September Newsletter

Officer retreat
Our 9 officers (President Alexa Kemp, Vice President Rem McBride, Secretary Hanna Wright, Treasurer Parker Morgan, Reporter Logan Petty, Sentinel Race Hubbard, Historians Teegan Timmons and Tazie Betzler, and finally the Parliamentarian Aminia Cross) and 3 of our advisors (Mrs. Johnson, Miss Drader, and Miss Crane) went to Coeur D’Alene lake to spend 3 days getting to know each other as well as plan the year out. This included lots of team building activities, going to triple play and walking around town. One of our goals for the chapter is to improve our involvement and have more active members. We are doing this by advertising and planning our events thoroughly. The officers are all super excited for this upcoming year!

Fun Fact
- The first corn maze is believed to be made in 1993.
- Corn mazes generate tourist income for farmers.
- Iowa produces the most corn.
- The background of the FFA emblem is also corn.
- Certain varieties of corn can grow up to 12 ft tall.
- Corn roots can grow to a depth of 60 inches.
- A pound of corn consists of about 1,300 kernels.

Member of the Month
Member of the Month for September is Natalia Horn Quintero. She raised a market hog for the 2023 Walla Walla Fair. Natalia worked very hard with her hog from the moment she got it until the day she sold. She was out on the school farm every other day if not every day. She has really shown that she can care for an animal. All of Natalia’s hard work paid off when she was awarded the Overall Grand Champion Market Hog. Natalia is a very caring person and not afraid to say hi to you and ask how your day, week, or summer is going. She has really been a joy getting to know and we look forward to getting to know her even more.

Upcoming events
- September 20th we are hosting a back to school BBQ to introduce everyone to our officers and get to know the FFA program. We will have burgers, hotdogs and drinks provided.
- Evergreen tour is October 2nd. This is a great way to dip your boots into the water and learn about our wonderful program.