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Ms.Schaller and former FFA State Secretary Ashlyn Rockey after her retiring address



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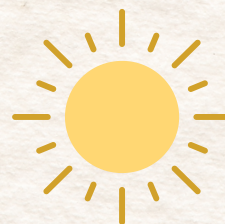
FFA EVENTS AND NEWS



STATE CONVENTION

During the week of June 6th, we attended Colorado FFA state convention the theme this year was Live The Legacy. Sargent had three members attend. Deo and Ellaree were delegates who represented the chapter and attended meetings to vote on different amendments to the FFA constitution and other problems within the organization.

Westen attended and was a part of the nominating committee. The nominating committee is a group of students that holds interviews and selects the new state officer teams.



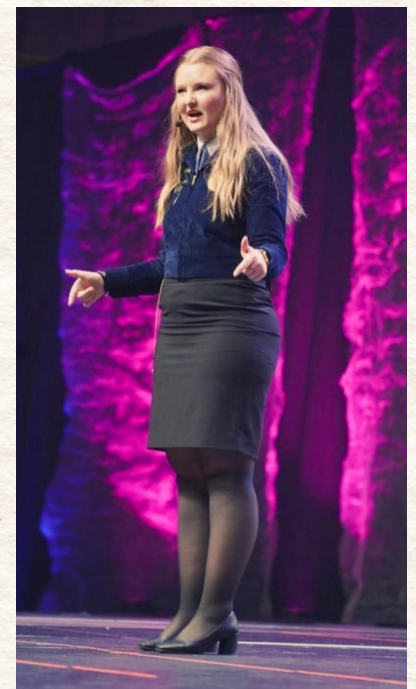
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STATE CONVENTION PT.2

This year Ashlyn Rockey, Sargent FFA alumni, was the State secretary and we watched her facilitate sessions along with her teammates. She then retired her state jacket and the new officers were installed. While we were at convention we attended workshops hosted by Mackenna Clifton a National FFA Officer, and the Corey Kent concert. Westen also received his state degree and competed in extemporaneous speaking! Ellaree got to make the motion to elect the new officers. We all had a great time at state convention!



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SAE HIGHLIGHT: TRENTON LOVELACE AND MATTHEW VOSS

BY, LOVELACE

An SAE is a Supervised Agricultural Experience. This is one of three parts of an Ag Ed program (FFA, SAE, classroom Instruction) Matthew Voss and Trenton Lovelace started their SAE last summer. They started their SAE with the motivation of funding a ranch. This is the beginning of their business. "The goal is one day to own a ranch as big as King Ranch or Kimes Ranch." Trenton and Matthew understand that there is a strong market for hats. They believe that their designs would be popular and profitable and hopefully provide them the means to start working toward their goals.

Starting with the hats and possibly more apparel is to earn more money and get their name and brand out. Having this entrepreneurship SAE allows Trenton and Matthew to document and record their activity in the AET.

With regular record keeping and detailed reports, Matthew and Trenton are hoping to one day be awarded an SAE grant through FFA.

If you are interested in learning more about NO HOPE CATTLE CO. please contact Trenton- at 719-588-3228 or Matthew- at 719-850-1812. Please use your name and reason for contact.

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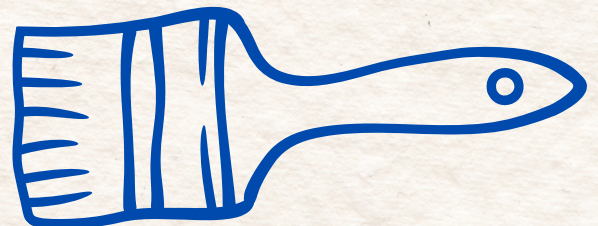
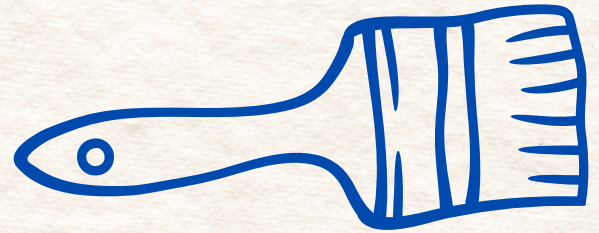
FARM BUREAU

PAINTING

BY, JESSICA BUSER

On June 15, after the officers had their officer retreat in Buena Vista, we returned to Monte Vista to the Farm Bureau building. Unfortunately, the Farm Bureau building had some very artful graffiti on it. The Farm Bureau provided materials for repainting and we did the labor. The primer for the paint took several hours, as we were very meticulous in filling in the mortar lines and making sure the layer was even with as few drips as possible. We had a lot of fun, listening to music and teasing Ms. Schaller about her perfectionism. We had to adapt and overcome when it came to painting higher than our arms could reach. We decided to break for lunch, with some DQ. After we scavenged for some ladders, we were ready to make some more headway. The weather had other plans, as it started raining. But once the rain stopped, we were back to work.

It took two days to get the job done, one day of primer and one day of painting. We had some very motivated freshmen come out and help, which was very appreciated. We had to make a quick Co-op run for a re-supply. After that, it wasn't long before the building had a freshly painted side.



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Texting and farming!!!



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FUNDRAISERS AND UPCOMING EVENTS



FFA HATS

FFA hats are for sale for 15\$



POTATO FUNDRAISER

Sargent FFA will be selling 10lb bags of potatoes for \$10 a bag. Please contact a Sargent FFA member to place your order today!



Trailer

We are trying to sell a trailer made by the Sargent AG/Shop class in 2021. The trailer is a ball hitch, single axle, and is 10 Feet long. Taking reasonable offers Contact us for info and images.

BIG CONFERENCE

The big conference is a conference where all the freshmen ag students will go to Monte Vista to learn about FFA. The conference introduces first-year ag students to ag education and the FFA organization. They participate in different events and interact with other first year students.



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U.S. AG NEWS

BY: COOPER GOSAR

The US Is Losing the Corn-Exporting Crown.

Brazil took the number one spot from the US as the world's largest corn exporter. Even though Brazil had a harsh August and harsh weather conditions they still grew more corn. In the past, the United States held the record and did not know how far they could go until now. Corn exports have been trending higher thanks to logistic breakthroughs. The world has now been using northern export routes because they are more efficient that is why Brazil is now number one.

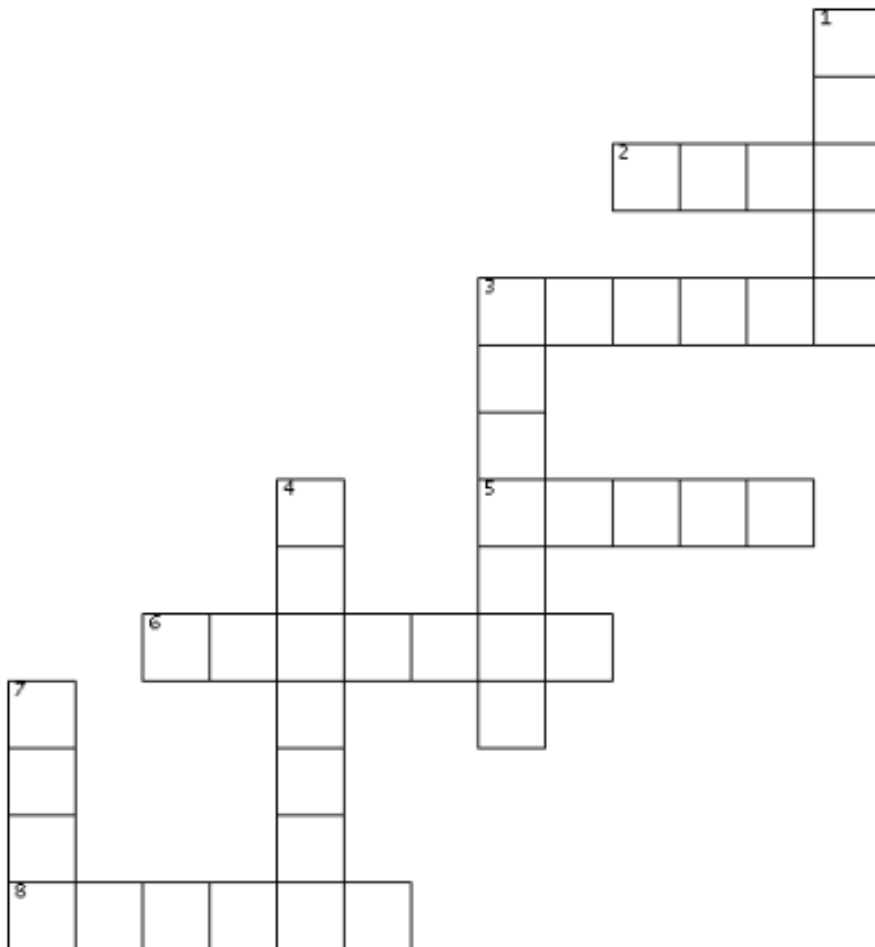
Brazil passed us as the number one exporter because by the United states not being able export as much corn due to facts of less yield.



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HARVEST CROSSWORD



DOWN

1. Crop that is used in making flour.
3. Machine used to harvest grain and seeds.
4. The process or period of gathering crops.
7. A cultivated plant that is grown as food.

ACROSS

2. Attachment used to pull together windrows.
3. Long orange root vegetable.
5. Machine used to bale a crop.
6. The business of growing crops and raising livestock.
8. The most grown crop in the San Luis Valley.

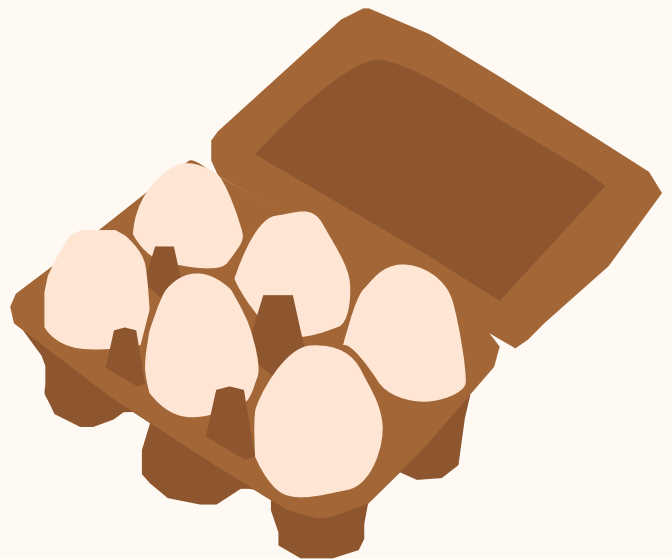
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CO AG NEWS
RENT-A-CHICKEN TAKES COLORADO

By Garrett Thomson

People around the country always crave the thought of farm-fresh eggs. From their quality and taste to just the thought of being farm-to-table. Well, now the people of northern Colorado and parts of Wyoming can get a more real-life experience. The chicken and the egg are now available for rent in northern Colorado and Cheyenne, Wyoming. Over-easy, sunny-side-up, and melted into breakfast omelets... there's a new and popular way to get farm-fresh eggs delivered and enjoyed daily through Rent The Chicken. Rent The Chicken is a recently launched, progressive franchise offering the whole kit and caboodle for rent. The real deal includes a portable coop, at least two egg-laying hens, feed for the rental season, and phone and web chat support. Delivery is free within 50 miles of Greeley, Fort Collins, Boulder, and the northern suburbs of Denver. Chickens are rented for the season; from May-November for \$485 with a \$50 deposit to get on the delivery schedule. At the end of the season, you can adopt the chickens, or chicken out. Rent The Chicken has grown, with franchises all over the U.S. and Canada through the farmers they work with. So even if you don't live in Colorado chances are the Rent-A-Chicken might still be available to you.



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MEET THE SARGENT FFA TEAM



Advisor- Ms. Schaller

Ms. Schaller is the Sargent FFA Advisor. She has been the Ag teacher and Sargent FFA Advisor for the past two years. She's an alumni of Sargent and graduated in 2016. Ms.Schaller loves teaching animal science and spends her free time working on her family ranch or at the local livestock auction barn.

FFA President- Westen Burkhart



Westen Burkart is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 President. Westen is currently a senior and head boy of Sargent. He has been involved in FFA for the last four years of high school.

Earlier this year Westen earned his State FFA Degree. He is very proud to have the chance to serve on the 2023 State Officer nominating committee. In his freshmen and sophomore years, he participated in Milk Judging as his first CDE. In his junior year, he decided to do Food Science. He expects to continue this through his Senior year.

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MEET THE OFFICERS/ADVISOR



Vice President- Annabelle Heinemen

Annabelle is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Vice president. She is currently a Senior at Sargent High School. Last year, she participated in Horse Judging CDE.



Reporter- Ellaree Rockey

Ellaree is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Reporter. She is currently a Junior at Sargent High School. During her Freshman and sophomore year, she participated in the Livestock Judging CDE.

She is very proud of her SAE and getting her first Gold Metal in Livestock Judging during state CDE's last year

By- Deonisia Z Camacho

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**Treasurer- Jessica Buser**

Jessica is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Treasurer. She is currently a Junior at Sargent High School. She has participated in The Floriculture CDE for the last two years.

She is proud to say she got a Gold Metal in her first year in the Floralculture CDE.

**Parliamentarian/Historian-
Deonisia Camacho**

Deonisia is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Parliamentarian/Historian. She is currently a Junior at Sargent High School. She has participated in The Floriculture CDE for her freshman and sophomore year.

She expects to continue in FFA for her last two years of High School. She is very proud to have had the chance to be on the 2023-2024 FFA officer team at Sargent.



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MEET THE OFFICERS/ADVISOR**Secretary- Kyra Griffin**

Kyra is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Secretary. She is currently a sophomore. She participated in The Floriculture CDE during her first year.

Exec Committee- Mitchell Peterson

Mitchell is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Executive Committee. He is currently a sophomore. He has participated in Field Crops and Range Judging during his first year of FFA.

Mitchell is proud to say that he is a 2023-2024 Sargent FFA Officer.

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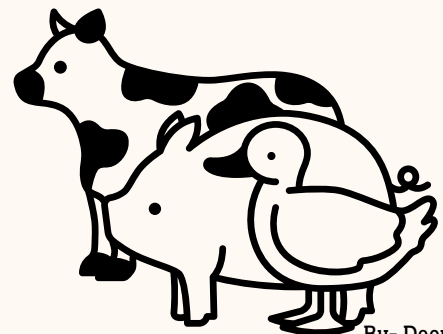
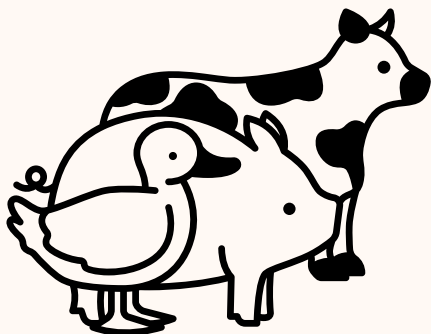
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Sentinel- Jayce Capron



Jayce is serving as the Sargent FFA 2023-2024 Sentinel. He is currently a sophomore at Sargent High School. During his freshmen year, he participated in the Field Crops CDE and got a Gold medal at regionals in Lamar.

Contact our Officers and Advisor with questions about upcoming events and fundraisers!



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