



EXCELLENCE IS JUST A WORD TO SOME, BUT FOR THE ANIMAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT AT OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY, IT'S A TRADITION.

To continue to excel, support is needed to add to the Purebred/Teaching Center Endowments. **Make your gift today.**

“ *As a sixth generation dairy farmer, I have increased my knowledge working at the Ferguson Family Dairy Center. I have gained hands-on opportunities that have broadened my dairy knowledge and sharpened my animal husbandry skills. Partaking in various farm chores, I have been able to further my education on dairy cattle nutrition, reproduction and calf care.”*

— **TAYLOR LEACH**, Animal Science and Agricultural Communications, Senior



“ *Working at the OSU Sheep and Goat Center has cultivated relationships and opened extremely beneficial opportunities for me on a personal and professional level. The Barn is a tremendous asset to the Animal Science Department, university and students regarding teaching, research and Extension. I have gained knowledge and experience that will be advantageous in my planned career as an agricultural education instructor.”*

— **BARRETT NEWELL**, Agricultural Education, Junior

“ *The Charles and Linda Cline Equine Teaching Center has greatly enriched my college experience. Working at an equine breeding farm, I've learned how to run and maintain a facility, from general pasture maintenance to equine health and reproduction. I have gained practical, industry skills, which a person simply cannot learn during a lecture. The experience makes me feel like an important member of OSU and proud to be a part of the animal science family.”*

— **REBECCA JANES**, Animal Science, Junior



By joining us and contributing to these endowments, you are supporting the operation and maintenance of each Center, ensuring our facilities and purebred herds will be sustained for current and future Cowboys. Through your support, we will continue to employ some of the finest animal science students in the nation; propelling them into a bright future. Annual costs at each center often include student labor, feed, vet expenses, equipment and facility improvements. Individuals, companies or organizations who contribute \$10,000 or more to an endowment fund will be recognized on a plaque in the respective Center.

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- Dairy Center Endowment Fund
- Equine Center Endowment Fund
- Purebred Beef Center Endowment Fund
- Sheep and Goat Center Endowment Fund
- Swine Center Endowment Fund
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