417-256-3434

Shelbysf.com

Specializing in Farm/Ranch



State Farm



2024 BARNWARMING

Barnwarming was held Nov. 14 at Rubydoo's Vintage Events Center. Ruby and Mark Collins, venue owners, have hosted the event since the barn first opened and Ruby was the current West Plains High School Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) adviser.

The annual event is a night filled with food, music and fun. As a tradition, a Barnwarming King and Queen are crowned during the festivities. This year's king and queen candidates were ninth grade candidates Ava Campbell and Garrett Whisenant, 10th grade candidates Grayson Hale and Katelyn Wheeler, 11th grade candidates Garrett Brigman and Macie Doss, and 12th grade candidates Brett Walker and Bailey Eades. Grayson Hale and Katelyn Wheeler were crowned as the 2024 Barnwarming King and Queen, and a crown and celebratory hat were presented to the winners.



Barnwarming Seniors Brett Walker and Bailey Eades



Barnwarming Juniors
Garrett Brigman and
Macie Doss



Barnwarming Freshmen
Ava Campbell
and Garrett Whisenant

TOYOTA OF WEST PLAINS



417-256-1212 OR 1-800-256-9256
1902 Porter Wagoner Blvd. • West Plains, MO 65775
toyotaofwestplains.com



725 Missouri Ave, West Plains, Mo 65775

417-257-3368

Monday - Friday 8 AM to 5 PM



**Barnwarming
Sophomores**
King Grayson
Hale and
Queen Katelyn
Wheeler

**“Our Business Is Picking Up”
Small enough to care!**
West Plains Rural Trash Service

**TRASHWAGON
EXPRESS, INC.**




417-256-6223 • P.O. Box 631, West Plains

PROUD TO BE A SPONSOR OF FFA

See you at the fair!
JUNE 2-7, 2025



Heart of the Ozarks Fair

Howell County Fair Assoc.
A Nonprofit Organization
P.O. Box 861, West Plains
Office 417-256-2198
www.heartoftheozarksfair.net

National **FFA WEEK**
FEBRUARY 15-22, 2025

MORLAN-SHELL FORD



417-256-3193 OR 1-800-313-3193
1824 Porter Wagoner Blvd. • West Plains, MO 65775
www.morlanshellford.com 490027BJ



Get your
news from a
**TRUSTED
SOURCE**

West Plains Daily Quill

OZARK KOUNTRY REALTY
Licensed in Missouri & Arkansas PB00050657
3489 N HWY 63 • West Plains, MO 65775
OFFICE: 417-256-5729



Laurie S. Nissen
Broker/President, Licensed in MO & AR
417-293-5729 Cell
ask4nissen@gmail.com



Neal Nissen
Realtor/Auctioneer
417-372-2454
nnmax@hotmail.com

*Search For Your
Dream Home 24/7*
at
www.ozarkcountryrealty.com

**OZARK KOUNTRY
REALTY**
Real Estate
& Auctioneering




**Proud to serve
members in
Rural America
since 1939.**



We support FFA!




Howell-Oregon Electric Cooperative
Member Owned

6327 N. Hwy. 63 • West Plains, MO 65775 • (417) 256-2131 • hoecoop.org



FFA OFFICERS



This year's West Plains High School FFA officers are, front row, from left, Chaplain Elizabeth Eades, Historian Bailey Eades, Secretary Leah French and Reporter Arika Hamilton. Back row: Treasurer Morgan Beukers, President Camille Coleman, Sentinel Brett Walker, Vice President Macie Doss and Parliamentarian Isabelle Snodgras.



Hometown Proud ... Hometown Service and Hometown Friendliness are just two of the many ways we serve you at

RICHARDS BROTHERS FEED STORE

Purina Mills Dealer
• Feeds • Fertilizer • Farm Supplies

® *The Area's Leader in Agriculture* ®

114 W. Second • 417-256-3911 • West Plains, MO

489176LL

WE *believe* IN FUTURE FARMERS

WEST PLAINS FFA

Macie Doss

West Plains FFA
Chapter
Vice President

Daughter of
Dennis & Sharlyn Doss

westplainsbank.com
417.256.2147



**WEST PLAINS
BANK**
AND TRUST COMPANY

Member
FDIC