

News Release

2018 IOWA FFA AG BROADCASTING CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT

90th Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

AMES, IA - The Iowa FFA Ag Broadcasting Leadership Event was held at Iowa State University, Ames, on Monday, April 23, 2018. Twelve individuals participated in this year's Career Development Event (CDE). The first place individual for the event was Lydia Lee from the West Lyon FFA Chapter at Inwood. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Ms. Shauna Kill and Mr. Craig Winquist. The second place individual for the event was Vance Bushong from the Montezuma FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Mr. Rick Swenson and Ms. Lindsey Schanbacher.

Members participating in this event present a five-minute broadcast as if they were a farm director or reporter for a radio station. This event is intended to foster an understanding and create an interest in the field of broadcast journalism. The Iowa FFA Ag Broadcasting CDE was made possible with support from the Iowa Broadcaster's Association Foundation through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The results from the Ag Broadcasting CDE are listed below.

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About Iowa FFA Association

The Iowa FFA Association is a youth organization of over 15,300 student members as part of 235 local FFA chapters across Iowa. The FFA mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education. The Iowa FFA Association was organized by delegates from 23 schools at Iowa State College on May 17, 1929 and is an integral part of public instruction in agriculture. The Iowa Department of Education provides leadership and helps set direction for FFA as a service to local agricultural education programs. For more, visit the Iowa FFA Association online at IowaFFA.com, on Facebook, and Twitter.

Place FFA Member Name(s)		Chapter P. O.	Rating
1	Lydia Lee	Inwood	Gold
2	Vance Bushong	Montezuma	Gold
3	Abby Feldpausch	Conrad	Gold
	Sidney Mcfee	Afton	Gold
	Cale Pellett	Atlantic	Silver
	Chase Pibal	Lake City	Silver

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Marissa Recker	Monticello	Silver
Collin Johnson	Parkersburg	Silver
Isaac Wiley	Vinton	Silver
Trevor Meyers	West Liberty	Silver
Cody Roskens	Avoca	Bronze
Trinity Rodgers	Chariton	Bronze