

# Painting the Town, One Stroke at a Time



***Kaley Schweitzer, sophomore Ambassador of FCCLA, helped to coordinate an event called "Paint the Town."***

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As the group of people gathered on Main Street, the evidence was there in plain sight. Paint covered the sidewalk, and several bystanders stood and surveyed the scene. But it wasn't an act of vandalism; it wasn't senseless destruction of property in the form of graffiti. It was the product of sophomore Kaley Schweitzer's FCCLA Service Project.

Schweitzer helped to lead the community activity, "Paint the Town," on Sunday, September 14, to kick off Homecoming week. FCCLA put together stations throughout Main Street; one station had paint

and paint brushes and another station had a free meal of hotdogs, chips, and ice cold lemonade.

The members of the Redfield FCCLA Chapter encouraged the community to write slogans wishing the Pheasants good luck on the Homecoming football game that was held on September 19.

Despite Schweitzer's best efforts to advertise her project through a multitude of mediums, the weather did not cooperate to help her achieve the turnout she was expecting. Although not as many may have gone as the RHS sophomore may have wished, it seems that everyone who attended the event enjoyed it.

"We got to bond with our friends and be creative," sophomore Tana Muellenberg said. She added, "I'm really glad Kaley did this project, it was a ton of fun!"