



# 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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## **2012 IOWA FFA CHAPTER PROGRAM CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT**

84th Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

The Iowa FFA Chapter Program Leadership Event was held at Iowa State University, Ames, on Monday, April 23, 2012. Twelve chapters participated in this year's Career Development Event. The first place chapter for the event was the North Linn FFA Chapter at Troy Mills. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Tom Murray. The second place chapter for the event was the Oelwein FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Mr. Scott Smalley and Ms. Lindsey Crawford.

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.

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Listed below are the results for the Chapter Program Leadership Event.

<b>Place</b>	<b>FFA Member Name(s)</b>	<b>Chapter P. O.</b>	<b>Rating</b>
1	Jenna Schade, Elizabeth Walling, and Laura Moorman	Troy Mills	Gold
2	Victor Kalb, Amanda Groleau, and Zachery Lamphere	Oelwein	Gold
3	Liz Halbur, Hannah Huser, and Stephen Sewell	Lake View	Gold
4	Alisa Adrian, Tayler Foster, and Michelle Flanagan	Wellman	Silver
	Marissa Anderson, Dalton Crabs, and Leah Barr	Clarinda	Silver
	Kayli Burnside, Larissa Backhaus, and Bailey Powers	Griswold	Silver
	Jordan Richardson, Maria Finan, and Christopher Norman	Knoxville	Silver
	Payton Huse, Eric Henry, and Laura Alt	Nevada	Silver
	James Leonard, Kristin Samson, and Ashley Shaw	Newton	Silver
	Rebecca White, Gabby Huss, and Blair Montgomery	Everly	Bronze
	Maaike Hendrikson, Cylea Ahlf, and Sommer Beland	St. Ansgar	Bronze
	Kylie Hesseltine, Sarah Wall, and Miranda Wieneke	West Branch	Bronze

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### **2012 IOWA FFA CHAPTER WEBSITE CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT**

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The Iowa FFA Chapter Website Leadership Event was held at Iowa State University, Ames, on Monday, April 23, 2012. Twelve individuals participated in this year's Career Development Event. The first place individual for the event was Nichole Fagle from the North Fayette FFA Chapter at West Union. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Ryan Holthaus. The second place individual for the event was Elizabeth Muncy from the West Liberty FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Mr. Zach Morris and Mr. Dick Brand.

This event is designed to develop rural and agricultural leadership, to provide for member participation in agricultural public speaking activities and to stimulate interest along such lines. The prepared public speaking event requires participants to write and deliver a six-to-eight minute speech in front of a panel of judges. Scoring is based on the written manuscript, the delivery of the speech and the answers to questions. The 2003-04 Iowa FFA Officers, through the Iowa FFA Foundation, sponsored this year's event.

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Listed below are the results for the Chapter Website Leadership Event.

<b>Place</b>	<b>FFA Member Name(s)</b>	<b>Chapter P. O.</b>	<b>Rating</b>
1	Nichole Fagle and Belinda Erickson	West Union	Gold
2	Elizabeth Muncy, Angela Solis, Courtney Wendt, and Tyler Lyon	West Liberty	Gold

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3	Sage Hook and Mandie Gassman	Corydon	Gold
4	Meghan Mills	Waverly	Gold
5	Branden Sammons	Orient	Gold
	Myla Meyer	Charles City	Silver
	Danielle Noe	Eddyville	Silver
	Xavier Olivo	Griswold	Silver
	Marissa Van Veldhuizen	Inwood	Silver
	Josh Holmes	Story City	Silver
	Andy Smith	Knoxville	Bronze
	Adam Murley	Lake View	Bronze

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## **Iowa FFA Association -- 9**

### **2012 IOWA FFA CHAPTER EXHIBIT CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT**

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The Iowa FFA Chapter Exhibit Leadership Event was held at Iowa State University, Ames, on Monday, April 23, 2012. chapters participated in this year's Career Development Event. The first place chapter for the event was the LaPorte-Dysart FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Louis Beck. The second place chapter for the event was the Wilton FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. William Hammes.

Chapter Exhibit is a Career Development Event that displays information on one chapter project or activity. The information had to include how this one feature of the annual program was organized, conducted and what results were secured. The Chapter Exhibit CDE is sponsored by Dale Spencer, through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

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<b>Place</b>	<b>FFA Member Name(s)</b>	<b>Chapter P. O.</b>	<b>Rating</b>
1	Hannah Wilson	LaPorte City	Gold
2	Beth Lett	Wilton	Gold
	Brady Haye, Bailey Wright, Marie Scott, Hannah Huser, Lauren Houska, and Kacie Partridge	Lake View	Gold
	Kayla Tindall and Dana Hedlund	Akron	Gold
	Jennifer Fitzgerald	Chariton	Gold
	Rachel Sheer	Coon Rapids	Gold
	Sophie Hansen, Mackenzie Felt, and Marissa Felt	Earlham	Gold

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	Jacob Arp, Ryan Paustian, and Tyler Nicklaus	Eldridge	Gold
	Christy Neil, Kylee Price, Gabby Wittenburg, and Mackenzie Kane	Fairbank	Gold
	Peyton Jones, Lexis Clinton, and EB Wlezien	Gilbert	Gold
	Bridget Bersch, Emma Boor, Leeza Janes, and Brittany Nicholson	Jewell	Gold
	Sarah Altenhofen, Jessica Schrock, and Zeb Fisher	Wellman	Gold
	Brianna Lee and Ben Lueder	West Union	Gold
	Dakota Nelson, Cynthanee Heeren, and Emily Feldmann	Anamosa	Silver
	Nicole Zitelman	Arlington	Silver
	Megan Joos, Kendra Wuthrich, Brooke Bodkins, Logan More, and Destiny Jukes	Bloomfield	Silver
	Miriah Masching and Shannon Kennebeck	Carroll	Silver
	Allyson Logsdon and Jessica Bratz	Centerville	Silver
	Bethany Botkin and Kory Schmelzer	Corning	Silver
20	Ty Jager and Aaron Gordon	Eddyville	Gold
	Marley Milligan, Emily Smith, and Jordan Tietz	Decorah	Silver
	Anna Baughman, Joshua Tucker, Ryan Reimers, Timothy Riessen, Malachi Schroeder, and Calvin Snitker	Denison	Silver
	Kynzee Olson, Logan Davis, Joe Dinan, and Chandler Luzum	Elgin	Silver
	Hayley Bishop, Mollie Walker, and Maura Soukup	Emmetsburg	Silver
	Felicia Albee and Liz Claus	Everly	Silver
	Cassandra Hampson, Kathryn Noah, Katie Olesen, and Brooke Hoffman	Graettinger	Silver
	Melanie Palmer, Abby Leighton, and Haley Schmidt	Griswold	Silver
	Thomas Erickson and Hailey Wiseman	Laurens	Silver
	Shay Hudachek, Keaton Kane, Alex Adkins, and Bridget Fuhrmeister	Lone Tree	Silver
	Kate Deakins and Lauren White	Maxwell	Silver
	Zachary Welch and Cody Walter	Afton	Bronze
	Hannah Hoskins and Nicole Schneider	Alleman	Bronze
	Samantha Jergenson, Nick Christensen, and Breanna Ellis	Clarion	Bronze
	Scotta Terry, Jordan Starmer, Alexandra Garrett, Shelby Bush, and Jessica Martin	Des Moines	Bronze
	Erica Laures and Steven Connell	DeWitt	Bronze
	Melissa Heims, Madalyn Kerns, and Jordyn Bolinger	Edgewood	Bronze
	Katy Williams	Eldora	Bronze
	Alex Rodgers, Justin Godwin, Addison Taglauer, Trevor Starnes, Dustin Burke, James Kyle, and David Wenzel	Fairfield	Bronze

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STANLEY, DUSTIN BURKE, JAMES KYIE, and DAVID WAUGH

Clay Geiter and Brandon Simms	Grundy Center	Bronze
Brianna Anderson, Emily Elgersma, and Derek Elyea	Hartley	Bronze
Ashley Sellers and Ali Taplin	Hudson	Bronze
Tanner Van Middendorp	Inwood	Bronze
Kylie Gerstein, Brad Mayland, David McClellan, Laura Tibbs, and Maddy Faga	Iowa Falls	Bronze
Matthew Hefti, Brooke Elphic, and Alicia Cano	Latimer	Bronze
Alexis Reno	Leon	Bronze
Rory Wagenbach and Hannah Wulf	Mediapolis	Bronze
Morgan Quick, Ashton Johnson, Erin Dolecheck, and Taylen Abar	Mount Ayr	Bronze
Ashley Shaw, David Eilander, Ellie Rethmeier, Andy Hobbs, David Dehart, and John Miller	Newton	Bronze
Jessica Rogers and Joseph Roll	Osage	Bronze
Krista Downing and Shayna Elliott	Panora	Bronze

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