



Closing Ceremony

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When the business at hand has been disposed of or an appointed time for closing has arrived, the procedure is as indicated below.

President: "Mr./Mdm. Secretary or Secretary (Last Name), do you have a record of any further business which should now be transacted?"

Secretary: (Rises, replies and is seated.) "I have none, Mr./Mdm. President or President (Last Name)."

President: "Does any member know of any new or unfinished business which should properly come before this meeting? (If no answer, proceed as follows.)

"We are about to adjourn this meeting of the _____ (chapter name, district name, etc.) FFA _____ (chapter, district, etc.). As we mingle with others, let us be diligent in labor, just in our dealings, courteous to everyone and, above all, honest and fair in the game of life. Fellow members and guests, join me in a salute to our flag."

(Tap three times with gavel to call members to stand, face the flag at the reporter's station and, with their right hands over their hearts, repeat the following salute.)

All in unison: "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

President: "I now declare this meeting adjourned." (Tap once with gavel and the meeting is adjourned.)