Giving Tuesday

KFAC will once again participate in the #GivingTuesday movement this year, taking place Tuesday, Nov. 27th. This will be the third year KFAC has participated. The day marks a global day of giving, following the spirit of the Thanksgiving holiday. To give to KFAC on Giving Tuesday, simply go to www.givinggrid.com/kfac2018. You will find a colorful giving grid, where you click any square to start. This system allows you to put in your name and company as well as enter in a card number securely to make your donation. It also allows you or your company to stay anonymous if you so wish. KFAC will also be accepting checks mailed to our office.

KFAC participated in 2017 and raised nearly $10,000. This year, we are excited to partner with Central National Bank and Farm Credit Associations of Kansas, who will match every donation at $0.50 on the dollar, making it a dollar for dollar match. We greatly appreciate the support from these two great match donors.

Interested in participating or becoming a match donor? Contact KFAC for more information at (785) 320-4350 or info@ksagclassroom.org.

Agritag

Currently, we have over 1,000 Agri-tags on the road! Be a “driving” force to double the message of agricultural literacy with these moving billboards. If you or someone you know are interested in getting an Agri-tag, please visit your county treasurer’s office.

For an annual tax-deductible donation of $35, you can help further KFAC’s mission of connecting classrooms to Kansas agriculture. The agri-tag is the only agriculture-related specialty tag in the state. Join us in promoting Kansas’ number one industry - agriculture! Click here for more information!
Lesson Plan Feature

Our Edible Soil Profile lesson plan is for third through fifth graders. Students will identify soil layers and characteristics of each layer and demonstrate soil erosion as well as conservation practices. Click here to visit the full lesson plan!

Teacher Feature

Our November teacher feature is Amber Kriley from Ogden Elementary. Throughout her childhood school years, Kriley had great teachers who inspired her to learn and pursue a career in education. Kriley grew up on her family farm that has been in her family for over a hundred years. Along with her family farm, Kriley was actively involved in 4-H for eleven years and in FFA for four years. She allows her own passion shine through as she prioritizes integrating agriculture into her classroom. By adapting her lessons to integrate agriculture, Kriley’s students learn how agriculture is everywhere in life. She believes her students enjoy learning about agriculture because they get to learn more about her agricultural background on a personal level, which builds a stronger classroom atmosphere. She also thinks it’s important for her students to learn about agriculture because they all have grown up in an agricultural community. Her favorite KFAC lesson plan is “Celebrate Wheat” because it provides students with information about one of the most abundant crops in Kansas. Congratulations, Amber! Click here to view the whole teacher feature!

Donor Feature

This month’s Donor Feature is the Kansas Department of Agriculture (KDA). KDA is the nation’s first state department of agriculture. The agency is devoted to the total support of agriculture in Kansas. Visit their website at https://agriculture.ks.gov

October Wrap-Up

October was a month of reflection for KFAC, after many months of huge projects. We were able to slow down and appreciate the website we have spent so many months creating. We have enjoyed showing this great new addition off to all of our donors, supporters and teachers. We are now gearing up for our annual meeting and looking forward to the next big leaps KFAC is ready to take!

Briana and Cathy