On April 29-30 the Department welcomed the Arkansas Beef Council for their annual meeting. The meetings were held at the Pauline Whitaker Animal Science Center and the group also was given a tour of the Department’s meat science facilities including the abattoir and the meats kitchen.

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The Animal Science Graduate Student Association brought cheer and color to the halls of the Department of Animal Science, by hosting a door decoration and a “Spring food” competition.

They also hid five easter eggs that contained $10 Walmart gift cards for those lucky enough to find them.

Winners were:
Door Decoration - Khalisa Kitz
Food - Hailey Bartimus
Egg Hunt: Hadley Twilley, Connie Stewart, Laura Meyer, Linda Jones and Kelsey Basinger

Dr. Janeal Yancey guides the Beef Council through the meats kitchen in the Animal, Food and Life Sciences Building. She explained the various pieces of equipment and how they help with the Department’s research.

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