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News Release

2017 IOWA FFA AG IMPACT CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT

89th Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

AMES, IA - The Iowa FFA Ag Impact Leadership Event was held at Iowa State University, Ames, on Monday, April 10, 2017. Twelve Chapters participated in this year's Career Development Event (CDE). The first place chapter for the event was the Westwood FFA Chapter at Sloan. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Dan Witten. The second place chapter for the event was the Montezuma FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Mr. Rick Swenson and Ms. Lindsey Schanbacher.

Ag Impact is a CDE that challenges Middle School FFA members to explore the importance of agriculture in our state, county, and communities. This event is designed to engage middle schools students in learning how the industry of agriculture affects their daily lives. Learning activities should focus on: agricultural literacy, career exploration, personal development, and integration of academics. The Iowa FFA Ag Impact CDE was made possible with support from CF Industries through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The results from the Ag Impact CDE are listed below.

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About Iowa FFA Association

The Iowa FFA Association is a youth organization of over 14,800 student members as part of 232 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	Holly Holtz, Andrew Johnson, Briley Pike, Cali Schelm, Shelby Skinner, and Ethan Wiggs	Sloan	Gold
2	Kailey Jones, Elise Boulton, Alyssa Cline, Alex Cheney, Dylan Holland, and Michael DeJong	Montezuma	Gold
3	Samuel Martin, Seth Hughes, Brody Owen, David Rendon, and Carter Ruzek	Shenandoah	Gold

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4	Camryn Jacobsen, Toxey Freeman, Morgan Knutson, Molly Arnold, Sideny Davis, and Reese Brown	Corydon	Gold
	Dalayna Brugman, EmmaKay McClain, Chloe Kahl, Emma Larson, Megan Schoning, and Nola Gafkjen	Everly	Silver
	Elizabeth Devine, Olivia Freund, Reanna Obrecht, Abby Swank, and Jaicee Hansen	Harlan	Silver
	Mikayla Fjeld, Emma Bartling, Jasmyne Alaniz, Zack Pearce, and Tanner Husted	Iowa Falls	Silver
	Nicholas Scholz, Nicholas Petersen, Dailyn Garrett, Aidan Daufeldt, Cruz Birkhoffer, and Trevor Barkalow	Muscatine	Silver
	Valerie Boleyn, Zac Ihde, Andrew Schmitt, Carter Cannon, and Dylan Frieden	West Union	Silver
	Isaiah Corbin, Kennedy Lape, Emily Guyer, Peyton Halverson, Wyatt Streif, and Cody Duehring	West Union	Silver
	Kaitlin Alfaro, Addie Buseman, Briley Capenter, and Molly Hartwig	Belmond	Bronze
	Mason Sulser, Zoe Joiner, John Woodyard, Madison Keller, Brooklyn Prokes, and Brooklyn Reed	Seymour	Bronze