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## **News Release**

# **Charles City FFA Named 2022 Iowa FFA Supreme National Chapter**

ANKENY - The Iowa FFA Supreme National Chapter Award Program will be held during the 94<sup>th</sup> Iowa FFA Leadership Conference in Ames, on April 10-12, 2022. 30 chapters participated in this year's award program. The first-place chapter for the event is the Charles City FFA Chapter. The Agricultural Education Instructors/FFA Advisors are Jim Lundberg and Bret Spurgin. The second-place chapter for the event is the North Scott FFA Chapter at Eldridge. The Agricultural Education Instructors/FFA Advisors are Jacob Hunter and Emily Kruse.

The National Chapter Award program encourages participating chapters to plan activities and carry them out with a successful Program of Activities. Chapters are recognized for outstanding achievement in the areas of Growing Leaders, Building Communities, and Strengthening Agriculture. The National Chapter Awards are sponsored by John Deere as a special project of the National FFA Foundation.

Three FFA Chapters were recognized for outstanding achievement in the three development areas. The West Liberty FFA Chapter was named the winner in Building Communities and Strengthening Agriculture. The LaPorte-Dysart FFA Chapter was named the Growing Leaders Division Winner. The top 25 FFA Chapters in Iowa will advance to the National FFA competition and will be recognized at the 95<sup>th</sup> National FFA Leadership Conference in Indianapolis, IN.

The National Chapter Awards program in Iowa is made possible with support by Heartland Co-op through the Iowa FFA Foundation. A complete list of results is included on page two of this release.

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## **About Iowa FFA Association**

The Iowa FFA Association is a youth organization of more than 18,300 student members as part of 252 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.

## 2022 Supreme National Chapter Award Results

Chap #	Chapter Name	Chapter PO	Rating	Rank	Winners
33	Charles City	Charles City	G	1	Overall Winner
61	North Scott	Eldridge	G	2	
243	West Liberty	West Liberty	G	3	Building Communities & Strengthening Agriculture
119	LaPorte-Dysart	LaPorte City	G	4	Growing Leaders
230	Vinton-Shellsburg	Vinton	G	5	
228	Benton Community	Van Horne	G	6	
277	Midland	Wyoming	G	7	
205	Sibley-Ocheyedan	Sibley	G	8	
236	Little Switzerland	Waukon	G	9	
79	Wapsie Valley	Fairbank	G	10	
320	Western Christian	Hull	G	11	
308	East Buchanan	Winthrop	G	12	
35	Brokaw	Clarinda	G	13	
49	Decorah	Decorah	G	14	
38	North Linn	Troy Mills	G	15	
124	Central Trail	Leon	G	16	
137	Marengo	Marengo	G	17	
238	Webster City	Webster City	G	18	
47	Creston	Creston	G	19	
237	Waverly-Shell Rock	Waverly	G	20	
29	South Winneshiek	Calmar	G	21	
244	North Fayette Valley	West Union	G	22	
165	Newton	Newton	G	23	
74	Sumner-Fredericksburg	Sumner	G	24	
21	Belmond-Klemme	Belmond	G	25	
8	Algona	Algona	S		
58	Agri-Power	Eddyville	S		
90	AC-GC	Guthrie Center	S		
102	West Lyon	Inwood	S		
189	Rockford	Rockford	S		