

Lorain County Farm Bureau

Highlights of the 2015-2016 Program Year

- Partnered with Lorain Soil & Water Conservation District for our 7th joint annual meeting in September 2015
- Sponsored a bus trip to the Farm Science Review with Cuyahoga County Farm Bureau in September 2015
- Planned, sponsored and executed the Lorain County Farm Bureau Fall Farm Tour with five farms in September 2015 in southern part of the county where we had over 900 people come on the tour
- Donated to the Ohio Farm Bureau Foundation Community Silent Auction program
- Sponsored 23 Young Agricultural Professionals to attend Ohio Farm Bureau's Young Agricultural Professionals Conference in January 2016
- Planned, organized and executed a volunteer membership campaign in Lorain County where we met our 45 day goal by the end of March 2016
- Had the county president, public policy action team leader and a young agricultural professional attend Ohio Farm Bureau's Ag Day at the Capital in February 2016
- Sponsored the Third Annual Brunch with a Farmer at Lorain County Community College Spitzer Center where we featured local foods & Lorain County agriculture
- Held a Legislative Brunch with Huron County Farm Bureau on President's Day
- Held a four-county Safety Seminar for members which focused on general farm safety and health screenings with Cuyahoga, Erie, and Huron County Farm Bureaus
- Continued to generate the Erie, Huron, and Lorain County member benefits brochure with Erie County Farm Bureau & Huron County Farm Bureau
- Gave out \$4,500 in scholarships to six college students
- Continued to uphold and enhance the Farm Bureau and Nationwide Insurance relationship
- Held policy development meetings where local elected officials were invited to express their concerns and policy was made that was voted on at the 2016 annual meeting
- Donated \$500 to the Lorain County Jr. Fair Livestock Sale Committee, had a booth in the Soil Conservation Barn (which featured our 2016 Fall Farm Tour) and had a manned 20'x20' Tent near Gate 3 for the first time at the 2016 Lorain County Fair