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*****Alert*****Do not get into your grain bins with them running. Things can happen fast and no grain is worth an accident. Be safe don't be in a hurry.

Check your mailbox. You should see evidence of the Coop advantage. The rebates for 2017/18 were mailed.

Take a picture with a FGT hat! Sent it to will.weathers@fgtcoop.com Lets see who has been the farthest away from FGT. Where did you go? (I got a few photos so far...keep them coming)

2019 HTA fee is only 5 cents.

Market Chatter-

. Beans Trading from 9.00 to 9.19? What gets us higher? A tweet with China? South America will start harvesting soon. Informa came out with their 2019 planted projections from their survey that stated corn acres would be up 2.364 million acres and soybeans would be down 2.941 acres. We are waiting on more trade talk news or maybe the State of the Union Address.

*** **If you have a number that you would like to sell make sure that you call today with your OPEN ORDER. Your order will trade day or night good until cancel. Open orders are a good tool for any market plan.**

Things to watch....Trade deal details, US and South American Exports, US and South America carry over bushels, South

America growing conditions, US planting intentions.....

Call John Oakes @ 332-0987 for your rice marketing needs. **FGT is buying rice delivered Greenville and Rosedale.**

USDA REPORT RECAP- December Report-REPORTS ARE POSTPONED UNTIL SHUTDOWN IS OVER

Corn-

Corn 17/18- 2.140 VS 2.140 billion last report carry over (**176.6 yield vs 176.6** yield last report on 90.2 million planted acres)-
Corn 18/19 -1.781 VS 1.736 billion last report carry over-(89.1 million acres with a 178.9 yield)

Soybeans-

Soybeans 17/18- 438 vs 438 million last report carry over (49.3 yield last report on 90.1 million acres)--
Soybeans 18/19 - 955 VS 955 million last report carry over. (89.1 million acres with a 53.1 yield)

World Stocks on Nov Report- (million metric tons)

	Nov-----	Dec
Soybeans	112.08-----	115.3
Corn	307.51-----	308.9
Wheat	266.71-----	268.1

Few things to note-

- **The Jan USDA report was postponed due to Government Shutdown. The February report is supposed to be Feb 8th.**
- One thing about being a local company is that you can come see us anytime to discuss the coop or markets or tour the facility.
- FGT has total account access via the web called FGT connect
- FGT has an App in the appstore/google for bids and tickets

- ***FGT- Did you Know?????***
- **That FGT began its 50th fiscal year August 1, 2018. Thanks for your business!!!!!!!!!!**
- **That FGT is not just another grain company or chemical company. It is a locally owned coop and is part of your farm investments. It makes sense and makes money to do business with yourself.**

Thanks for supporting FGT. We appreciate your business.

Going somewhere else reduces your bottom line.....

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