



May 2026

## 6th Annual SCFB Foundation Trivia Night

We're thrilled to share that our 2026 Trivia Night Fundraiser was a fantastic success! Thanks to the incredible support of our community, this was our most successful trivia night to date, all to benefit the Stark County Farm Bureau Foundation.

With a packed venue, enthusiastic teams, and some truly impressive "Trivia through the Eras" knowledge on display, the night was filled with laughter, friendly competition, and generosity.

A big congratulations to Team Helena for taking home the grand prize!

We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all who participated, donated, and volunteered to make this event possible. Special appreciation goes to our sponsors, our volunteers and to our trivia hostess Ms. Karen.

Not only did we come together to support the Stark County Farm Bureau Foundation, but we also had the honor of recognizing five individuals who make a difference in our AITC Program. Mr. Brett Elliott, Mrs. Haley Down, Mrs. Debbie Ford, Mrs. Sarah DeBord, and Ms. Rita Krause.



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*You're Invited!*

**STARK | MARSHALL | PUTNAM  
SUMMER AG INSTITUTE  
TEACHER WORKSHOP**

Thursday, May 28 | 8:00am to 4:00pm  
Stark Co. Jr Fair Building - Wyoming, IL

Discover the roots of food, farming, and sustainability through hands-on learning, farm tours, and curriculum-ready resources.

- ☑ Earn professional development hours
- ☑ Take home classroom-ready materials
- ☑ Connect with ag experts & fellow educators
- ☑ Hands-on activities and experience

Stark County AGRICULTURE in the Classroom. Stark County FARM BUREAU. Marshall-Putnam AGRICULTURE in the Classroom.

Scan the QR code to register! Register by May 8th.



This year we will be reaching over 700 students ranging from K-12 this year in three different schools!



## Beef Month

We've been raising the "steaks" this March with Stark County Ag in the Classroom!

Our Beef Cattle lesson had students moving through where their food comes from—starting with our amazing American Cattle Producers who work hard to bring beef to our tables. We also dug into Country of Origin, helping students “meat” the facts about where their food is raised and why supporting U.S. agriculture matters!

Then we "taco'd" bout the best part...

Students enjoyed tacos while learning how every single layer ...from the beef .. to the toppings and shells, it can all be traced back to the farmer. Talk about a well-rounded meal AND lesson! This month was truly yummy, and we're so grateful to help students connect the dots from pasture to plate.



## Soil Month

Miss Karen was busy "digging up the dirt" this April with Ag in the Classroom!

We got our hands dirty learning all about soil...how precious it is and how important it is to protect it. Students discovered how soil erosion can carry away valuable nutrients, and how farmers work hard to keep that from happening using practices like no-till farming, contour farming, waterways, crop rotation, and even GPS technology to farm smarter and more sustainably.

And of course... no soil lesson would be complete without a sweet treat! Miss Karen whipped up “dirt” dessert cups topped with Trolli worms.... because the best way to learn about dirt is to eat it, right?!

