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## News Release

# 2018 IOWA FFA CREED SPEAKING CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT

90th Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

AMES, IA - The Iowa FFA Creed Speaking Leadership Event was held at Iowa State University, Ames, on Monday, April 23, 2018. Eighteen individuals participated in this year's Career Development Event (CDE). The first place individual for the event was Anna Campbell from the Audubon FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mrs. Brittany Elmquist. The second place individual for the event was Carter Wagner from the Harlan FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Ms. Justine McCall and Mr. James Shughart.

This event is designed to develop leadership and the ability to appear before groups by 7th through 9th grade students as they become members of the FFA. This event recognizes outstanding FFA members for their ability to present the FFA Creed from memory and answer questions on the meaning and purpose of the FFA Creed. The event is just one way members can develop their ability to communicate in a powerful, organized and professional manner. The Iowa FFA Creed Speaking CDE is made possible with support from MinnTex Citrus, Inc. through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The results from the Creed Speaking 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	Anna Campbell	Audubon	Gold
2	Carter Wagner	Harlan	Gold
3	Kanyon Huntington	Afton	Gold
4	Ashton Hale	Grinnell	Gold

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Amanda Becker	Arlington	Silver
Shyanne Brogden	Boone	Silver
Ally Faulkner	Charles City	Silver
Tyler Irwin	Decorah	Silver
Jack Campbell	DeWitt	Silver
EmmaKay McClain	Everly	Silver
Kaylee Kroger	Inwood	Silver
McKenna Riess	Muscatine	Silver
Paige Roberts	Newell	Silver
Cody Winkler	Orient	Silver
Seth Schumacher	Pleasantville	Silver
Jack Ward	Troy Mills	Silver
Martha Pace	West Liberty	Silver
Mikayla Fjeld	Iowa Falls	Bronze