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# FBLA NOTES

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**F**orty years of  
**B**usiness students  
**L**eading the way to  
**A** strong future



## State Officer Projects

**Ben Harris:** The name of my project is called "A Chance for Change", because just the change out of your pocket can save a life. For my project, each FBLA chapter will be asked to create a children's-themed piggy bank that also includes the NH FBLA theme of 2011-2012. The banks do not have to be in the form of a pig and should be creative and look like a child would use the bank. Chapters are to raise money in their piggy bank and bring both the bank and a check to the 2011 Fall Leadership Workshop. The checks should be made payable to the Make-a Wish Foundation or MAW. The piggy banks will be judged at the Fall Leadership Workshop on appearance, creativity, and relevance to the NH FBLA Theme. The top three chapters in the judging and the chapter that raises the most money will earn points towards Gold Seal Chapter at the 2011 State Leadership Conference.

**Jesseca Kallini:** Pantene Beautiful Lengths is a non-profit organization that donates wigs free of charge to men and women who have lost their hair due to chemotherapy. I believe that this charity is one that FBLA, and all schools, should get involved with because cancer is an unstoppable disease that millions of people suffer from. Pantene Beautiful Lengths makes it so patients won't have to worry about their appearance while they are fighting for their lives.

In order to participate, grow your hair out to 8 inches, and the have your stylist cut your hair while it's in a ponytail, and you simply place it in a plastic bag and mail to the Pantene Beautiful Lengths Headquarters. Something so simple can make someone's life so much better, and what is better than making someone smile.

Stay tuned for more information on my project!

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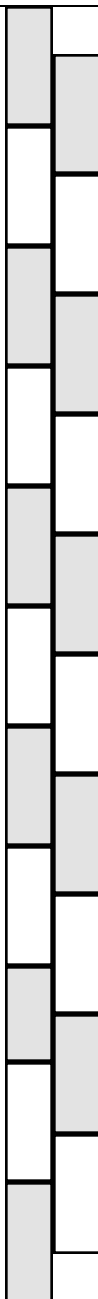
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**Justin Woods/Brad Baker:** Our project is 40 Miles in 40 Days.—Raising Awareness About Diabetes.

**What Is 40 Miles In 40 Days?** 40 Miles In 40 Days is a New Hampshire FBLA statewide fundraiser that promotes exercise and a healthier life!

**How Do I Participate?** It's all in the name! You must walk 40 Miles in 40 days When you walk, record your distance on the sheets provided.

**How Do I Raise Funds?** Money will be raised by finding sponsors. Try asking local business and family members for a donation of at least \$5.

**What Can I Do?** It's simple! Walk or run, then log the distance that you travel. At the end of the 40 days, pass your page into your advisor he/she will mail your sheets to the state team where we will draw one of the sheets out of a bucket. The person whose sheet we draw will win a prize!

We will have more information for you at the FLW including a speaker on this subject.

***DID YOU  
KNOW?***

More than a third of young people in grades 9 to12 do not regularly engage in vigorous physical activity!

**Lucas LaScala:** My NH FBLA State Project is to increase awareness and boost membership of NH FBLA through early exposure and easy access to information. This will involve creating a 5-8 minute video clip that will be shown at the Fall Leadership Conference and will be given out in DVD form to be shown to all FBLA chapters across New Hampshire. The video will also be put up on the NH FBLA website.



**What's new at [www.fbla-pbl.org](http://www.fbla-pbl.org)**

**FBLA-PBL has committed to raise money for FBLA chapters in the areas hit by tornadoes and floods. Money raised will help rebuild schools and universities. FBLA-PBL will also cover travel expenses for students in those areas to attend the NLC in Orlando FLA. If you wish to donate, please see the national website: [www.fbla-pbl.org/relief](http://www.fbla-pbl.org/relief).**