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December 4, 1970

Sent to: State FFA Advisors and Executive Secretaries; and Head Teacher Educators in Agricultural Education

Sent by: H. N. Hunsicker, National Advisor, Future Farmers of America

Subject: Transmittal of:

1. Minutes of the October, 1970 Meeting -  
National FFA Officers and Board of Directors
2. Minutes of the October, 1970 Meeting -  
National FFA Foundation Board of Trustees
3. Other Important Information

Enclosed is a copy of the Minutes of the October, 1970, meeting of the National FFA Board of Directors and National Officers; and the Minutes of a special meeting of the National FFA Foundation Board of Trustees. Will you kindly examine these proceedings carefully and make special note of the new activities, new policies, and other items of importance. Any comments and suggestions you may have regarding the Minutes, or for improving the organization, will be appreciated.

Other Important Information

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE NATIONAL OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS will be held at the Olde Colony Motor Lodge, Alexandria, Virginia, on January 25 to 27, 1971. The Board of Trustees will meet on January 28 and 29, 1971.

1. If you have not written a letter of appreciation for services rendered to vocational agriculture and FFA to the following individuals, it is suggested that this be done at an early date. In addition, thank you letters from several state and local FFA chapter officers and other members will be cherished by these individuals.

- (a) Mr. Sam W. White, Jr., Vice President Transmission Products Group, Borg-Warner Corporation, 770 South Adams Street, Birmingham, Michigan 48011

(Mr. White's term as Chairman of the FFA Foundation Sponsoring Committee will expire December 31, 1970.)

- (b) Mr. Robert W. Bird, Vice President, Public Relations, White Farm Equipment, White Motor Corporation, 130 9th Avenue, Hopkins, Minnesota 55343

(Mr. Bird assisted Mr. White with his work as Sponsoring Committee Chairman.)

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2. Congratulatory and appropriate thank you notes might also be written to the following individuals who will serve as Foundation Sponsoring Committee Officers in 1971:

- (a) Mr. Fred Stines, Publisher, SUCCESSFUL FARMING,  
Meredith Corporation, Des Moines, Iowa 50303

(Mr. Stines will begin his term as Chairman of the FFA Foundation Sponsoring Committee for 1971 on January 1.)

- (b) Mr. John E. Streetman, Vice President, Allied Mills, Inc.  
110 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606

(Mr. Streetman will begin his term as 1st Vice Chairman of the Sponsoring Committee in January, and will become its Chairman in 1972. Mr. Streetman was a former Vo-Ag Teacher in the State of Georgia.)

- (c) Mr. Malcolm McVie, President, Elanco Products Company,  
Division of Eli Lilly & Company, P. O. Box 1968,  
Indianapolis, Indiana 56206

(Mr. McVie is 2nd Vice Chairman and is slated to be the Chairman in 1973.)

3. The National Chapter Impact Conferences for FFA Chapter Presidents and Advisors will be held at the National FFA Center in Alexandria, Virginia, June 14-19 and June 21-26.

4. The Leadership-Citizenship Conferences for Area and Chapter Officers will be held at the Center July 5-10 and July 12-17.

5. Conferences on Agriculture Public Relations will be conducted at the Center on August 2-7 for Chapter, Area and State Reporters.

6. A conference for Local, Area and State Agricultural Proficiency Award Winners dealing with Agriculture Careers will be held August 9-14.

Reservations for all of these conferences should be mailed immediately to Mr. Coleman Harris, National FFA Center, P. O. Box 15160, Alexandria, Virginia 22309.

7. It is with regret that I inform you of the death of Lyle Mowlds, former State Supervisor of Agricultural Education in Delaware. Mr. Mowlds passed away while on vacation in Canada. His wife resides at Sea-Air Mobile City, Rehoboth Beach, Delaware.

8. Change in my Office of Education telephone and room number. The telephone number is 202 ---- 963-7638, and Room No. 5120. Mr. Wm. Paul Gray's telephone and room number remain the same, which is 202 ---- 963-7621 and room 5624. The FFA headquarters telephone number at the FFA Center remains the same -- 703 ---- 360-3600.