

A Distinctive Display!

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This past summer Ray Harris and his FFA students were on display. But, the added attention wasn't at all bad, in fact it was definitely distinctive!

As part of their summer fun, Harris and his students attended the West Valley FFA Fair. There they set up a Selah FFA display that highlighted the group's restoration work with antique farm equipment. As a result of the group's high quality work, the display was honored with an *Award of Distinction* for being the most outstanding fair-wide.

The prestige in earning an *Award of Distinction* is that a state evaluator presents the award and it is not necessarily awarded each year. On a year-by-year basis the evaluator determines from a list of standards if a display meets the criteria for being honored as distinctive. Some years the award is presented, in other years there may not be a display that meets the distinctive standards.

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Coming up, Harris and the FFA contingent will once again be looking to be the most distinctive of the group as they participate in the annual fall tradition of showcasing their agricultural and landscaping projects at the Central Washington State Fair. Please plan on marking a date to view the exhibits—they too will undoubtedly be distinctive!