



## Silverton FFA Chapter

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Oregon FFA,

Senior year is a year of so many emotions with much excitement, fear, and planning packed into a short nine months. This chapter of my life has also been the hardest for me mentally. Summer of 2018 was not the easiest because of the fact that I started having my first struggles with anxiety. Just two days before I started my senior year, my beloved grandpa passed away from cancer. As time went on, it got a little more difficult with every trial. I was so nervous for school to start in fear that I wouldn't know how to handle myself in similar situations. His passing started me on a downhill spiral that resulted in bad grades, self disappointment, and finally desperation for help, that I would soon find.

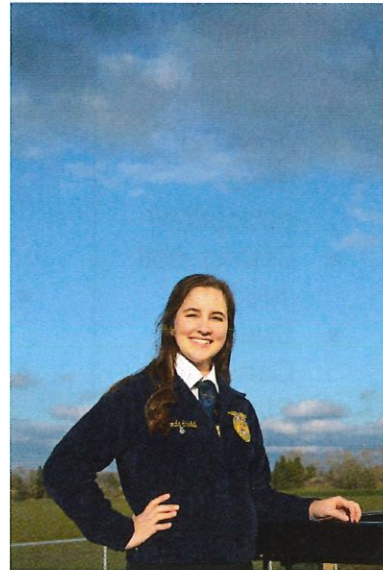
One day as my fellow officer team and I were laughing so hard we were crying, something just hit me like a brick wall; these are the people and the moments that get me through trials in my life. No matter what I had been going through that day, or where I was in life, these people have always had my back. Having this great support system within FFA has carried me throughout the years. From laughs to tears, they've been here all the way. As of now, my grades are at an all time high, and I am confident in myself and my purpose for the near future. I hope in this next year, I can be there the same for fellow FFA members the same way they were for me. I wish to inspire, love, and educate each and everyone of you.

It is with great excitement that I announce my candidacy for the 2019-2020 Oregon State Officer FFA team. Join me on this journey of REACHing for leadership, personal growth, and career success!

With anticipation,



Amanda Stadel  
Silverton FFA Chapter Sentinel



*Even after all this time the Sun never says to the Earth, "You owe me". Look what happens with a love like that. It lights up the whole sky.*

<u>Freshman Year</u>	<u>Sophomore Year</u>	<u>Junior Year</u>	<u>Senior Year</u>
<b>2015-2016</b>	<b>2016-2017</b>	<b>2017-2018</b>	<b>2018-2019</b>
<u>FFA</u>	<u>FFA</u>	<u>FFA</u>	<u>FFA</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Greenhand Degree</li> <li>● Chapter Alumni Auction</li> <li>● Food for America (beef education)</li> <li>● District Soil Judging</li> <li>● State Convention</li> <li>● State Fair Clean-Up</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Capitol District Leadership Camp</li> <li>● Food for America (beef education, group leader)</li> <li>● State Fair Clean-Up</li> <li>● District Beginners Rituals Contest</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Chapter Alumni Auction</li> <li>● Welcome BBQ</li> <li>● Parliamentary Procedure</li> <li>● National Convention</li> <li>● State Convention</li> <li>● Marion County Fair Clean-Up</li> <li>● State Fair Cleanup</li> <li>● County Fair Breeding Heifer Project</li> <li>● Co-Op Quiz</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● National Convention</li> <li>● State Convention</li> <li>● Chapter food drive</li> <li>● District Rituals Contest</li> <li>● Welcome BBQ</li> <li>● 30 Day Challenge</li> <li>● Chapter Alumni Auction FFA Goal Speech</li> <li>● Silverton Chapter Sentinel</li> </ul>
<u>School/Other</u>	<u>School/Other</u>	<u>School/Other</u>	<u>School/Other</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 4-H Market steer</li> <li>● 4-H Reserve Champion Breeding Heifer</li> <li>● 4-H Rate-of-Gain Champion</li> <li>● Volunteer @ SACA food bank</li> <li>● Vacation Bible School Volunteer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 4-H Market Steer</li> <li>● JV Basketball</li> <li>● Varsity Track</li> <li>● Key Club</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Graduation Committee</li> <li>● Graduation Set-Up and Take-Down</li> <li>● Backroads Beef Club President</li> <li>● Key Club</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Silverton Cross Country</li> <li>● SHS Spirit Leader</li> <li>● Vacation Bible School Volunteer</li> </ul>

*"FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for PREMIER LEADERSHIP, PERSONAL GROWTH and CAREER SUCCESS through Agriculture Education."*