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Solano County Fair Association 16th Annual Youth Ag Day

- Review of March 20, 2018 Youth Ag Day activities at the Solano County Fairgrounds

Presented to Solano County Board of Supervisors
on April 3, 2018
Solano County Fair Association



YOUTH AG DAY

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What's in a number?

This year, in **4** hours, **122** classes from **44** schools visited **43** presenters who connected with **2,808** third-graders, **115** teachers, and **618** chaperones thanks to **53** volunteers and many generous supporters who have raised over **\$41,105** to make it happen.



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Children learn about fruits and vegetables, and how we grow them



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Children learn how farmers & ranchers manage their livestock



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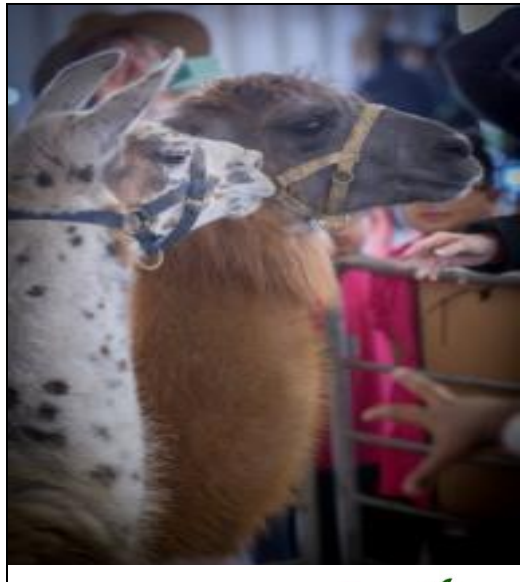
Over **30,000** ...

that's the number of third-graders in
Solano County who have participated in
Youth Ag Day over the last **15** years
since the Fairgrounds started this annual
agricultural education event in **2003**.



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Children learn how raw material is converted into consumer products



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Children get up close to farm animals that provide food, fiber, labor & fun



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What's in a number?

1 County

6 Participating Cities & **1** Air Base

7 School Districts

1,000_s of third-grade
minds to enrich



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Children learn about the environment and how to be good stewards



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It takes a lot of buses to get 2,808 students to and from 44 schools



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What's in a number?

\$11.86 per student

= Cost for Youth Ag Day

\$0 per student

= Charge to Schools for Youth Ag Day

\$550

= Amount per bus provided through generous sponsorships and donations



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