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## News Release

# 2021 IOWA FFA AG SALES CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT

## 93rd Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

DES MOINES, IA - The Iowa FFA Ag Sales Leadership Event was held at Iowa Events Center, Des Moines, on Monday, April 19, 2021. Twelve individuals participated in this year's Career Development Event (CDE). The first place individual for the event was Reagan Gibson from the Panorama FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Steven Hameister. The second place individual for the event was Alyssa Birt from the Southwest Valley FFA Chapter at Corning. Their agriculture education instructors and FFA advisors are Mr. Blake Anderson and Mr. Steve Sonntag.

Participants in the Ag Sales Leadership Event were required to sell an agricultural product to one of the event judges. The purpose of this event is to prepare FFA members in developing skills and techniques important toward becoming successful salespersons of agricultural products. The Iowa FFA Ag Sales (Individual) CDE was made possible with support from Energy Panel Structures through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The results from the Ag Sales (Individual) CDE are listed below.

Place	FFA Member Name(s)	Chapter P. O.	Rating
1	Reagan Gibson	Panora	Gold
2	Alyssa Birt	Corning	Gold
3	Drew Staudt	Charles City	Gold
	Mackenzey Ruff	Monona	Gold
	James Sprague	Muscatine	Gold
	Vada Klinkhammer	Epworth	Silver
	Shelby Kellenberger	Inwood	Silver
	Kallie Van Kley	Newton	Silver
	Konrad Boyer	Osceola	Silver
	Jack Farquhar	Paullina	Silver
	Jake Jennings	Story City	Silver
	Lydia Fisher	Wapello	Bronze

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### About Iowa FFA Association

The Iowa FFA Association is a youth organization of over 16,300 student members as part of 248 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](http://IowaFFA.com), on Facebook, and Twitter.