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OLD BUSINESS:

JANUARY 18: 14 of our chapters members competed in our sections Super Saturday. Displaying our competition diversity our members competed in Creed, Impromptu, Prepared, Job Interview, and Project Competition. Competing in these various events allows for growth in individuals speaking skills, communication skills, and time management.



Our first-year members (greenhands) competed in Creed. This event is only for green hands. During the preparation for this event, our freshmen were tasked with memorizing the five-paragraph speech, in which they displayed discipline and responsibility. Congratulations to Shelby Wagster (1st place), Haley Richmond (2nd place), Matthew Mallory (3rd place), and JJ Thorban (8th place) for placing and moving on to the South Coast FFA Regional Competition.

Three of our second-year members competed in impromptu, Abby Paulson, Hannah Wolsfeld, and Pheonix Byers. In which they displayed their ability to think efficiently in order to prepare a 30 second to two minutes speech in relation to any agricultural issue, talking point, or topic. One of our second-year members competed in Project Competition, Sienna Stutzman, where she presented her SAE projects in order to convey her expertise on them. Congratulations to Sienna for her first-place win. Two of our third-year members competed in Job Interview, Mia Dominguez and Jackie Badillo, where they displayed their interviewing skills to apply for a position in a workforce. Gracie Dudek, one of our fourth-year members competed in Prepared Public Speaking, where she gave a five-minute speech on mustang management.

Congratulations to Hannah Woldfeld (4th place) and Jackie Badillo (3rd place) for placing and moving on the South Coast Regional Competition.

JANUARY 22nd: Live Oaks High Schools Course Information night supplied information for incoming freshmen about our school's diverse coursing including ag classes. Our Chapter Officers were available to answer any questions about our ag classes.



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JANUARY 24th and 25th: 12 of our members attended California FFA's Made for Excellence and Advanced Leadership Academy, where they learned the importance of leadership within the chapter and within their own lives. They had a blast in Monterey during the conference, and after at Cannery Row.



FEBRUARY 4th: Congratulations to Ms. Serena Wood for her endeavor to represent Morgan Hill FFA in running for California State FFA Office. Yesterday, she attended the pre-screening interview at Pioneer Valley High School, where she displayed her ability to communicate, articulate and show her personality. We look forward to hearing soon about her continued journey towards this goal!

NEW BUSINESS:

FEBRUARY 26th: CA STATE CONFERENCE! 2020 State Conference applications are available on Ms. Jorgensons and Mr. Sjostedt google classrooms. They are due February 14th and initial deposits are due February 26.



FEBRUARY 26th: In celebration of National FFA Week, the Wednesday we get back from break we are holding an AG Olympics. All classes are invited to have fun and share good times. We will then honor our Chapter Degrees at 5:30 pm in the SLH. Come join us!

MARCH 7th: Morgan Hill FFA is attending the annual UC Davis Field day, competing in Creed, and Meat Judging. We look forward to the start of a great judging season!

MARCH 19: Morgan Hill FFA is hosting its semi-annual Dive Thru-BBQ at Guglielmo Winery. Tickets will be available soon! **NEW-** We will be accepting payment via "Venmo" this fundraiser. Thank you for your continued support.

APRIL 5th: Natasha Pyke, Marlena Dominguez, and Mia Dominguez are receiving their State Degree. Congratulations on your hard work to earn a high degree in the FFA! They will be accepting this coveted award on April 5th in Arroyo Grande.

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"Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve."