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Dr. Ro is currently reading:
[Elon Musk](#) by Ashlee Vance

LWCS SHINE AT FFA CONVENTION

Bok South and LWHS's FFA were named Premier Chapters at the recent 94th State Convention. This award was initiated to recognize superior achievement by chapters in Agricultural Education and the FFA. To be eligible for this award, a chapter must be proficient in several areas, which include Alumni and Community Partnerships, Financial Planning, Public Relations, Recruitment, and other FFA activities.

Additionally, Bok South Ag Teacher and FFA Sponsor, Emilynn Sharpless was elected by her peers to the Florida FFA Board of Directors as the Area 4 Teacher Representative. Mrs. Sharpless says, "The FFA impacted my life by giving me a career path and fostering leadership skills to excel in my career."

Also, LWHS student and FFA member Clayton Keene was named the State Winner of Creed Speaking Leadership Development. His Ag Teacher, Paige Griffin says Clayton, "poured his heart and soul into this contest. His hard work and dedication paid off. He is a remarkable young man and I am beyond proud of him. He has a great spirit."

Congratulations Bok South and LWHS FFA! Agriculture Education is alive and well in Lake Wales Charter Schools!

