



"Be THE CHANGE YOU WISH  
TO see IN THE WORLD"  
~ GANDHI



Dear Oregon FFA,

I find myself attracted to the words of Gandhi, and most find his words to be incredibly inspiring. Most people have a big question about the quote at the top of the page; *How, as an individual, one single person, am I supposed to change the world?* I find myself asking this question quite often. The way I see it, nobody can change *the* world, but everybody can change *somebody's* world. What does this mean? It means that each person sees the world differently, and if you can make that vision a little brighter for a single person, then you have changed *A* world!

My little sister, Caylynn, has inspired me in many ways, but one thing she said to me made a huge impact on the way I saw things. Caylynn came to me one day with a big question: "Can I help people who are starving?" My sister was only 11 years old at the time. Honestly, I didn't know what to tell her, but I replied, "Yes, of course". We went on talking about how she could raise money and who could help her. Later, I thought about the many arguments brought up when world hunger is mentioned; I had always assumed that agriculture would keep up with the population and I would never be affected by it personally. Eleven-year-old Caylynn wanted to do something herself. She later told me that even if she couldn't feed *everyone*, she would still feed *someone*.

Even though my little sister couldn't end world hunger by herself, she would end hunger for someone. Not only did my sister change the way I saw the world, but she showed me that one person, no matter how old they may be, can make a change. She taught me that although it may seem impossible to change the world, everyone can change *A* world, and they can change it for the better.

Keeping in mind that anyone can change *A* world, I would like to announce my candidacy for your 2017-2018 Oregon FFA State officer team. I'm excited to have the opportunity to run for an office to inspire, and to be inspired by the members of Oregon FFA! I am incredibly thankful for the many people I have met through FFA, my family, and my friends that have all sculpted me into the person I am today. I desire nothing more than to show my gratitude toward the FFA by achieving my goal of representing the Oregon FFA as a state officer.

Sincerely Yours,

Claire Beck

THE FFA MOTTO:  
LEARNING TO DO, DOING TO  
LEARN, EARNING TO LIVE,  
AND LIVING TO SERVE.

# Enterprise FFA

## High School Resume

### Freshman Year (2013-14)

#### Offices Held:

- 4-H Club President
- FFA Greenhand Secretary

#### FFA Activities:

- Creed Speaking
- Parliamentary Procedure
- Dairy Foods
- Crops and Weeds
- Chapter Banquet
- Drive by Dinner
- Christmas Tree Sales
- District Leadership Camp
- District Convention
- State Convention
- Eastern Oregon Livestock Show
- Washington Leadership Conference
- Wallowa County Fair
- Livestock Judging

#### Other Activities:

- FCCLA
  - Canned Food Drive
  - Potluck Dinner
- 4-H
  - Canned Food Drive
  - Dog Biscuit Sales
  - Veterinary clinic tour
  - Wallowa County Fair
  - Herding Dog Trials

### Sophomore Year (2014-15)

#### Offices Held:

- FFA Chapter Secretary
- 4-H Club Secretary

#### FFA Activities:

- Public Speaking
- Parliamentary Procedure
- Meats Judging
- Soil Judging
- District Proficiencies
- State Proficiencies
- Drive by Dinners
- Christmas Tree Sales
- Ag sales
- Living to Serve Project Fundraisers
- Alumni Potluck
- Chapter Banquet
- District Leadership Camp
- National Convention
- District Convention
- State Convention
- State Livestock Judging
- Eastern Oregon Livestock Show
- Wallowa County Fair

#### Other Activities:

- FCCLA
  - Canned Food Drive
  - Potluck Dinner
- 4-H
  - Canned Food Drive
  - Wallowa County Fair
  - AKC Dog show
  - Cleaning Rodeo Grounds

### Junior Year (2015-16)

#### Offices Held:

- 4-H Club Secretary

#### FFA Activities:

- Extemporaneous Speaking
- District Proficiencies
- State Proficiencies
- Les Schwab Canned Food Drive
- Living to Serve Project Fundraisers
- Chapter Banquet
- Job Interview

- Ag Sales
- District Convention
- State Convention

- Eastern Oregon Livestock Show
- Wallowa County Fair

#### Other Activities:

- Softball
- 4-H
  - Canned Food Drive
  - Wallowa County Fair
  - AKC Dog show
  - Cleaning Rodeo Grounds

### Senior Year (2016-17)

#### Offices Held:

- FFA Chapter Community Coordinator
- 4-H Club Secretary

#### FFA Activities:

- Job Interview
- Prepared Public Speaking
- Chapter Creed Speaking Event
- District Proficiencies
- Livestock Judging
- Wallowa County Fair
- Eastern Oregon Livestock Show

#### Other Activities:

- Cross-Country
- Softball
- 4-H

#### FFA Degrees Held

- Greenhand Degree
- Chapter Degree
- State Degree

**FFA Recognition Highlights**

- Star Greenhand
- Super Sophomore
- Chapter Character Award