



# Iowa FFA Association

## *The FFA Mission*

*FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for **premier leadership, personal growth, and career success** through agricultural education.*

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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **2009 IOWA FFA SECRETARY'S BOOK CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT**

81st Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

The Iowa FFA Secretary's Book Leadership Event was held at the Events Center, Des Moines, on Thursday, April 16, 2009. Twelve chapters participated in this year's Career Development Event. The first place chapter for the event was the Wapsie Valley FFA Chapter at Fairbank. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Ms. Ellen Doese. The second place chapter for the event was the Waverly-Shell Rock FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. David Carlson.

The Secretary's Book requires the Chapter Secretary to keep complete and accurate records of the chapter's activities. Chapter Secretary's must include the chapter FFA roster, meeting agendas, meeting minutes, committee reports, and copies of all chapter correspondence. The Secretary's Book Career Development Event is sponsored by the Mount Ayr FFA Chapter, through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The Iowa FFA Association has 221 local chapters with over 12,000 FFA members. FFA is a national organization of more than 500,000 members preparing for leadership and careers in science,

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business and technology of agriculture. Local, state and national programs provide opportunities for students to apply knowledge and skills learned in the classroom. FFA's 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.

Listed below are the results for the Secretary's Book Leadership Event.

<b>Place</b>	<b>FFA Member Name(s)</b>	<b>Chapter P. O.</b>	<b>Rating</b>
1	Bailey Dobbs	Fairbank	Gold
2	Cora Cannegieter	Waverly	Gold
	Donovan Richardson	Creston	Gold
	Brittany Mcelderry	Fairfield	Gold
	Ali Ohden and Holly Nuetzman	Lake View	Gold
	Brittini Petty and Chelsey Broich	Leon	Gold
	Megan Bierschenk	Nashua	Gold
	Wesley Dohlman and Nathan Klobassa	Riceville	Silver
	Brittany Van Den Top	Rock Valley	Silver
	Tessa Hoffman	Glidden	Bronze
	Lindsay Calvert	Guthrie Center	Bronze
	Abbie Wanders	New Sharon	Bronze

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