



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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2007-2008 Iowa FFA State Officers 79th Iowa FFA Leadership Conference

The Iowa FFA Leadership Conference was held at Hilton Coliseum, Ames, on April 16-17, 2007. The new Iowa FFA Officer team was elected at the final convention session.

Learning to do, doing to learn, earning to live, and living to serve. These nine leaders will live out their year of service speaking with FFA members from across the state, presenting leadership camps and workshops, and traveling around Iowa and parts of the United States. They will have the opportunity to take part in Iowa FFA Foundation activities, the Iowa State Fair, Iowa FFA Legislative Symposium, the Farm Progress Show, the National FFA Convention, and a wide variety of FFA Career Development Events.

Iowa FFA Officer leadership training and leadership materials are sponsored by Alliance Pipeline, Inc. through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

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The following is the list of newly elected officers:

Office	Name	FFA Chapter	School Town
President	Ryan Borcharding	Hampton-Dumont Tall Corn FFA	Hampton
SE Vice President	Jacob Hunter	DeWitt Central FFA	DeWitt
NC Vice President	Charlie Fitzgerald	Boone A & M FFA	Boone
SC Vice President	Bret Spurgin	Moravia FFA	Moravia
NW Vice President	Cortney Schmidt	Sibley-Ocheyedan FFA	Sibley
NE Vice President	Alec Munier	Linn-Mar FFA	Marion
SW Vice President	Dan Hansen	Elk Horn-Kimballton FFA	Elk Horn
Secretary	Zach Morris	Anamosa FFA	Anamosa
Reporter	Sarah Beaver	Brokaw FFA	Clarinda

The Iowa FFA Association has 230 local chapters with over 12,000 FFA members. FFA is a national organization of more than 490,000 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.

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