On Saturday, June 7th, FAMU Cooperative Extension held their 4th Annual Farm Fest Spring Agri-Showcase at the FAMU Research and Extension Center in Quincy, Florida. The event started with the first 2K Rattler Farm Run/Walk, bright and early at 7:30 am and then the festivities of the Farm Fest commenced at 9 am. There were over 200 people in attendance, as adults and children enjoyed the 2K run/walk, exhibits, seminars, tours, lunch and music.

We would like thank each and every participant, exhibitor, attendee, vendor and supporter of FAMU Cooperative Extension and look forward to the 2014 Fall Farm Fest later this year.

Extension Associate Director, Mrs. Vonda Richardson, participants and facilitators before the 2K Rattler Farm Run/Walk.
Facilitator, Kevin Harrison of Kevs_PerfectFit, warms up the participants.

Walkers and runners, eager to go, at the starting line.
Congratulations to all the participants of the first annual 2K Rattler Farm Run/Walk event. Special recognition to the “Fastest Adult”, Mrs. Lynn Jones (pictured, upper right) and the “Fastest Kid” Mrs. Jones’ granddaughter, Ahmari Williams (pictured, bottom right).

See you all in the Fall!
The ladies at registration (Extension employees and volunteers) getting everything in order for participants to enjoy the festivities

Mrs. Vonda Richardson, Extension Associate Director, gives the welcoming address

Rep. Alan Williams, stopped by to speak to the Farm Fest crowd

Dr. Lawrence Carter, presiding over the Farm Fest opening.

Dr. S. Leong, addresses the Farm Fest attendees

Dr. Michael Thomas, speaks to the attendees about the 100th celebration of Cooperative Extension

Mr. James Hill, Southern Region SARE 1890 Land–Grant Liaison (Ft Valley State)
Exhibitors/Vendors

Johnston's Meat Market

Southeast Climate

AAA Tree Experts

FAMU-CAFS Veterinary Technology Program

Ms. Emily Lowe, Farm Credit of Northwest Florida

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Special thanks to the “Internal Exhibits”, whom held workshops and/or displays for the event.

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Farm Fest Attendees
Congratulations to Dr. Dreamal Worthen on her retirement, for over 30 years of service….

…..and the graduates of the Master Farmer and Master Goat Program 2014.
A special ‘Thank You” to all of our volunteers whom served from the beginning to the end! Also, we would like to thank Mr. Tommeron Timmons for organizing the volunteers for this event.
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