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Three years ago today, we broke ground on our New Frontiers project. The groundbreaking anniversary serves as a reminder of the tremendous support for the project and the start of the construction journey. As we celebrate this milestone, I encourage you to watch the video below highlighting our favorite memorable moments.

This past year, we held our third annual tailgate where we connected with our OSU Agriculture family and promoted the success and forward momentum of the New Frontiers project. Also, in partnership with our construction team, we continued a series of hard hat tours for participants to see firsthand the progress on the construction site. We hosted several groups including New Frontiers cornerstone and major gift donors as well as OSU faculty, staff and students.

Please mark your calendars for Oct. 4-5 to celebrate the New Frontiers grand opening. More information will be forthcoming, but we can't wait to showcase the state-of-the-art facility that will strengthen OSU's land-grant mission.

Jayson Lusk

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OSU Agriculture

Celebrating Significant Milestones

As we anticipate the grand opening of the New Frontiers Agricultural Hall in the fall, let's look back at some of the significant milestones from the New Frontiers campaign and construction progress. This video was produced last fall and aired during the OSU Cowboy football game following the New Frontiers tailgate.



Campaign Update

The New Frontiers campaign is recognized as one of the fastest capital campaigns at OSU and the first academic capital campaign of this magnitude to reach its fundraising goal before the building opens. Thanks to more than **650 donors** giving **\$50,942,965** to date,

Innovation and Application, Enhancing Human and Animal Health (One Health) and Powering a Growing World Population Sustainably and Responsibly. Just as Kayleen and Larry Ferguson envisioned, this project is advancing OSU Agriculture and its programs by fostering innovation to help feed the world.

Although the campaign goal was reached in record time, fundraising efforts continue. Recently, the media wall was named by Farm Credit Associations of Oklahoma, and the Hilst Center for Student Success was named by Cornerstone Donors Lynn and Jeff Hilst. A variety of **naming opportunities** still exist, including the main **lecture hall** across from Larry and Kay's Dairy Bar, **classrooms**, **dairy bar seating area**, **outdoor patio** and **benches**.

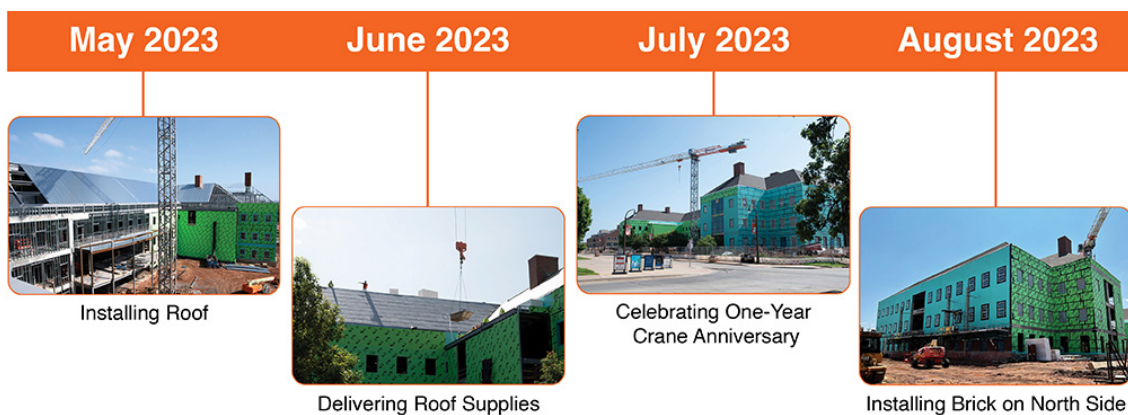


Support New Frontiers



"From all of us at the Ferguson College of Agriculture, we thank you for donating to the New Frontiers campaign. Your support is a testament to the future of the #FergusonFamily and an investment in OSU Agriculture. Because of you, we aspire to reach New Frontiers in our academic journeys." – Shayde Harris, Animal Science

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OSU Agriculture broke ground on the New Frontiers Agricultural Hall three years ago. See the progress made during the third year of construction in the time-lapse video below.

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