# Encouragement, Pride Shape FFA Members' Future At Leadership Conference

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LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.) - A Grassland FFA alumnus who has established a successful career in agriculture provided these simple messages for the newly chosen leaders of FFA chapters throughout the county:

Praise a fellow student. Encourage others. Take pride in what you say and the way you present yourself.

Shelly Ogline, Garden Spot graduate and former Grassland FFA president, in addition to serving as FFA state reporter from 1992-1993, spoke to more than 100 FFA leaders from Lancaster County last week at the Red Rose

Leadership Conference at Lancaster Mennonite High School.

Ogline is resource conservation specialist with the York County Conservation District.

Ogline told the story about how, as a chapter officer, she dreamed of holding a state FFA position but felt inadequate about becoming one successfully. But one day she got the encouragement she needed from an assistant chapter

"Who encouraged you?" she asked the Red Rose Leadership Conference attendees, who followed the theme, "Establish the Future." "Someone may have given you a nod or words of encouragement. Someone or

something encouraged you to try." Importantly, she told the leaders to praise a fellow student. She said, "You rely on fellow officers to back you up. You need to support and back up your fellow officers."

In fact, Ogline noted, the responsibility extends even bey-

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New Lancaster County FFA officers are clockwise from bottom left, Beth Frey, Manor FFA, president; Maureen Madden, Solanco FFA, south vice president; Jenny Hoover, Cloister FFA, secretary; Rueban Hartman, Cloister FFA, treasurer; Andy Nolt, Cloister FFA, student adviser; Chuck Beam, Grassland FFA, chaplain; Jimmy Mullen, Solanco FFA, sentinel; and Amanda Overly, Solanco FFA, reporter. Not in photo: Dana Weinhold, Hans Herr FFA, north vice president.



The historians and reporters were provided information on how to use Microsoft PowerPoint presentation software by Tyler Swanson, Manor FFA vice president, center. At left is Audra Wood, Solanco FFA reporter and at right is Steve Appel, Manor historian.

# Monfort To **Provide** Carcass Information

GREELEY, Colo. -Monfort, Inc. announced it will provide free group carcass information for all cattle processed in its four beef packing plants.

The information will include quality grade scores, yield grade scores, carcass weight breaks, and muscle scores. Providing this data is just another part of Monfort's procurement goal to improve beef quality and consistency for its retail customers.

"Carcass information has never been given out on cattle," said Ed Prosser, general manager of the Monfort Procurement Division. "It is time to share with the producer the quantitative data of his product so he can identify the difference in carcasses and start to take steps to improve overall quality. It is our hope that this will become a production tool for our suppliers to provide us with consistent quality beef."

Detailed data analysis sheets will be mailed to producers soon after the carcasses are graded.

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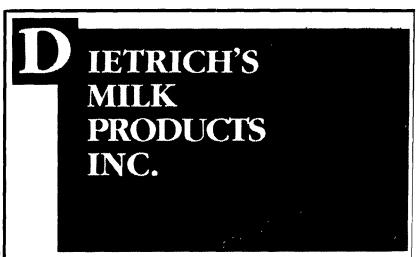
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