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Save on farm and ranch gear with new Dungarees member benefit

Oklahoma Farm Bureau members can now receive up to 15% off premium work wear brands including Ariat®, Carhartt®, CAT®, Wolverine®, YETI® products and more, thanks to a new member benefit partnership with Dungarees.

Dungarees carries a massive inventory of premium men's and women's work wear brands, including one of the largest

selections of Carhartt® in the nation.

Farm Bureau members receive a 10% discount on orders under \$200, 15% discount on orders over \$200 and free shipping on all orders over \$55 (in the contiguous U.S. only). Plus, members can receive a limited time free gift when they spend at least \$100. To receive the discount and special offer, use the code "OKFRB" on the last page of checkout.

Conveniently located in the central U.S., new products are usually never more than a few shipping days away. Farm Bureau members understand the value of a hard-earned dollar, and Dungarees wants to honor that by providing high-quality products, friendly customer service and fast shipping. Start shopping today at Dungarees.com.



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Convention details to be available for members unable to attend OKFB's 78th Annual Meeting in OKC Nov. 8-10

Oklahoma Farm Bureau's 78th Annual Meeting Nov. 8-10 at the Cox Convention Center serves as the organization's largest annual gathering. For members unable to attend, award information, videos, photos, press releases and much more will be available on the OKFB website along with live updates on Facebook and Twitter.

Awards presented during the annual meeting will include:

- County awards
- Leopold award
- Announcement of the YF&R Discussion Meet winner
- High School Discussion Meet winners
- YF&R Charles Roff award
- YF&R Achievement award
- Lewis Munn award
- John I. Taylor award
- Journalist of the Year award
- Secretary of the Year award
- Distinguished Service award
- Farm and Ranch Family Recognition

Videos for all Farm and Ranch Family Recognition recipients will be available on social media and YouTube, along with the YF&R Achievement Award recipient.

A schedule of the annual meeting is available at okfarmbureau.org.

Members of ODAFF Agriculture Youth Leadership Council learn about OKFB



Above: Members of the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry's Agriculture Youth Leadership Council met with leaders and staff at Oklahoma Farm Bureau Oct. 17. The young leaders learned about OKFB's work for agriculture and rural Oklahoma.

Bill would help ranchers better manage livestock market volatility

Rep. Frank Lucas, alongside Reps. Dusty Johnson, R-S.D., and Liz Cheney, R-W.Y., recently introduced the Livestock Risk Management and Education Act to provide grants to certain state land-grant universities to better equip livestock producers with risk management training.

"Today's livestock producers face a variety of unique challenges day in and day out, especially in Oklahoma where weather creates an additional element of uncertainty," said Rodd Moesel, Oklahoma Farm Bureau president. "The Livestock Risk Management and Education Act will bring much-needed risk management tools and resources to our state's livestock producers. We appreciate Rep. Frank Lucas and his work to help provide stability and certainty to Oklahoma farmers and ranchers."

The legislation, which would provide resources to improve livestock producers' knowledge of futures markets to better manage market volatility, also is supported by the American Farm Bureau Federation.

"Livestock producers are not immune from a tough farm economy," said Scott VanderWal, AFBF vice president and South Dakota Farm Bureau president. "Producers need every tool at their disposal to manage risk and have the market intel available to optimize their ability to weather economic volatility. The Livestock Risk Management and Education Act will help land-grant universities partner with producer associations to make sure more producers have market and risk management information they can trust to make vital business decisions."

Member Benefits

OKFB Buyers Guide

The Oklahoma Farm Bureau Buyers Guide is a directory of businesses providing products and services for your rural lifestyle. Browse curated categories to connect with companies

that provide a variety of agricultural and professional services to help you. From seed and hay to farm equipment and repairs, the buyers guide is your one-stop directory for

your farm and ranch needs.

Browse the Oklahoma Farm Bureau Buyers Guide at okfarmersbuyersguide.com.

www.okfarmbureau.org/benefits

AFBF celebrates official centennial Nov. 12



Join us in celebrating the American Farm Bureau Federation centennial Nov. 12.

Founded Nov. 12, 1919, AFBF has provided all farmers and ranchers with a voice in our nation's capital.

No matter what you may grow or where, farmers and ranchers come together through Farm Bureau to work for the good of agriculture, bringing groups of grassroots members to Washington, D.C., to speak directly with legislators on how proposed

farm policy would affect them.

A lot has changed in 100 years, but farmers' and ranchers' most essential needs and concerns have not. Then and now, we need markets for what we produce, labor to grow and harvest it, infrastructure to transport it, and fair prices to keep our businesses going.

We are proud to celebrate our 78 years as Oklahoma Farm Bureau and 100 years as a national organization.

Okfuskee County students learn more about the dairy industry

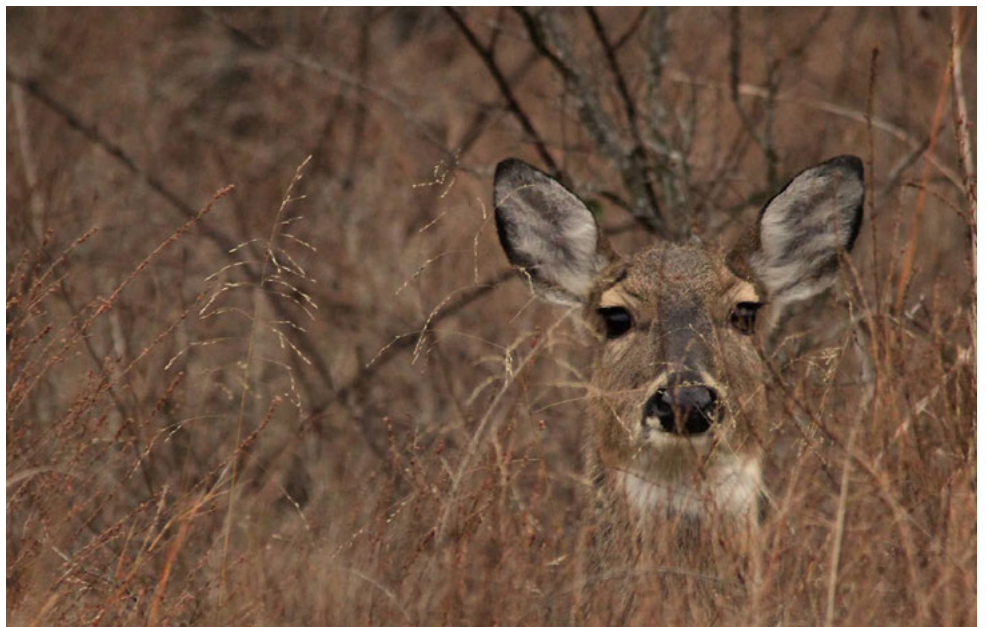
Elementary students in Okfuskee County had the opportunity to learn about the dairy industry. Members of the Okfuskee County Farm Bureau hosted the Southwest/Southland Dairy Farmers Mobile Dairy Classroom, which features a live dairy cow, teaching students how to milk a cow, how milk makes its way from the farm to the glass and much more.



Holiday deer season a win-win for landowners and hunters

In December of 2001, the first special antlerless deer season was opened to help manage the state's deer herd by increasing doe harvest opportunities. Today, nearly 35,000 hunters take advantage of the bonus hunt, which allows hunters one antlerless deer that does not count toward their season bag limit. Referred to today as the Holiday Antlerless Season in reference to the season's dates, opening before Christmas and closing before New Year's Day, this season gives hunters one last chance to use a modern firearm to put some deer meat in the freezer.

Landowners with agriculture fields can benefit from this antlerless hunting opportunity to manage the deer population on their property as deer become fairly predictable using these fields. This year, the Holiday Antlerless season opens December 20 and runs through December 29. For more information regarding regulations and license requirements, visit www.wildlifedepartment.com.



Above: Through the Holiday Antlerless Season, hunters will be allowed one bonus hunt of an antlerless deer that does not count toward their season bag limit. For more information on how to participate, regulations, and license requirements, visit www.wildlifedepartment.com. Photo courtesy of Tammy Shelton-Wilson.

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Join OKFB members at the 2020 AFBF Annual Convention in Austin

Join Farm Bureau members from across the nation at the American Farm

Bureau Annual Convention & Trade Show in Austin, Texas January 17-22. For more

information about how to attend the annual convention, contact your county office.



The banner features a background of a wooden fence with a blue and red gradient. On the left, the Farm Bureau logo is displayed, consisting of a stylized leaf design and the text "Farm Bureau® The Voice of Agriculture®". The main text, "AFBF Annual Convention & Trade Show", is written in large, bold, red and blue letters. At the bottom, the hashtag "#AFBF2020" is on the left, and "January 17-22 • 2020 ☆ Austin • TX" is on the right.

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