# **AMS Board Communications**



# FFA & AG



### **FFA**

Livestock season is winding down for FFA. This month they have been in Houston showing gilts and heifers. Grant Beaty placed 10th respectively with his Brangus Heifer. Trey Shipp placed 10th with his gilt at the swine show. The horse judging team has been hard at work and competing very strong in contests ground the state.

Jarom Larman placed 10th out of 647 in Houston. Denton County Fair is coming up next week where we will have over 65 entries. The Aubrey Livestock show and sale is scheduled for Saturday, April 5th. School board and Administration are welcome to compete in Adult Showmanship during the show. (you will borrow one of the students animals). Mr. Pierce has already signed up to show his pig.

### <u>AG</u>

8th grade Ag is finishing up their animal science units and will soon be working in the shop making step stools and working with copper and PVC pipe.

7th grade has been working on finding the perfect college and finding awesome scholarships to pay for the rising price of college. Students will soon be working on their job unit. They also just started their Junior Achievement with the TWU students.

# **OTHER AMS NEWS**

BOOKFAIR 3/17/14 THROUGH 3/21/14

OPEN HOUSE 3/20/2014

# Art

The Art Department at AMS is holding their 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Art Exhibit on March 31, 2014 at the Aubrey **Area Community** Library from 5:30-7:00. The event will display the art work of 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade artists from several categories. The event is open to the Aubrey Community. The art will remain on display in the

# 8th Grade

Mrs. Thetford's math classes have started probability and statistics. They are also gearing up for a total STAAR review.

Mrs. Thetford's algebra 1 classes are working with polynomials including addition, subtraction,

multiplying and special products of polynomials. They are also gearing up for the STAAR test.

Mrs. Howard's Science Classes are studying light years and the universe.



## 6th Grade

ELAR classes are in the midst of a writing project using the writing process. They have also been working on reading strategies, dictionary skills, academic vocabulary in preparation for the state assessment.

