



TO : FFA Advisors  
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SUBJECT : **50th Annual FFA Field Day, March 10, 2018**

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The College of Agriculture of California State University, Chico and the Agriculture and Natural Resources Department at Butte Community College invites all FFA members to participate in the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual FFA Field Day. The field day is scheduled to be held on **Saturday, March 10, 2018.**

**\*\*Important Changes\*\***

**The Light Horses Judging CDE will not be offered at the 2018 Chico State FFA Field Day.**

**The Marketing Plan CDE will be offered at the 2018 Chico State FFA Field Day.**

**The Floriculture CDE will have a preliminary contest on Friday, March 9 2018. Teams that do not qualify will not be refunded registration fees. Teams that do not qualify will have the opportunity to attend workshops to improve their skills on the day of the field day.**

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- All advisors may collect receipts of payment online or at the Agriculture Teaching and Research Center (University Farm) Pavilion from 7:00 – 12:00 noon on the day of the field day.
- Registration will close on **February 26, 2018**, and any changes until this point may be made online. All fees must be paid **on or before March 1, 2018**. If we have not received payment by this date, your registration will be cancelled. *Payments should be made to the CSU Chico University Foundation.*
- Refunds will not be issued unless notified before **February 19, 2018**.
- Contests with waitlists will be filled as registration positions open and will be finalized on or before **March 2, 2018**.
- Refer to the following page or registration website for a complete list of contests and locations. <http://ag.csuchico.edu/ffafieldday>.
- Please register online at the following website starting on **December 8, 2017 at 8 am**. Choose the registration link on the Field Day page and use your CalAgEd login and password to register your school. The website contains additional details about each contest.

- Please note that the Agriculture Mechanics, Agriculture Welding, Nursery/Landscape, Livestock, Floriculture, Meat Judging, and Small Engines contests have additional charges for materials.
- Agriscience manuscripts are due by **February 16, 2018** and will be turned in online. Please refer to the link for submission on the Field Day page.
- W-9 can be found at the aforementioned website.

## **2018 Contest Offerings**

<b><u>Contest</u></b>	<b><u>Registration Time</u></b>	<b><u>Contest/Check in Location</u></b>
*Agricultural Mechanics	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC Farm Shop II
Agricultural Pest Control	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Butte Hall
*Agricultural Sales	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Butte Hall
**Agricultural Welding	7:15 – 8:00	Butte College Welding Shop
Agriscience Fair	Set-up time: Saturday, March 11 <sup>th</sup> , 7 – 8	CSUC Farm Pavilion
Agronomy	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Tehama Hall
Best Informed Greenhand	12:00 – 12:45	CSUC Farm Pavilion
*Farm Power and Machinery	7:15 – 8:00	Butte College Shop Bldg.
Farm Record Book	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Tehama Hall
*Floriculture	7:00 – 7:45	TBA
Forestry	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Tehama Hall
Fruit Tree Judging	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC O. H. Unit
Livestock	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC Farm Beef Unit
Marketing (Coops)	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Butte Hall
Marketing Plan	7:00 – 8:00	TBA
Meat Judging	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC Farm Meats Lab
Milk Quality & Dairy Foods	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Plumas Hall
Nursery/Landscape	7:15 – 8:00	Butte College O.H. Unit
Poultry Judging	7:00 – 7:45	TBA
Small Engines	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC Farm Classrooms
Soil and Land Evaluation	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC Farm Pavilion
*Veterinary Science	7:00 – 8:00	CSUC Campus, Butte Hall
Vegetable Crops	7:00 – 7:45	CSUC Farm – Organic Vegetable Garden

\*Contests which have been waitlisted in the past.

\*\* Contact Butte College for waitlist.