

# MJC Field Day 2019

MJC just completed a phenomenal field day on March 23<sup>rd</sup>. Not only were there over 300 plus MJC students that helped put this contest on, but there were over 2,000 students that participated in 20 different contests. MJC students and faculty members have been preparing for this event since November of 2018, and with this thorough preparation all contest ran smooth and efficiently. Field day contests are a great way for students in high school to view different campuses all across the state of California and with our well known field day the Agriculture Department is put on a pedestal for one of the best agriculture programs for a junior college within the state and nation. Students are able to gain hands on experience, develop critical thinking skills, communication development, and network with future professors, colleagues, and industry leaders.



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MJC's contests consisted of; AET Farm Record Book, Agricultural Communications, Agricultural Mechanics, Agricultural Sales, Agronomy, Agriscience Fair, Best Informed Greenhand, Dairy Cattle Judging, Employment Skills (Job interview), Farm Business Management, Farm Power and Machinery, Floriculture, Fruit Tree Judging, Livestock Judging, Meat Judging, Milk Quality and Dairy Foods, Nursery/ Landscape, Poultry Judging, Small Engines, and Veterinary Science. With multiple contests it is important to have organizational skills and dependability; therefore there were 42 committee chairmen, and 4 overall chairmen of the entire field day. The four overall chairmen were; Adrianna Toste and Rylie Waterman (Sophomore Chairs), and Marco Marsigli and Kaylie Kobernick (Freshman Chairs). Without the help of our hardworking MJC students the field day would have never been pulled off, and for that the entire department and California FFA puts their hats off to these students. Now to start planning and preparing for 2020 MJC Field Day!

