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The Charlotte FFA Kicks Off the School Year With Community Pride



The Charlotte FFA is kicking off the new school year with a lot of community involvement. Thanks to the Farm Bureau Insurance Agency, the chapter was able to "amplify" their awareness by participating in the Frontier Days Parade. Along with their alumni, the FFA members are also providing quick and efficient visitor parking at the home football games. Furthering their community involvement, the chapter maintains their 2-mile stretch along M-79 through the adopt-a-highway program. The Book Drive is another area of involvement where the chapter transferred a multitude of books to the Charlotte Community Library, for their annual book sale. The Charlotte FFA chapter will continue to take pride in their community involvement as they are "learning to do, doing to learn, earning to live, and living to serve."

Another outstanding event was the Charlotte FFA Plow Day. The Charlotte FFA alumni, along with the help of the Charlotte FFA members, held its fourth annual Plow Day on September 19th, hosted at Harag Farms. The community showed its support by bringing antique tractors and plows to this fun event. Spectators enjoyed seeing the display of community bonding as they worked together to plow a field as past generations have done. The alumni also hosted a large raffle during the event. Thank you to Bader & Sons, Charlotte Tractor Supply Company, Eaton Farm Bureau Co-op, D&G Equipment, Interstate Batteries, Mike Stanke/Rupp Seeds, and Janson Equipment, for the raffle donations. Also, thank you to GreenStone Farm Credit, Joe Shook Farms, and Bryners Septic for helping with our event, along with all the volunteers, who made this event a success. A final huge thanks to Williams Farm Machinery and Citizens LLC for their generous monetary donations. We appreciate all of the community support of our organization. Go Orioles! Oriole Pride!

