

Students at SLCCCL have been working to build an ultimate collection of Program of Activity ideas from across Minnesota. This summary is shared at the link above. Please share and use this document to find new and creative ideas in all areas of the Program of Activities suggested by National FFA. If you have any questions about an activity listed or need any other support from me, a State Officer or Regional Officer, please let me know.

Thanks!

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Student Development Committee Report Summary

• **Leadership activities** that help the individual develop technical, human relations and decision-making skills to enhance personal growth.

SLCCCL

SGLC

WLC

PALS

Mentoring

Officer Workshops

Retreats

Safety Day

Garden-younger kids in charge

Corn Maze

Animal Day

FFA Day at elementary

PALS-meet with 2nd graders and teach them to teach the K and 1st grade

Aquaculture

Scholarships for camps and conferences

Choose community service activity every year

Chapter Officer Leadership Training (COLT)

Chapter Officer retreat-work on POA

Fall Leadership days

Teach Ag to elementary

Joint leadership camp: mini SLCCCL

Timberland

Visit classrooms and tell about FFA

leadership activity before meetings

Members fill in for officers for opening ceremonies
Team building
Officer meetings
Food Stand (sweet corn and pulled pork)
Chapter Overnight leadership conference
chapter pays for half of leadership camp/conference

• **Healthy lifestyle activities** that promote the well-being of students, mentally or physically, in achieving the positive evolution of the whole person.

Harvest run
Fruit Sales
Plant sales
Greenhouse (produce)
School garden
Tractor parade
Kickball meeting
Grow food for school
trapshoot
Swing dance lessons
Fun games
Plant and weed garden
Farmer breakfast
Dance
Recreation after meetings
Dodgeball
5K Color Run
Community Garden
Local producers
Region softball/dodgeball tournament
Healthy foods at meetings
School garden
Steak fry with community (sponsors eat free)
Ag Olympics
Trivia
Ice breakers
Healthy Lifestyles Day
Basketball tournament
Tubing

Trapshoot
Snowmobile run

• **Career Success activities** that promote student involvement and growth through agriculture related experience and/or entrepreneurship.

CDEs
Job shadow
SAEs
Ag in the Classroom
Inform about scholarships
Corn drive
monthly meetings about SAE
Alumni give scholarship
Ag Bowl Scholarship
CDE night
AET
Ag Tours
FFA Ag Day-bring in different companies
Agronomist visits
Teach basic skills with buying and owning a horse
Visit member's farms/SAEs
chapter Grill out
Visit community farm
Visit businesses to show opportunities
Mentors with business professionals
Business sponsor student SAEs
Quiz: CDE compatibility
Tour businesses
Tour: What CDE are involved in
Tour manufacturing
Professionals visit
Career Fair (business and colleges)
Apprenticeship program
Mentorship class
Orientation for middle school

- **Scholarship activities** that develop a positive attitude toward lifelong learning experience.

Ag Booster club

Continued membership of graduated seniors

Alumni

Career and Tech night

Turkey and hog production person come in
alumni scholarship

Ag Bowl Scholarship

Made stuff out of soybeans with elementary

Ag in the classroom

FFA Day at the fair

Tractor drive-in breakfast

pig races

Greenhands sponsored to nationals

kiddie barn

Community members fund FFA memberships and scholarships

Alumni Auction/Labor Auction

Toy tractor auction to fund scholarships

Scholarship for top senior

Have volunteers do interviews with members for practice

Get businesses to sponsor scholarships

Fundraisers for scholarships-Corn drive, alumni auction

DeKalb Award

Outstanding farmer/leader

SAE Grant

Ramp-up for Readiness

- **Personal growth activities** are conducted that improve the identity and self-awareness of FFA members. These activities should reflect FFA members' unique talents and potential by reinforcing their human and employability skills. The activities should strive to enhance the quality of life and contribute to FFA members' life goals and development.

Ag Day (animals for kids)

Progresstree

Safety Day
Stress CDEs that fit best
Offset cost to SGLC and RGC
Regional Leadership Conference
free jacket to freshmen
younger classmen in charge of committee
outreach classes
Member of the month
Mentor program
Training new members in CDEs
Help students find employment
FFA luncheon
Officer retreat
Sending members to camp
Have senior and junior high meetings
Discovery camp for junior high - inform and encourage
Committees
Mentorship
peer helping
Apprenticeship program
Mentorship program (officers helping younger members)
AgriScience Fair Mentor

Chapter Development Committee Report Summary

• **Chapter recruitment activities** conducted to increase agricultural education enrollment and/or FFA membership and encourage greater participation.

SuperStars-Ag Olympics
Summer All Stars-attend summer activities
End of year bonfire
Fishing contest
Field trips
Greenhand day
Chapter meetings
Have fun
Fun pictures
Friday Fun with Agriculture (FFA) - every Friday at lunch for Jr. High
Cookout

Fall BBQ
Picnic
Halloween Party/competition
who can put tire on fastest competition-gift cards or candy prizes
Provide meals for members or interested people
Talk to each class
FFA Dance
Baby Animal Day-give information about animals and FFA
Posters
Food
Bean Bag Tournament
Pulled pork at Homecoming
Valleyfair
Hawaii Luau (party)
Visit Jr. High
Carnival
Pedal Tractor Pull
Present FFA to elementary
Interest meeting
FFA Lock-in
Presentation to 9th graders
Ag Olympics
Cookouts
School presentation at Pepfest
FFA week
Have activities for all grades of elementary and jr. high
PALS
Advisors

• **Financial activities** conducted to encourage thrift and good financial management among members through earnings, savings and investments.

Using donations
Fruit Sales
Booth at Fair
Sell candy
Pork dinner
Barn dance
corn drive

Haunted Hayrides and corn maze
coffee shop
Plant sale
corn drive
FFA School dance
beef sticks
sweetheart dance
Barn Dance
Maple syrup
Flower sales at Valentines
FFA vending machine
medallion hunt
crop plot
Milkshake stand
car wash
pig races
donkey basketball
Ice cream “social”
Auctions
candles
Puffins or Butter braids
Popcorn
Concession stand
Build a burger
grill out
Drive-a-Ford

• **Public relations activities** conducted to promote a positive image and inform students, parents, school officials and community about chapter and member accomplishments.

Social media
banquet
newspaper activities
newsletter
radio interview
Christmas cards
thermometer drawing
CHS MOBC
Parade floats

corn maze
Member of the week with rewards (put in paper)
FFA Day at the Capital
Adopt a Highway
Newsletter for students and alumni
Day on the Hill
Town bulletin board
website
members at school board meetings
hot dog or pancake feed - free of charge
pig races
tractor parade
community picnic
Bohemian tractor pull
Drive in
Twitter
Facebook
Instagram
Quote wall
Parent's night
Parent/Advisor meeting before meeting

• **Cooperation activities** conducted to develop teamwork and cooperative skills among chapter officers, committees and members.

Team building games
Officer retreat
doing things as a team
committee days
chapter retreat
Last day of school - community service all day
Dodgeball/softball
herd groups (officer has group with year long competition)
Draw name for member
Rodeo
Lock-in
Chapter trips
Ski Trip
Leadership games

• **Support group activities** conducted to develop and maintain positive relations among the FFA, parents, community leaders and industry.

CHS Harvest for Hunger

Movie Night

Chapter meetings

Crop Show

Corn feed

Trick-or-Treat for the food shelf

Steak Feed

Write letters to elderly

Recognition breakfast

Volunteer at Nursing Home/Hospital

Window clings for businesses

ice cream social

Thanks at banquet

Send flowers as chapter

Pancake breakfast

Farmer share meal-charge the amount the farmer makes/gets back from products

FFA member work auction

Senior breakfast

Police officer comes in with advice and support

Alumni fun night

Alumni float in parade

Invite alumni to banquet

thank you's

Volunteer

Communication lines open

Thank you's in newspaper

Award for Most Supportive

Community Development Committee Report Summary

• **Economic development activities** conducted to improve the economic welfare of the community.

Supplies from local stores

seed for garden from local stores

chapter events at local businesses

purchase practice CDE materials from stores
Food drop
plant flowers
donate fruit
work at gun fair
Vending machine
donation of corn drive money
tractor pull
rent out supplies
Breakfast for alumni and farmers-went to scholarships
chapter field and garden-sell food-money went to local hardware store
make picnic tables for the town
rake elderly yards
Garden (community)
Feed my starving children
Trick or Treat for food shelf

• **Environmental activities** conducted to preserve the natural resources and develop more environmentally responsible individuals.

Pollinator garden
Paper drive
weed control
recycling (paper, cans, etc)
Environmental Ag Day
Native Grass and seedlings
Greenhouse
School garden
community garden
school apple orchard
greenhouse and donate to nursing home
wildflower area
ditch cleaning (Adopt-a-Highway)
rake elderly yards
Celebrate Arbor Day
Tree planting
free well water testing
weed out invasive species
Clean up bridge
greenhouse composting

Plant trees on Earth Day

• **Human resources activities** conducted to improve the welfare and well-being of members and citizens of the community.

Harvest run

Breakfast on the Farm

Food for Kids

“Adopt-a-Family” for Christmas

The Backpack Project-food for kids over weekend

Toys for Tots

Chapter Garden-food to food shelf

Carve Jack-o-lanterns for nursing home

Hold a farmer’s class and have DOT help talk

help advertise summer jobs

share knowledge and skills

Volunteer at Food shelf

Rake elderly yard

penny war for food shelf

Summer Ag Program menu

Greenhouse

Community garden

Petting zoo

Float

Kiddy barn

Sustainable Ag Convention

Local food expo

• **Citizenship activities** conducted to encourage members to become active, involved citizens of their school, community and country.

Barn at County Fair

Poverty Dinner

School board meetings

Crop plots

Bucket checking

FFA Class-graded on outside involvement

Paint houses

Safety Day

Letters to troops
Gifts to troops
Carols to elderly
Tie blankets
Volunteer to teach people
Team up with Good Samaritan Society
Farmers Market
Senior Scholarships
Scholarships funded by vending machines
Partner with Culvers to serve local businesses
Community-wide Brat cookout
Serve meals working hand in hand with Dairy Association

• **Agricultural promotion activities** are conducted to promote agriculture and/or agriculture education to help the public become better informed and understand the importance of agriculture in their daily life.

Work with elementary students (Ag in the Classroom)
Ag Safety Day
Pig Races
Floats in Parades
Children's barnyard
Mini-MOBC
Urban Ag in the Classroom
Teach basic agriculture to elementary
teach ag to Chamber of Commerce
Farm and Home Show
Breakfast on the Farm
Teach Ag Promotion
Corn Maze
Chapter Challenge
Work at County Fair
Rally day for extra-curriculars
Ag Trivia with elementary
Dairy Days at Culvers
FFA Week activities
Tasting of local grown foods
Nutrition Facts with what farm product is in it

