



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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2007 IOWA FFA CHAPTER PROGRAM CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT 79th Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

The Iowa FFA Chapter Program Career Development Event was held at Hilton Coliseum, Ames, on Monday, April 16, 2007. Twelve chapters participated in this year's Career Development Event. The first place chapter for the event was the Wapsie Valley FFA Chapter at Fairbank. Their agriculture education instructor is Ms. Ellen Doese. There was a tie for second place for the event between the North Fayette FFA Chapter at West Union and the Creston FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructors are Mr. Brian Harper and Mr. Galen Zumbach respectively.

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

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Association has 230 local chapters with over 12,000 FFA members. FFA is a national organization of more than 495,000 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	Kyle Heineman, Alyssa Gipper, and Josh Richards	Fairbank	Gold
2	Jason Lents, Nicole Stoll, and Eric Bradley	Creston	Gold
2	Samantha Kanarr, Becky Steffens, and Kelly Rema	West Union	Gold
3	Nicole Lastine, Justine McCall, and Meghan Walters	Clarinda	Gold
	Jill Verploegh, Ashley Doyle, and Caleb Rice	Eddyville	Gold
	Megan Wilkening, Hannah Corbin, and Michelle McEnany	Colo	Silver
	Jessica Collins, Stephanie Hoppe, and Morgan Stark	Lake View	Silver
	JaLynne Lundquist-Russell, Rebecca Maeder, and Tara Tussey	Orient	Silver
	Heather Rodemeyer, Anna Paulus, and Mackenzie Fullerton	Rockford	Silver
	Jeremy Flanagan, Megan Flynn, and Patrick Gent	Wellman	Silver
	Reagan Ebel, Briana Shriver, and Dani Jo Lange	Paullina	Bronze
	Erin Howell, Haleigh Navin, and Adam Elderkin	Winterset	Bronze

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