

# Ag Awareness

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
FFA Member Signs	All Members Have Signs	A. Chapter Purchase Signs B. Members put the signs up
National FFA Week	Honor and celebrate FFA Week	A. Use materials provided by state association to promote B. Construct display C. Sponsor week long activity D. Place mats in local Restaurants E. Radio Announcements F. Have daily dress-ups G. Have daily questions H. Keep Kernel count I. Hold coloring and poster contest in elementaries J. Serve cake to student body K. Make sure to get prizes out
Parent, Honorary, and Prospective members in the FFA through an Alumni Chapter	Develop outside interests	A. Invite parents to activities initiations B. Recommend people who have aided the chapter for election to honorary chapter farmers C. Bring visitors to meeting D. Invite prospective members to June, July, and August meetings E. Have speaker who may help FFA F. Distribute program of work to parents, friends, and businessmen G. Give gift subscriptions to New Horizons magazine
Banquet	Invite members and parents	A. Send banquet invitations B. Plan meal and calculate price C. Present awards for the year D. Present honorary chapter farmers E. Invite Alumni F. Make more extravagant G. Order Pins/Plaques H. Create All Certificates
PALS	Increase self-esteem of high school and elementary student	A. Have teachers select PALS B. Application for high school mentors C. Applicants are interviewed by the committee D. Select activities and make lesson plans E. Select mentors and mentor groups; set schedule F. Have sessions once a week G. Evaluate

# Ag Awareness-Continued

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Food For America	Teach elementary students about the agriculture industry	A. Gather Ag Students to decide what the plan of action is. B. Go to Readlyn, Fairbank, and CLS and talk to students
Food Drive	Get the elementary students involved by food for the local shelters	A. Set up drop off and pick up dates with the elementaries. B. Contact food shelters C. Have students donate food D. Pick up food from elementaries and take to the shelters
Milk Machine	Keep the machine full of healthy snacks and drinks for the students to purchase	A. Order merchandise to stock the machine B. Keep milk machine full of healthy items C. Keep records of items on hand
Malt Machine	Serve frozen yogurt to students and faculty during lunch	A. Prepare frozen yogurt for healthy sale B. Set up shifts for students to work C. Properly clean machine
Football and Volleyball Giveaway	Raffle off a signed football and volleyball at a home game	A. Order a football and volleyball B. Get balls signed by the varsity teams C. Advertise event D. Prepare raffle tickets to be used E. Draw names and present the ball
Ag Olympics	Games at June meeting	A. Decide what games are going to be played B. Decide who is in charge of what games and the items needed C. Divide members into groups to play games at the meeting
Ag Fun Facts	Increase awareness of agriculture in the school	A. Display a new fun fact weekly. B. Secure permission to display the fun facts in the hallways C. Display in lunchroom and hallways D. Display at Readlyn and Fairbank Days
Ag Demonstration	Increase knowledge in the communities	A. Register with the state B. Have a meeting C. Figure out the theme D. Sign Ups
Readlyn and Fairbank Days	To increase chapter publicity	A. Menu B. Health Permit C. Order food D. Ask for donations from local businesses E. Determine times F. Sign Ups G. Set up and tear down

# Agriculture Careers

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Improvement Program	All members conduct 4-6 improvement projects and 1-12 skills	A. Provide public recognition for outstanding projects B. Conduct member tours C. Sheets available with possible projects
Advanced Officers	Offices develop leadership in in the FFA	A. Attend state and national events B. Attend leadership camps C. Keep files to help officer candidates
Awards	Give awards to outstanding members	A. Star Awards B. Recognition of best record books C. Merit system winners D. Foundations winners E. Publicize awards
National FFA Foundation Awards	Develop interests by presenting local awards	A. Explain program to all members B. Appoint leadership committee to assist advisor in selection of recipients C. Present pins/ certificates to winners D. Purchase plaques for 1st and 2nd state winners
Career Development Events	Gold awards in CDE's	A. Receive award at National Convention B. Enter CDE's at National Level C. Enter CDE's at state convention D. Have sufficient workouts on fully trained teams E. Enter all area judging contests
Gilt Chain	Develop SAE program	A. Receive gilts from the first and second litter B. Applicants fill out form and contract C. Sell excess gilts D. Members give at least 5 gilts to chapter E. Stress good management F. Conduct 6 month check up
Career Fair	Career Opportunities	A. Seek and secure permission B. Set date and location C. Publicize D. Invite Jr. High and High School E. Hold during open house F. Write thank- you's
Career Speakers	Career Opportunities	A. Set and secure date B. Call speaker C. Obtain a variety of speakers D. Write Thank You's
Career Tours	Explore career interests	A. Locate places to tour B. Schedule date and time C. Sign Ups

# Alumni

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Form Alumni Group	Have 15 members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Have a representative meet with officers</li> <li>B. Publicize a meeting for Alumnus</li> <li>C. Hold meetings and work with those attending</li> <li>D. Work with interested Alumni in seeking more members</li> <li>E. Plan with Alumni activities and projects that would help the FFA</li> </ul>
FFA Banquet	Invite Alumni Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Send banquet invitations to Alumni members</li> <li>B. Personally call all Alumni Members</li> </ul>
Increase FFA and Alumni Participation	Chapter cooperate with increase participation above chapter level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Have Alumni member provide support</li> <li>B. Alumni member assist as chaperone at various events</li> <li>C. Involve in reaction</li> <li>D. Help at tractor pull</li> <li>E. Develop an Alumni chapter</li> </ul>
Improve Education Experience	Chapter conduct activities with affiliate and provide Educational facilities equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Have Alumni conduct and plan educational tours</li> <li>B. Allow Alumni to provide shop projects for FFA members</li> <li>C. Involve Alumni member in preparing CDE's teams or holding contests</li> <li>D. Inform Alumni of needed educational facilities and equipment</li> <li>E. Involve Alumni as resource people for instruction</li> <li>F. Use Alumni members as substitute teachers</li> <li>G. Use Alumni members to serve on advisory council</li> </ul>
District Conference	Have Alumni Assist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Use Alumni for room mentors judges, or whatever needed</li> <li>B. Involve Alumni for set-up and clean up.</li> <li>C. Have Alumni help in the planning of the meal and planning it.</li> </ul>

# Alumni-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Senior Scholarship	Set up scholarship information and advertise to the applicants	A. Prepare an application and set up a due date B. Determine judges for deciding the recipient C. Determine amount of money to give and number of recipients D. Set up a date to review applications E. Award the recipients
Golf Tournament	To earn money for senior scholarship	A. Set a date that works with the golf course as well. B. Decide on cost to enter, deadlines, what food will be served, and what students are going to help. C. Publicize the event around the communities. D. Develop how to score and the prizes.
Charity Pop Tabs	To collect and donate to the Ronald McDonald House	A. Create containers and make sure it is ok with Ms. Andrews that we keep them in the media center. B. Publicize event. C. Determine prizes fro top class.
Honor Roll	To acknowledge the top students	A. Get list from office and figures out who is on the honor roll. B. Acknowledge these students in the room and at the banquet.

# Citizenship

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Safety Program	Make community safer	A. Make and complete safety list B. Plan an article for the paper C. Hold safety poster contest D. Have speakers on safety E. Cooperate with safety councils F. Hold a safety night
Charity	Donate money and/or service	A. Assist farmers that have suffered a mishap B. Contribute money to a needy family
Flower Box	Make a beautiful display	A. Pull weeds B. Keep good plants C. Water and fertilize D. Get plants from the greenhouse E. Plan in fall so seeds can be ordered in spring
Can Food Drive	Donate Food	A. Hold can collecting contest in elementary Schools B. Donate goods to food bank
Holiday Gift Baskets	To give to the needy	A. Decide on who is all deserving of this gift B. Determine amount of certificates given and the amount on the gift certificate C. Hand out gift cards
Teddy Bears	Given to First Responders to give to injured kids	A. Decide on how many Teddy Bears are needed and shop for them
Picture Flipper	To show our chapter's accomplishments	A. Organize pictures from year to year B. Label and hang up
Buckle Up or Eat Glass	To show students the importance of seat belts	A. Determine prizes B. Contact Bremer County Sheriff about presentation C. Determine who will be checking for seat belts and on what days D. Hand out surveys
Homeless Shelter	To give back to the needy	A. Contact shelter for approval B. Determine Date with shelter C. Have members sign up D. Determine transportation E. Send thank you's to shelter
Community Day	Serve community members and businesses	A. Contact people who would like help B. Plan a date and time C. Sign Ups D. Group people and send to different places
Service Week	Serve people in need	A. Seek permission B. Contact places to help C. Organize student body D. Secure buses and drivers E. Thank yous

# Cooperation

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Regular Meeting	Have at least 12 regular meetings per year	A. Officers meet one week before each meeting B. Hold regular meetings C. Invite honorary and alumni members to special events D. Plan refreshments for the meeting as desired E. Cooperate in planning program or recreation for each meeting
Outside speakers	For chapter meetings	A. Advisor assist in securing B. Use several speakers for chapter events during the year C. Have a variety of subjects D. Have a district officer speak
Parliamentary Procedure	Use Robert's Rule of Order	A. Study parliamentary procedure in Ag. II class B. Sentinel will be used for guidance
Attendance	Attain at least 80% attendance	A. Encourage members attendance by posting agenda B. Arrange members to attend C. Send reminders for summer meetings D. Bring prospective members
Ceremonies for meetings	Use official ceremonies	A. Cooperate with officers B. Make ceremonies meaningful C. Officers have their parts memorized
Degree Ceremonies	Use official ceremonies	A. Plan Greenhand initiation B. Plan Chapter initiation C. Candidates and officers practice. D. Greenhand pass test covering the FFA E. Invited parents, faculty, and alumni
Chapter Room	Use official equipment, maintain satisfactory condition, and add something new to the classroom	A. Cooperate with the sentinel B. Make the chapter room attractive C. Keep equipment displayed D. Paint and repair as needed E. Set up for officer's stands and symbols before the meeting
Election of Officers	Elect in March and install in April	A. Officer candidates submit written application B. Nominating committee will prepare slat of nominations

# Cooperation-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Maintain Official FFA Material	Inform members about FFA	A. Keep file organized and up to date. B. Cooperate with officers and other committees to keep file useful
Good Records of Meetings	Complete accurate secretary's and treasurer's book	A. Supply secretary's and treasurer's books B. Secretary records minutes C. Treasurer records chapter accounts
Community Day	Helping out in our local communities.	A. Get Permission from administration on the date. B. Find people that have jobs C. Create information packet with workers, places, and what needs to get done D. Organize transportation for students
Farm Safety Day	To inform elementary students about safety rules	A. Get permission from elementary and high school principal B. Call businesses that would come to present C. Make T-shirts D. Decide what ag students are in charge of the different groups E. Help presenters get ready



# Economic Development

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Community Service	To become involved	A. Organize committees B. Involve members and the community C. Publicize project D. Recognize others that help E. Apply for National Chapter award
Safety Programs	Make community safer	A. Make and complete safety list B. Plan an article for the paper C. Hold a safety poster contest D. Have a speaker on safety E. Cooperate with safety council F. Hold Safety night G. Have Farm Safety Day
Charity	Donate money and/or service	A. Assist farmer's who have had trouble. B. Give money to a needy family.
Career Fair	Get Students interested in what they want to do and where they want to go to college	A. Introduction to FFA B. Seek permission C. Set Date D. Call businesses and colleges E. Set up schedule F. Hold career fair G. Evaluate and write article.
Rock Crew	Provide income for students and publicity for the chapter	A. Set rules and contracts. B. Contract signing C. Develop crew list and main contract D. Publicize E. Coordinate F. Evaluate and write articles
Omelet Breakfast	Provide income for general fund	A. Set Date B. Get permission from school board C. Secure place D. Determine menu E. Publicity-complete F. Set work schedule G. Hold event H. Send Thank-You notes
Labor Auctions	Provide income for students and General fund	A. Secure permissions and members B. Advertise in towns and papers C. Obtain Auctioneer D. Host event E. Send Thank-You notes to those involved F. Seller receives 25% of pay
Charity Pop Tabs	To collect and donate to the Ronald McDonald House	A. Create buckets and talk to Ms. Andrews about keeping them in the Media Center B. Publicize the event C. Determine prizes for the top class
Teacher Appreciation Breakfast	Show appreciation to the teachers	A. Order food B. Receive help from FFA members C. Cook food D. Invite community members

# Finance

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Dues	Have all dues paid by November 1st	A. Greenhand dues \$11.00 B. Chapter FFA dues \$11.00 C. Activities have lower prices if dues are paid
Fruit, Nut and Cheese Sales	Sell \$22,000 of product	A. Advertise the sales starting in October B. Order fruit through most reasonable company C. Give commission based on percent of product sold D. Sell \$225.00 before qualifying for commission E. Delivery before Christmas Vacation F. Sell \$600.00 or more for free meal G. Top Average class gets a prize H. Incentive money if delivered within a week
FFA Supplies	Encourage members to order	A. Keep inventory on hand B. Sell t-shirts, scarves, jackets, etc. C. Maintain and use display case
Prepare budget	Balance Chapter Funds	A. Estimate expenses and earnings by Sept. 13 B. Place in program of activities
Use Dummy Check System	Issue receipts for all transactions	A. Write out dummy checks and turn into office B. All bills paid in fashion
Chapter fund	Maintain balance of \$500.00	A. Keep accurate records B. Treasurer gives monthly report C. Sell enough fruit and cheese to keep in good condition
Treasurer's records and finances	Keep accurate records	A. Cooperate with treasurer in all conditions B. Appoint one committee member from each class to collect
Treasurer's Records and Finances	Submit monthly records	A. Treasurer to submit the monthly report to the chapter B. Post copy of financial standing in chapter room C. Have treasurer's book audited twice
Pop Stand	Make a profit	A. Contact fair board B. Order pop and supplies C. Set up work schedule D. Clean up E. Figure profit F. Pay Bills

# Finance-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Donkey Ball	Make a profit to be used for senior trip	A. Contact administration for permission B. Secure school board permission C. Select date by working with company D. Secure riders E. Develop marketing plans F. Have liability wavers signed by riders G. Determine MC for game H. Develop certificates for riders I. Determine concession stand menu J. Determine Workers K. Implement L. Write thank-you's M. Evaluate
Malt Sales	Cooperate with the athletic boosters and school cooks	A. Hold during a home basketball game and football game B. Contact A.D. for permission C. Form a committee manager D. Set up a schedule to work in shifts E. Hold once a week during lunch
Candy Cane Sales/ Flower sales	To sell candy canes to be given to students Sell flowers to students to give to others	A. Get permission from the school board B. Determine the specifics C. Advertise the event D. Collect orders and purchase candy canes and flowers E. Assemble the candy canes and flowers with the comment card F. Deliver them
Greenhand Fire-Up	To acknowledge the freshman students	A. Get permission from cooks to use the kitchen B. Organize things with the district officers C. Determine food that will be served D. Get helpers decided
Grain Drive	Earn money for senior scholarship	A. Meet with Alumni Group B. Contact Elevators to set up accounts C. Develop brochure for grain drive D. Set up system for dividing scholarship money E. Have members sign up to collect grain
Car Wash	Make Profit	A. Sign Up B. Advertise wash C. Ask permission from Jerry's Autos D. Set up and buy supplies E. Figure out profit

# Health and Recreation

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Sports	All members participate in bowling, swimming, softball, basketball, volleyball	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Accept invitation to play sports with other chapters</li> <li>B. Schedule at least one practice before each game</li> <li>C. Have recreation before/after every meeting in the summer</li> <li>D. Have a bowling party</li> <li>E. Have a swimming party</li> <li>F. Sponsor volleyball tourney with other school</li> </ul>
Sweetheart Classic	Conduct an all-school Dance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Conduct dance around winter</li> <li>B. Crown and present king and queen at a basketball game</li> <li>C. Coordinate with Wapsie Valley High School</li> <li>D. Invite all high school students</li> <li>E. Hire a DJ</li> <li>F. Provide flowers or candy for candidates</li> </ul>
Swimming Party	Intra Chapter Recreation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Have in conjunction with July Meeting</li> <li>B. Invite incoming freshman</li> <li>C. Attend water park/pool after meeting</li> <li>D. Clean up afterwards, recreation committee in charge</li> </ul>
Entertainment	Provide at each meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Add variety</li> <li>B. Encourage members to participate</li> <li>C. Provide after every meeting</li> </ul>
Refreshments	Provide after every meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Have one member get them</li> <li>B. Have watermelon in August</li> <li>C. Have a variety of snacks</li> </ul>
Pedal Pull	Conduct three times per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Obtain Permissions</li> <li>B. Talk to Fairbank, Readlyn, Oran, and Bremer Fair Boards</li> <li>C. Obtain Skids</li> <li>D. Obtain Trophies</li> <li>E. Visit with sponsors</li> <li>F. Place winners of each divisions in the paper</li> <li>G. Work with Waverly and Denver FFA and Bremer county pull</li> <li>H. Hold county winner's pull</li> </ul>
Amusement Park	Intra Chapter Recreation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Have in the summer</li> <li>B. Invite incoming freshman</li> <li>C. Arrange Transportation</li> <li>D. Attend Amusement Park</li> <li>E. Pay Bills</li> </ul>
Recreational Activities	Create Enthusiasm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Pick activity and seek permission</li> <li>B. Notify other chapters</li> <li>C. Order trophies</li> <li>D. Hold activity</li> <li>E. Evaluate</li> </ul>

# Health and Recreation-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Ball Tournament	Get members involved	A. Pick Activity B. Seek Permission C. Have Students sign up for teams D. Award winners with a prize
District Volleyball/ Softball/ Bowling	Interact with other chapters	A. Attempt to have all officers attend B. Have a sign up for those who want to play C. Play different teams D. Congratulate winners
Ag Olympics	Interact with new members and parents	A. Determine what needs to be done for Olympics at June meeting B. Determine what materials are needed C. Invite members to attend D. Create committee
Amusement Park	To reward hard working students with a fun activity	A. Get permission from administration B. Set up a date that works. Figure out how many kids are going and the amount they must pay
Recreational Activities	Having fun and exciting activities for the members	A. Decide on activity and seek permission B. Have chapter members sign up C. Award winners
District Events	To interact with other chapters	A. Contact other chapter advisors to set something up B. Encourage members to attend C. Do activities to interact with other members
Ag Olympics	To have fun in a agriculture way	A. Determine what games will be played and the supplies needed B. Publicize the event C. Involve everyone
Ice Skating	Increase Attendance	A. Call Young Arena and schedule date B. Send sign ups around-notify members C. Schedule transportation D. Send thank you's
Canoeing	Increase Attendance	A. Contact Boy Scouts for canoe rental B. Determine route C. Pick date D. Send sign ups around-notify members
Family Potluck	Get Family More Involved	A. Schedule a date B. Reserve the Fairbank Ball Diamond C. Notify members D. Have equipment available

# Human Resources

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Cooperate with other organizations	Cooperate in worthwhile activities for community	A. Cooperate with churches B. Cooperate with chamber of commerce C. Cooperate with the extension office D. Cooperate with athletic and music department E. Cooperate with the student council F. Cooperate with other chapters G. Cooperate with other service organizations H. Cooperate with alumni
Gilt Chain	Help Develop SAE programs	A. Receive gilts from the first or second litter B. Fill out application form and contract C. Sell excess gilts D. Members give at least five gilts to chapter E. Stress management F. Six month check up by committee
County Fair Exhibits	Publicize chapter's fair activities	A. Decorate livestock stalls B. Enter contest for chapter exhibits
State Convention Exhibits	Publicize Chapter	A. Enter competition B. Represent the chapter C. Complete exhibit
State Convention Display	Complete Project	A. Contact organization B. Stay within budget C. Publicize activity D. Stress member involvement
Media Usage	Recognize person in their SAE	A. Contact members B. Assign parts C. Fill out data D. Write story E. Edit story F. Prepare article
Bank Displays	Promote FFA	A. Seek permission B. Signs in bank C. Serve as public relations D. Place mats in restaurants
Greenhouse	Operate a productive and educational greenhouse	A. Grow Plants B. Hold annual plant sales C. Maintain a variety of plants to learn from D. Keep Clean
Community Day	To help in our local community.	A. Receive permission on a date set from administration. B. Find people in the community that have jobs to be done. C. Create an information packet with the workers, where they will work, and what they will be doing. D. Organize transportation for students.

# Human Resources-Continued

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<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Landscaping	To help make our school look better	A. Get Independent Ag students involved. B. Maintain old landscaping, planting, weeding, spraying, and fertilizing C. Permission must be granted about expenses and new projects
Recycle FFA	To help save the environment in our area	A. Contact local business B. Organize people to pick up boxes C. Post flyers to advertise

# Leadership

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Officer Training	All officers know parts, duties, and develop leadership	A. Study parliamentary procedure B. Attend all FFA activities on leadership C. Attend sub-district, district, state, and national events
Membership Training	All members understand duties	A. Members participate in quizzes B. Give manuals to greenhands C. Members conduct class D. Participate in meetings E. Have Junior officers
Committees	Have all committees active	A. All members serve on at least one committee B. All committees submit written copies monthly C. Vice President completes all duties D. Chairperson and officers in charge meet
Program of work	Complete and send into state office and discuss with members	A. Conduct officer training session to revise the program of work B. Have program of work printed in school C. Distribute to committee chairpersons by October D. Put in local and school libraries
Miscellaneous Awards	Present nine leadership awards	A. Star Chapter Farmer B. Star Agribusiness C. Scholarship D. Star Greenhand E. Foundation F. Top Fruit Sale Class G. Leadership H. Top 10 Fruit Sales I. Top Leadership J. Star Freshman K. Star Sophomore L. Star Junior K. Star Senior
Conventions	At least five members represent chapter at each event	A. Members selected by application B. Members encouraged to attend
Washington Leadership Conference	At least one representative attend	A. Chapter pays for portion of transportation B. Representative is local officer or active member C. Attend with Iowa bus
Activity Board	Display person with accomplishment	A. Outstanding merit winners B. Obtain pictures of winners C. Have a write up about each winner
Bulletin Board	Recognize one person and their SAE	A. Contact members B. Assign members C. Fill out data D. Write Story E. Enlarge picture



# Leadership-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Merit System	Recognize one person in each grade each month	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Notify members of plan or merits</li> <li>B. Members fill out merit sheets first week of the month</li> <li>C. Points totaled for merit sheets by the 10th of the month</li> <li>D. Identify the member of the month for each grade</li> <li>E. Committee meets 2nd Tuesday and Thursday</li> <li>F. Present top class merits every semester</li> <li>G. Have merits done on time 2nd Thursday of each month</li> </ul>
Merit Trip	Chapter rewards members for merits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Points displayed by each meeting and winner announced</li> <li>B. At the end of the year the winners are selected and receive a trip to the place of their choice</li> <li>C. Other members are invited to attend</li> <li>D. Drivers are secured</li> <li>E. Place of choice is notified</li> <li>F. Thank You's are written</li> </ul>
Speakers for Leadership Day	To inform our members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Get in contact with state, district, and national officers</li> <li>B. Figure out where this will occur</li> <li>C. Decide on what they will talk about</li> </ul>
Grain Drive	Earn money for senior scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Meet with Alumni Group</li> <li>B. Contact Elevators to set up accounts</li> <li>C. Develop brochure for grain drive</li> <li>D. Set up system for dividing scholarship money</li> <li>E. Have members sign up to collect grain</li> </ul>
National Officer Tour	National officer influences our school through speaking and workshops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. National FFA website and apply</li> <li>B. Find Date and time</li> </ul>

# Natural Resources

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Soil Sampling	Sample Farms	A. Promote in chapter meetings B. Start in field plot then move on to other auger probe tests
Carcass Scanning	Increase carcass scanning and ultrasound tests on exhibiting animals	A. Promote at chapter meetings B. Have demonstration on class field trip C. Have student demonstrate D. Encourage to register at county fairs
Conservation Reserve	Help area farmers with CRP ground	A. Contact CRP owners and ask if they need help maintaining the habitat B. Assist in maintaining reserve-Pheasants Forever
Test Plot	Maintain on a yearly basis use more more often for Ag. II class	A. Ask for donation B. Plant. spray, test soil, and harvest on schedule C. Use trap program D. Reinvest profit into next years E. Maintain GPS and GIS work F. Maintain donation sign

# Public Relations

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Newspaper Articles	Publicize chapter activities at local, district, and state levels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. All news releases be released by advisor and reporter</li> <li>B. Prepare newsletter for district two weeks in advance</li> <li>C. Arrange and have pictures taken at events</li> <li>D. Reporter arrange introduction with editors</li> <li>E. Continue good relationships with local newspaper reporters</li> <li>F. Reporter volunteers to send in articles</li> <li>G. Make sure all stories are accurate</li> <li>H. Keep scrapbook of all clippings</li> <li>I. Send at least 4 articles concerning our chapter to publicize our award winners</li> </ul>
Scrapbook	Record of the year's activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Reporter is in charge of scrapbook</li> <li>B. Members may contribute articles and pictures</li> <li>C. Take many pictures at FFA events</li> <li>D. Enter the scrapbook at -District and state levels</li> </ul>
FFA Emblem and FFA Jacket	Publicize members participation in chapter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Display banners and FFA emblem in the chapter room</li> <li>B. Encourage all members to buy jackets</li> <li>C. Have FFA students wear ag t-shirts on last day of FFA week</li> <li>D. Have the President present each member with an official FFA degree pin</li> <li>E. Members wear degree pin on jacket only</li> <li>F. Members wear no more than 3 pins on jacket</li> <li>G. President presents officers with officer pin</li> </ul>
Parent, Honorary, and Prospective members in the FFA through an Alumni Chapter	Develop outside interests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Invite parents to activities initiations</li> <li>B. Recommend people who have aided the chapter for election to honorary chapter farmers</li> <li>C. Bring visitors to meeting</li> <li>D. Invite prospective members to June, July, and August meetings</li> <li>E. Have speaker who may help FFA</li> <li>F. Distribute program of work to parents, friends, and businessmen</li> <li>G. Give gift subscriptions to New Horizons magazine</li> </ul>

# Public Relations-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Banquet	Invite members and parents	A. Send banquet invitations B. Plan meal and calculate price C. Present awards for the year D. Present honorary chapter farmers
PALS	High School students and elementary students work together	A. Application for high school mentors B. Select activities and make lesson plans C. Select mentors and mentor groups; set schedule D. Have sessions once a week E. Evaluate
FFA Week	Increase awareness	A. Have daily questions B. Keep kernel count C. Have dress up days D. Order placemats to give to local businesses E. Hold coloring and poster contest in elementaries F. Serve cake and malts to student body G. Make sure to get prizes out
KWWL Interview	To discuss and teach about FFA	A. Receive permission from administration B. Set up date and time with KWWL C. Know what you will talk about D. Line up transportation E. Wear official dress
Achievement Locker Tags	To publicize up-to-date achievements (above the local level)	A. Find locker numbers of members B. To place on locker 2 days after event C. Build on previous awards
Member Locker Tags	To publicize members	A. Find locker number B. Post by September 1st. C. All aged members have locker tag
Birthday Locker Tags	To publicize members birthdays	A. Find locker numbers B. Find member's birthdays C. Devise tags D. Place on locker one day in advance
Twitter	To inform the public and increase awareness	A. To update activities the day it occurred B. To notify members at least 2 days before the event C. Designate persons in charge
Happy Birthday Treats	To recognize members on their birthday	A. Find locker numbers B. Buy skittles or snickers C. Devise tags D. Give in class E. If summer birthday, celebrate 1/2 birthday

# Recruitment

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Food for America	Educate elementary students on the importance of agriculture	A. Seek permission B. Contact local elementaries to set up dates C. Visit elementary D. Conduct poster contest for calendars
Career Fair	Educate the community on agriculture career opportunities	A. Seek permission B. Secure speakers C. Set date D. Set location E. Publicize F. Invite the Jr. High and High School and other schools G. Hold during open house H. Write thank-you notes
Publicize FFA	Inform the public in the county, district or state	A. Write articles for the paper B. Put in the community announcements on the radio C. Have signs up during FFA week in local merchants D. Have floats in parades E. Conduct pedal pulls F. Conduct community development program
Select a Sweetheart King and Queen	Promote beyond membership limits	A. Elect in February B. Elect freshmen, sophomore, and junior girls and boys C. Make her and him a part of a committee D. Merit system awards E. Plan a dance
Junior High Visit/ Recruitment	Promote Agriculture to 7th and 8th graders	A. Set a date up with the guidance counselor B. Confirm this with the Jr. High instructor C. Set plan for visit D. Discuss with the other vocational instructors about the details E. Have students sign for this who wish to attend F. Practice procedure G. Meet with junior high H. Evaluate
Orientation	Promote Ag to all freshman	A. Have officers discuss what agriculture and FFA is to all freshman at the school orientation B. Check on the date with administration C. Set agenda with the officers D. Involve as many members as possible E. Invite all freshman to the agriculture orientation
Agriculture/FFA Orientation	Promote agriculture/FFA to enrolled freshman	A. Set date B. Have members sign up C. Set agenda and incorporate small groups D. Practice E. Send invitations F. Have parents welcome also G. Members conduct orientation

# Recruitment-Continued

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Potluck	Promote FFA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Send invitations</li> <li>B. Plan agenda</li> <li>C. Coordinate recreation</li> <li>D. Encourage upper classmen to attend also</li> <li>E. Hold August meeting in conjunction</li> <li>F. Have members and parents participate</li> <li>E. Have softball game afterwards</li> </ul>
Ag Olympics	Involve new members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Lasso activity</li> <li>B. Cow pie toss</li> <li>C. Wheel barrow races</li> <li>D. Bolt Find</li> <li>E. Invite Members</li> <li>F. Keep Score</li> <li>D. Bolt find</li> <li>E. Cow tongue football</li> <li>F. Winner gets prize</li> <li>G. Winner determined by point system</li> </ul>
Sweetheart Classic	To provide a dance for all of the students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Determine a date and time</li> <li>B. Talk to NHS an see if they would co-host</li> <li>C. Schedule a D.J.</li> </ul>

# Scholarship

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Grades	Encourage Scholarship and strive for 40% of all members to make honor roll	A. Stress the importance of scholarship B. Scholarship award given to first place senior and top junior C. Award scholarship pins at banquet D. Scholarship based on grades in all classes E. Post FFA honor roll every 9 weeks F. Reward those on honor roll with merit points
Record Books	100% of the members keep clean and accurate record books	A. Urge members to set aside time to keep book up to date and analyze B. Check records every quarter C. Make books practical so that they will be of value after graduation D. Use standard Iowa supervised experience program record book E. Use barn sheets regularly
Maintain a Chapter Library	Increase members knowledge through up-to-date reading	A. Committee to review books and make recommendations for purchase B. Have chapter room open before and after school C. Let me know about reading material D. Install and organize E. Keep it up-to-date
Home Library	To use for reference when needed	A. Make books and other materials available for purchase B. Suggest they subscribe to magazine C. Impress the importance of home library
Scholarship	Present to 1 senior and 1 junior member	A. Select on basis of overall GPA and Ag. Ed. Average B. Presented by DeKalb representative at banquet
DeKalb award	Present to 1 senior member	A. Base on scholarship leadership, and citizenship
Scholarship fund	Rewards members for good grades	A. Contact local businesses B. Set criteria C. Have members apply D. Select recipient E. Award money

# Supervised Agriculture Experience

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Ways and Means</u>
Supervised Program	All members have SAE's	A. Explain SAE's at meeting with parents B. Provide public recognition for outstanding SAE programs C. Encourage parents-member agreement
Show at fairs	75% of all members exhibit at county, state, or national events	A. Plan for showing in advance B. Recognize winnings through publicity C. Attend fitting and showing demonstrations D. Display FFA exhibit cards in frames E. Show at the Iowa State Fair F. Show at the Bremer and other fairs available
Records	Every member keep up-to-date and accurate records.	A. Merit record book B. Keep all records in official Iowa record book C. Supplemental records with monthly barn sheets
Judging	Have members participate in CDE's	A. Collect dates of judging events B. Notify members of Judging CDE events C. Have sign up of CDE judging events D. Arrange transportation E. Send Thank-you's F. Place article in paper
Tours	To educate members	A. Secure permission B. Members sign up C. Community invited to attend if room D. Schedule tours E. Determine schedule F. Send thank you's G. Place article in paper.