**2018 DeWitt Central FFA Awards Banquet**

**by: Noah Conard, chapter reporter-** On Saturday, April 28th, the DeWitt Central FFA Chapter had its 2018-chapter banquet. There were thirty-five members in attendance as well as many guests. Also in attendance, this year were four district officers and one past state FFA president Zach Hamilton.

The banquet was held in the Central DeWitt auditorium and the atrium. At the banquet, this year we held our annual labor auction where 12 pairs/groups of members were auctioned off for 16 total hours’ worth of work.

Also in our action were Toys the Alumni donated to sell, two metal truck hitch covers were donated by Spencer Paysen and a metal American flag was donated by the Coomer family.

The chapter recognized Hobbie Stutt of River Valley Cooperative as its honorary degree recipient this year. Stacy Bloom and Rodney Bratthauer were the recipients of this year’s Blue and Gold awards. Members also made a special thank you presentations for our Advisor Mrs. Amy Grantz and Coach Ms. Jenna Stevens.

The Banquet is a great way each year for our chapter to look back on all our accomplishments as well as a good way to look towards our future.

The 2018-2019 DeWitt Central FFA Officer Team:

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