



October 5 & 6 Williamsfield FCCLA members attended Peer Education and Leadership Training in Springfield, Illinois. Makenzie P., Mark C., Gabe L., Elizabeth K., Emily N., Maggie C., and others left Williamsfield on Sunday morning, dined at Cracker Barrel in Lincoln, arrived at Northpoint Inn for the Section 4 officers meeting and registration. The afternoon session included positive motivation toward community service projects. After a Mexican evening meal, students engaged in team building games and divided to work on their respective trainings. Monday morning buffet started the individual training on how to carry out the mission of each group. Schools teamed to incorporate the training to bring back to their home FCCLA's. Williamsfield received a number of reflective Halloween bags for use in our home school program on Halloween Safety. Mark C., Makenzie P., and a freshman won door prizes.

Sponsors for the Peer Leadership Training were provided by Laura State Bank of WILLIAMSFIELD, Wight Chevrolet, Farmers State Bank of Elmwood, Bank of Yates City, and Whitney and Potts Law Offices. We want to thank these businesses for their support of FCCLA and the programs that encourage career benefits to students at WILLIAMSFIELD High School.

Thank you again for assisting with our students educational needs.

On Tuesday, October 14th Makenzie P., Elizabeth K., a sophomore, and Maggie C. attended the WILLIAMSFIELD Board of Education meeting to present the training and the program that they will present to WILLIAMSFIELD elementary students on Halloween Safety. The students skit portrayed good and bad trick or treat safety techniques. The board members were treated to a trick or treat bags provided by a sophomore.

Wednesday, October 22nd FCCLA members enrolled in Living Environment attended a Project Runway Workshop at Galesburg Sewing Center to learn the procedures and how to's of the competition that will take place in February. Students were able to apply their training to hands on techniques with the newest technologies in the sewing industry. Each student made a T-shirt with their choice of embroidery designs. Students attending were John M., Makenzie P., Liz K., a sophomore, and Maggie C.

The 8th grade completed their fleece pillows with the applications they learn on an earlier pin cushion. Their next projects include a pair of fleece pajama pants. They are excited to show off their projects, so ask them about what they have been doing: omelets in a bag, homemade pizza, personality test, sewing, and next they will be designing their own rooms.

FCCLA and FFA shared an evening of games and BBQ's in late September to plan co-curricular events of the

two organizations. Students want a movie night, another game and food night, and a Christmas Party.

UPCOMING Events:

On November 3, FCCLA members will be attending a State meeting in Bloomington on Project Runway, Harassment, Careers, Stamping Projects, Self-defense, and street safety. Students attending will be Aubra H., Makenzie P., Maggie C., Brandon S., Rachel M., Taylor W., and two others. The all day event will focus on safety issues of areas that students may encounter through out high school.

November 20th will begin FCCLA Annual Poinsettia and Cactus Sales. If you have a special type you would like, please call and preorder before November 5th. 309-639-2216 or see an FCCLA member.

Catering students will be selling PUMPKIN PIES during Turkey Tourney on November 24th and 25th. The homemade pumpkin pies maybe order ahead by calling the school 309-639-2216 or the food service staff at 309-639-2218. To be sure to get the pies you want, please order ahead. Prices will be \$6.00 for each pie.

FCCLA will sponsor their annual Chili Supper on Tuesday, November 25th- all you can eat – from 4:00 to 7:00 PM. Come hungry and enjoy the company of the community for an evening of hot chili and friendship.