



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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2011 IOWA FFA CHAPTER PROGRAM CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT

83rd Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

The Iowa FFA Chapter Program Leadership Event was held at the Events Center, Des Moines, on Thursday, April 14, 2011. Twelve chapters participated in this year's Career Development Event. The first place chapter for the event was the Oelwein FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Scott Smalley. The second place chapter for the event was the Davis-Rodgers FFA Chapter at Shenandoah. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Ms. Lindsey Peterson.

Chapters participating in this program event had to display information on their Program of Activities (POA). Two members of the chapter had to describe the activities and the accomplishments of their chapter during the 12 months of the event year. This event emphasized group activity and accomplishments, and to recognize cooperative undertakings and leadership, growing out of an organized program in schools and communities. This year's event was sponsored by 4 Seasons Fundraising, through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The Iowa FFA Association has 221 local chapters with over 12,000 FFA members. FFA is a

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national organization of more than 500,000 members preparing for leadership and careers in science, 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 Chapter Program Leadership Event.

Place	FFA Member Name(s)	Chapter P. O.	Rating
1	Ashley Zech, Samantha Burgin, and Brianna Folsom	Oelwein	Gold
2	Ashley Holdridge, Rachel Johnson, and Spencer Stanbrough	Shenandoah	Gold
3	Sarah Altenhofen, Jessica Schrock, and Kyle Mullet	Wellman	Gold
4	Kelsey Watts, Karsten Meyer, and Johnathan Volker	Fairbank	Gold
	Keily Stockdale, Alexandria Woodman, and Kollin Deberg	Ackley	Silver
	Christina Williamson, Cassidy McNees, and Lindsey Poore	Clarinda	Silver
	Caleb Smith, Matthew Sharp, and Zach Holthaus	Nashua	Silver
	Spencer Abbott, Tara Norman, and Austin Taylor	Osceola	Silver
	Avery Meyers, Samuel Stecker, and Merideth Nichols	West Liberty	Silver
	Kady Calmer, Nichole Licht, and Samantha Condon	Manson	Bronze
	Alyssa Hibbing, Bridget Block, and Kelsey Lonneman	Sibley	Bronze
	Megan Norman, Ashley Bianchi, and Kristine McKnight	Winterset	Bronze

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