

Eight piglets born recently at Don Lugo High Farm

A breeding sow purchased by Don Lugo High sophomores Trynity Lizzarago and Matthew Segura last year gave birth to her first litter on Jan. 26, increasing the Don Lugo Farm livestock by eight piglets (six female and two male).

The two students purchased the female pig as a Supervised Agriculture Experience.

The sow was bred and Don Lugo High agriculture teacher Robin Olsen brought her to the Don Lugo farm. Trynity and Matthew have been taking care of the sow for three months.

Once the sow gave birth the two were able to do all the caretaking for the piglets: tying and cutting the umbilical cords, notching the piglets' ears, and giving them injections.

Pictured below:



Don Lugo High students Matthew Segura and Trynity Lizzarago help a piglet who wants to nurse.



Trynity Lizzarago works with a newborn piglet at the Don Lugo High Farm.



Holding four of the new piglets are Don Lugo student Trynity Lizzarago, Principal Kimberly Cabrera, Agriculture Counselor Cristina Domicoli, and student Matthew Segura.