## Future Farmers of America Week





The focus of National FFA Week is to tell America about the great oppor-

tunities available for youth in agriculture. From its beginnings in 1928

reaches out to all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. From

urban to rural schools, FFA is committed to developing character and

FFA Labor Auction/Mountain Oyster Fry/Meal- March 27th

conferences, develop a supervised agricultural experience project, learn

National FFA Week in Colby is sponsored by Tractor Supply Co. and

Come check out our Greenhouse during FFA week and receive a plant

of your choice. Visit our program on the Colby Public Schools website

www.colbyeagles.org. Click on the High School tab, on the left side of

FFA Awards Banquet and scholarships receipts/awards Farm Safety Day, Petting Zoo, and Train Barrel Rides

Agriculture Career show and Leadership labs and

Repairing or building farm projects for community

Volunteer work or services needed by community

life skills and serve their communities with civic engagement.

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Lawn mower maintenance and repairs for the

the 300 careers in agriculture.

Highway Project cleanup

schools

community

members

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FFA Social Nights

as the Future Farmers of America, the National FFA Organization today

leadership skills and preparing members for a lifetime of success in one of

Students in a greenhouse learning about agriculture

## Colby FFA celebrates 2009 National FFA Week

Colby FFA is celebrating National FFA Week Feb. 21-28. Step Up, Stand Out is the theme this year and more than half a million members around the nation will participate in National FFA Week activities at the local and state levels. Stepping up and standing out is not only a way of life for FFA members, but it's also a call to action for others. FFA members set a positive example with their leadership, work ethic and community service activities.

As a part of National FFA Week, Colby FFA members are planning the following special events:

- FFA AG Mechanics and Farm Diesel and Power Contest-Feb 25th
- Community and Teacher Appreciation Breakfast Feb 26th, 6:30am - 8:00am
- CHS Ag Shop #240 North Copeland
- Drive farm implement day
- Beekeeping and Natural Gas Safety Presentations and **Demonstrations**
- Ag Education/FFA pass outs, goody bags, and fun activities for Colby Public Schools
- Distributing plants from our greenhouse to community members, teachers, staff, and etc
- Hosting NW District FFA Horse Judging CDE- March 26th

FFA members are success-oriented students who are driven to achieve their goals and be the leaders of tomorrow. They stand out by recognizing the importance of being active in their schools and communities and are urged to step up when volunteers are sought, friendship is needed and leadership is required.

Through classroom instruction and hands-on learning, agricultural education and FFA are making a positive difference for members every day. FFA members have opportunities to attend national leadership

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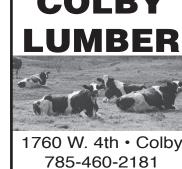


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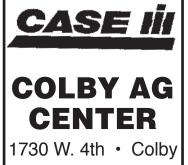
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