

Grand Opening/Plot Days at FC-Rake Draws Record Crowd

FC-Rake hosted a Grand Opening for its new 24,000 ton dry fertilizer plant recently in conjunction with their annual Plot Days. Nearly 400 people were on hand to tour and learn about the new facility as well as glean information on the soybean and corn plots planted on site. Attendees were also able to check out two new 90,000 gallon NH₃ tanks, the new 2 million gallon 32% storage tank and see what over 7 million bushels of grain storage looks like.

“We were more than pleased



Creighton Nelson (FC-Rake) is interviewed by the local radio station during an on-site broadcast.

with the number of people that turned out,” said Rake Location Manager, Nathan Preuss. “The weather was

great, and that helped; but overall I think people were really curious about the huge commitment FC has made to the area farmers. There’s a lot of product and equipment here



to serve the farmer, a lot of brick and mortar, a lot of storage space and a great team. All of that allows us to serve the farmers better, faster. It was really nice to be able to showcase all of that for the local producers,” Preuss commented.

FC hosted a drawing for enough FC Seed (20 bags) and glyphosate to cover 20 acres. In addition, they gave away 80 acres of grid sampling.

“It was a successful event,” said Nathan Preuss. “We’re really proud of the whole facility – not because it looks impressive, but because it allows us to do so much more for our customers. Hopefully, people will see that we’re committed to the region and that we value their business enough to invest in a state-of-the-art facility to serve them and help them better their operation,” Preuss said.