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Together Everyone Accomplishes More

Greetings Oregon FFA Association!

During my four years in FFA I've learned so much about character, leadership, hard work, and most of all teamwork.

Teamwork is the actions of individuals brought together for a common purpose or goal in which the individuals set aside their own personal wants and needs for the greater good of the team. I have no better example of this than the Perrydale FFA's, Food For All event. Instead of individual chapters working on their own and competing with other chapters to collect food to help others, we combine the forces of many of the chapters within the Lower Willamette District and work as one whole to accomplish a goal that would be just crazy for us to do on our own. Over 211,000 pounds of food were collected and distributed to families and food banks this past holiday season. That number continues to grow every year. It could not have been done without the help and cooperation of many chapters coming together for the simple goal of helping others. *"It is amazing how much can be accomplish when it doesn't matter who gets the credit."*

Whether it is a Parliamentary Procedure, Soils or Ag Sales team, Oregon FFA, we have what it takes to be successful together. It is with immense excitement and pride that I announce my candidacy for the 2010-2011 Oregon State Officer Team. I believe that together we can accomplish our biggest goals and reach our highest dreams.

Sincerely,

Ellie Carmona

Lower Willamette District Vice President

Perrydale Chapter President

The FFA Mission

FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for **premier leadership, personal growth and career success** through agricultural education.