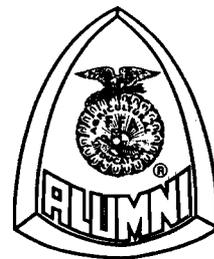


FFA NEWSLETTER

Alumni Association



"FFA Alumni—
Supporters of Agricultural Education"

WINTER 1994-95

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President's Message Ken Natzke, Bonduel, Wisconsin

"I can hardly believe what I'm seeing." It's amazing to see this number of neat, clean students with so much poise and confidence. Students who are polite and courteous and asking questions at career show booths about future occupations. This is what we're trying to do for students. "I am no longer a supporter of FFA and agricultural education, I am an **ADVOCATE**." These are the words of a high school administrator who attended the administrators' program held during the national FFA convention. What a positive impact administrators and principals can have on the FFA and agricultural education. I wish every secondary school administrator and principal could participate in the national FFA convention to see what FFA and agricultural education programs are providing.

This year 125 local representatives attended the convention. Their responses were much the same. The goal is to work with the FFA Partner Development Team and other supporters to encourage 500 administrators to have a positive impact on a school's attitude toward FFA.

The articles in this newsletter tell about a very successful scholarship auction that raised a record \$50,050. Excellent! Thanks! So more our goal at \$60,000 for the 1995 auction. Keep all effort of this goal. Do you have any ideas or contact me (Rt 2 Box 26, Bonduel, WI 54107) or

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Obtain Support from School Officials for Programs Through FFA Convention!!!

The FFA Partner Development Team and the National FFA Alumni Association are working in cooperation on the School Officials Luncheon for the 1995 National FFA Convention. The FFA Alumni will invite school officials to participate with their local chapters in the national convention.

Based on past experience, the national FFA convention is a strong selling point for the benefits of agricultural education and FFA programs. "Seeing is believing!" The following comments were made by school officials who attended the 1994 National FFA Convention and luncheon:

- "I was impressed with the organization of events, quality of speakers and emphasis on patriotism."
- "The FFA allows young people to experience and learn from real life experiences."
- "The students are well-behaved, enthusiastic and portray leadership qualities."
- "The FFA is providing an important message of teamwork, support and perseverance."
- "A great sense of pride is apparent."

Work with your local FFA chapter to invite these key partners now so they will have time to plan. You have nothing to lose, only a great deal to gain. The next *FFA Alumni Newsletter* will include more information to assist you in making plans to bring your school officials to the 1995 National FFA Convention. Dr. Joyce Winterton, FFA Partner Development Team, 703-360-3600, will be developing an excellent program for the 1995 convention.

1994-95 National FFA Officer Team



The national FFA officer team was elected November 12 at the 67th National FFA Convention. Leading the six-member team is national FFA president Corey Flourmoy (front row, left) of Chicago, Illinois. He is a member of the Chicago Ag Sciences FFA Chapter with a supervised agricultural experience program (SAE) consisting of agricultural sales and services, home improvement and placement in an agribusiness. He will take a year-long leave of absence from the University of Illinois, where he is majoring in agricultural economics, to serve as national president. The national secretary is Travis Hagen (front row, right) of Chico, California. His SAE program consists of a sheep enterprise and placement in agricultural production and agricultural sales. The region vice presidents (back row, left to right) are: Trisha Bailey of Dover, Florida; Lee Schroeder of Leipsic, Ohio; Jennafer Neufeld of Inman, Kansas; and Greg Vetter of Carpenter, Wyoming. Bailey's SAE program consists of specialty crop production and ornamental horticulture. Schroeder's SAE is a diversified livestock operation as well as a job placement at a local grain elevator. Neufeld's SAE consists of a cow/calf breeding herd and showing market steers while Vetter's SAE is a diversified livestock program consisting of sheep, beef and swine.

Sponsors NVATA Activity

A breakfast was sponsored by the National FFA Alumni Association for approximately 60 spouses attending the convention of the National Vocational Agricultural Teachers' Association. The convention was held in early December in Dallas, Texas.

Hosts Continental Breakfast for Student Teachers and Honorary American FFA Degree Reception

The National FFA Alumni hosted and the Kansas City Board of Trade sponsored a breakfast for agricultural education majors attending the national FFA convention. Approximately 100 student teachers attended the breakfast. A reception for Honorary American FFA Degree recipients was hosted by NVATA and the National FFA Alumni and was sponsored by the Kansas City FFA Advisory Council. More than 300 attended.

FFA Alumni Supports National Young Farmers

The 28th National Young Farmer Educational Institute was held in Missouri in December. The FFA Alumni sponsored printing of the institute banquet programs. June Dean, past national president, attended the institute and brought greetings on behalf of the National FFA Alumni Association.

Scholarships for Future Agricultural Instructors

Three scholarships, valued at \$1,000 each, will be awarded to college juniors or seniors majoring in agricultural education. Also, two \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to graduating high school FFA members planning to major in agricultural education. These scholarships are sponsored by the National FFA Alumni. High school guidance counselors or FFA advisors have applications as part of the national FFA scholarship program booklet. Applications must be postmarked no later than February 15, 1995.

WEA Scholarship Presented

The Wisconsin FFA Alumni was presented with a \$300 scholarship to be used by an FFA member participating in the 1995 FFA Work Experience Abroad program. The scholarship is awarded to the state with the most FFA-WEA participants.

Presidential Classroom Scholarships

The FFA Alumni will provide two scholarships for Johnna Varn of Los Osos, California, and Nancy Grinde of Colton, South Dakota, to attend the prestigious 1995 Presidential Classroom conference for students interested in governmental affairs. The scholarships are valued at half of the \$715 registration fee. The conference is held in Washington, DC, for nine one-week sessions starting January 28 - March 25 and June 17 - July 1. For information on this civic educational opportunity for high school juniors and seniors, call 1-800-441-6533. Also, by special arrangement, any FFA member who attended the 1994 Washington Leadership Conference will receive a \$100 scholarship to attend the 1995 Presidential Classroom conference, compliments of the National FFA Alumni.

FFA Hide N' Seat Bags for Sale

Free Enterprise Fund Raising has a limited quantity of Hide N' Seat bags, with the FFA logo, available for \$8.00 each, including shipping. These popular seat cushion/tote bags were sold at the national convention in November and are available for immediate shipment in multiples of 25 bags. Suggested retail for fund-raising purposes in your chapter is \$16.00 per bag.

To place an order, send a check to:
Free Enterprise Fund Raising
3863 Oriole Court
Dumfries, VA 22026

To place an order or to receive information on many different fund-raising ideas, call 800-666-4998.



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FFA ALUMNI CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS

November 1994

National FFA Alumni Convention

June Dean of Owasso, Oklahoma, as national president, presided over the convention held in Kansas City, Missouri, on Nov. 9 that was attended by approximately 600 people. An outstanding speech and workshop was given by Dr. Jim Knight, professional speaker, diversity consultant and former FFA member. Delegates voted to keep national annual dues at \$7. Awards were presented; elections were conducted; and an annual auction fund-raiser was held. More than 34,000 attended the national FFA convention.

National FFA Alumni Council Election Results

Ken Natzke of Bonduel, Wisconsin, was elected president and Ray Herren of Athens, Georgia, was elected vice president. James Shiflet of Hinton, Virginia, and Shirley Carte of Live Oak, Florida, were elected from the eastern and southern regions, respectively, for three-year terms.

Land O'Lakes Sponsored Leadership and Diversity Workshops



Six leadership workshops and a diversity workshop were conducted by the FFA Alumni and sponsored by Land O'Lakes as a special project of the National FFA Foundation. The leadership workshops were attended by approximately 3,000 FFA members, advisors and convention guests. The diversity workshop was attended by more than 500 FFA members. The one-hour leadership sessions were of exceptional quality and considered a convention highlight. The diversity workshop, presented by Mildred Joyner of Pennsylvania, gave those in attendance a better understanding of our diverse population. The leadership workshop presenters were Travis Park, Indiana; Kevin White, California (pictured above presenting workshop); Lee Thurber, Nebraska; Todd Hingson, Florida; John Kleiboeker, Missouri; Lesa Ann King, Texas; and Matt Lohr, Virginia.

Outstanding Affiliate Awards

The FFA Alumni Outstanding Affiliate Award was presented to 26 affiliates. Judging of this contest was conducted by the Arizona FFA Alumni. States are allowed to enter one or 20 percent of the applications entered at the state level. The top affiliate was LeRoy, Illinois, and Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin, was second. The national recipients are:

Gold

LeRoy, Illinois
Hill City, Kansas
South Rowan, China Grove,
North Carolina

Clinton, Wisconsin
Denmark, Wisconsin
Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin
Milton, Wisconsin

Silver

Central, DeWitt, Iowa
Linn-Mar, Marion, Iowa
Clay Center, Kansas
Washington, Kansas
Hopkins, Michigan
Lakeview, Columbus, Nebraska

Finley-Sharon, North Dakota
Lynchburg-Clay, Lynchburg, Ohio
Cookeville, Tennessee
Calallen, Corpus Christi, Texas
Pomeroy, Washington
Black Hawk, S. Wayne, Wisconsin

Bronze

Lake Gibson, Lakeland, Florida
Gilmer County, Ellijay, Georgia
Barren County, Glasgow, Kentucky
Sturgis, Mississippi

Pondera County, Conrad, Montana
Northumberland, Heathsville,
Virginia
Gillette, Wyoming

Convention Delegates

The number of convention delegates, according to the constitution, is determined 30 days prior to the convention and allows one delegate to represent up to 200 active members and one additional delegate for every 200 members in each chartered state FFA Alumni association.

STATE	ALLOWED	PRESENT	STATE	ALLOWED	PRESENT
ALABAMA	0	0	NEBRASKA	7	7
ALASKA	1	0	NEVADA	1	0
ARIZONA	1	1	NEW HAMPSHIRE	0	0
ARKANSAS	1	0	NEW JERSEY	1	1
CALIFORNIA	1	1	NEW MEXICO	1	0
COLORADO	1	0	NEW YORK	1	1
CONNECTICUT	2	1	NORTH CAROLINA	4	4
DELAWARE	0	0	NORTH DAKOTA	1	1
FLORIDA	7	7	OHIO	9	9
GEORGIA	5	5	OKLAHOMA	48	5
HAWAII	0	0	OREGON	1	1
IDAHO	1	0	PENNSYLVANIA	1	1
ILLINOIS	11	11	RHODE ISLAND	1	1
INDIANA	1	0	SOUTH CAROLINA	1	0
IOWA	5	5	SOUTH DAKOTA	1	0
KANSAS	5	5	TENNESSEE	3	3
KENTUCKY	3	3	TEXAS	5	5
LOUISIANA	0	0	UTAH	0	0
MAINE	0	0	VERMONT	0	0
MARYLAND	1	0	VIRGINIA	3	3
MASSACHUSETTS	0	0	WASHINGTON	2	2
MICHIGAN	2	2	WEST VIRGINIA	1	1
MINNESOTA	1	0	WISCONSIN	36	35
MISSISSIPPI	1	1	WYOMING	2	2
MISSOURI	5	5			
MONTANA	3	2	TOTAL	188	131

LeRoy, Illinois, Selected Outstanding Affiliate Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin, Selected Second

The LeRoy FFA Alumni Affiliate was selected first place in the 1994 outstanding affiliate contest. This award recognizes the 86-member affiliate for their many activities of outstanding support for agricultural education and FFA. They provided more than 1,900 hours of volunteer support and raised several thousand dollars. Activities included conducting FFA chapter skills contests, helping with on-site agricultural placement, obtaining donated computer programs and classroom videos and sponsoring an Octoberfest. The Alumni assisted the FFA with the delivery of more than \$1,400 worth of Christmas baskets and donated funds and labor for the "Flood Relief" program. They assisted six other schools with chartering local FFA Alumni affiliates. The FFA Alumni president, at time entry was submitted, was Steve Jiles and the FFA advisor was Robert Brown.

The Fort Atkinson FFA Alumni was selected as the second place affiliate. Their many support activities included organizing and conducting a family picnic for FFA members and their parents. They also provided materials for a heifer shed that was constructed by the FFA chapter. The 90-member affiliate developed a scholarship fund of more than \$1,000 for graduating senior FFA members. The FFA Alumni president, at time entry was submitted, was Kimberly Heine and the FFA advisor was Jeffrey Agnew.

Highest FFA Alumni Awards Presented



Pictured from left are Gerald L. Fredrick of Milton, Wisconsin, Dennis Engelke of Austin, Texas, and Ray Brown of West Bend, Iowa, following the presentation of the 1994 FFA Alumni Outstanding Achievement Awards during the National FFA Alumni Convention Awards Luncheon. This award recognizes FFA Alumni members for their outstanding leadership and service to agricultural education and the agricultural industry. It is the highest award presented by the organization and is presented to not more than three individuals annually.

The achievements of these distinguished individuals for the support of young people preparing for careers in the agricultural industry have been great. These individuals exemplify high ideals, reflect honor upon the FFA and provide inspiration to current FFA members.

State Leaders Recognized for Membership Development



The special blue membership development award blazers were presented to states increasing their 1993 membership by 100 or more members. The individuals (l to r) and states receiving this award for 1994 are: Donald Burmeister, Iowa; Fred Hayes, Florida; Kent Boggs, Oklahoma; and Dennis Engelke, Texas.

National, State and Local Membership Records Set in 1994

FFA Alumni membership has grown every year since chartering in 1972. Membership increased 2,418 members in 1994 giving us another record of 40,483. Life memberships increased from 16,634 to 17,015 this year which was an increase of 381. The following are 1994 state and local membership achievements:

1. States with Largest Percentage of Growth

1st - Rhode Island	106%	32 to 66
2nd - Oklahoma	44%	6,833 to 9,850
2. States with Most Alumni Members

1st - Oklahoma	9,850 (Wisconsin was first in 1993 with 7,907)
2nd - Wisconsin	7,441
3. States with Largest Increase in Alumni Members

1st - Oklahoma	3,017
2nd - Florida	209
4. States with Most Life Members

1st - Wisconsin	3,179 (Wisconsin was first in 1993 with 3,061)
2nd - Oklahoma	1,923
5. Most Life Members in an Affiliate

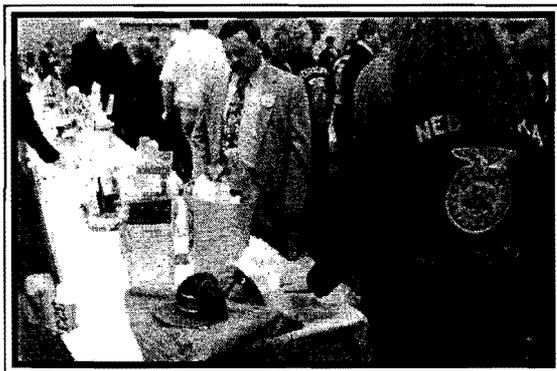
New Lexington, Ohio	307
Denmark, Wisconsin	300
6. Most Life Member Affiliates in a State

1st - Wisconsin	64 affiliates
2nd - Oklahoma	57 affiliates
7. Most Alumni Members in an Affiliate

Denmark, Wisconsin	388
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8. States with Largest Percentage of FFA Membership

1st - Wisconsin	47% (7,441 Alumni to 15,672 FFA members)
2nd - Oklahoma	44% (9,850 Alumni to 22,060 FFA members)
3rd - Wyoming	31% (576 Alumni to 1,830 FFA members)
4th - Montana	27% (619 Alumni to 2,213 FFA members)
5th - Rhode Island	27% (66 Alumni to 242 FFA members)
6th - Nebraska	25% (1,459 Alumni to 5,778 FFA members)

Auction Raises \$50,050



Silent Auction



Auctioneer



Live Auction
Bill Borer of Ohio Purchased Chevrolet Truck

The FFA Alumni Auction Committee raised \$50,050 at the national annual convention auction. The auction proceeds are used for scholarships for FFA members. Rick Metzger coordinated this record-breaking auction. The Yoap Family of Wisconsin volunteered their services as auctioneers and clerks. The top selling auction items included the Chevrolet pickup truck, 500 gallons of Na-Churs liquid plant food, a set of ten John Deere/FFA collector belt buckles donated by Larry Riney, a Patz 20-foot conveyor and a Jim Wand seminar/program.

1994 Legion of Merit Citations

The following individuals were awarded the Legion of Merit Citation this year:

Arkansas	Larry Swindle	Kansas	Russell Carpenter	Adam McClain	Dottie Reindl	Wallace Garbisch	Janice Seebecker
Ruth Ann Crites	Toby Taylor	Anita Davis	Mary Felumlee	Kristi D. Mills	Charles Richardson	Brian Gerrits	Kenneth Seering
Mary F. Nowlin	Carney Walden	Dolores Holz	Larry Lindamood	Dennis Monroe	Mary Richardson	Renny Glaubit	Scott S. Sherry
Amber Polk	Georgia	Kentucky	Maeanna	Kim Pross	Connie Ripkowski	Theresa Hasel	Brent Sinkula
Connecticut	John Barnes Jr.	Johnny R. Story	Lindamood	W. A. Ralls	Frank Stephenson	Sue Henschler	Don Southworth
Anita Mickels	Wayne Barneycastle	Linda J. Story	Roger Smith	Selena Ramm	Mike Ripkowski	Darrell Hines	Cheryl Steinbach
Peter Sepe	Irene Chancey	Michigan	Dennis Tumblin	Hillary Schubert	Frank Stephenson	Ronald Kaiser	Francis Steiner
Jorge Valbuena	Deborah Jones	Larinda Miller	Kevin Turnbull	Destiny Senkoff	Mary Stephenson	Kevin Keith	Jeanette Steiner
Nancy Volovski	Marjorie Sales	Mississippi	Melissa Turnbull	John L. Sharber	Virginia	Heidi Knaack	Joe Tomandl
Trudy Walling	Rhesa Sales	Lisa Nix	Stephanie Weist	Crystal Shaw	Suzanne Adams	Fred Knapp	Trent B. Topel
Florida	Jan Stephens	Missouri	Lynn Wells	Ty Smith	Travis Bowman	John Kuffel	Dan Valenta
Shirley Carte	Herbert Teague	Marla Pace	Thomas E. Wolfe	Rosslyn Spencer	Brian Carr	Paul Larson	Gary Van De Hei
Bill Clark	William Weaver	Jeffrey D. Sayre	Oklahoma	Shane Stephens	Lydia Cabbage	Marjorie Lippert	Chris Van Vreede
David N. Coile	Edwin Wigington	Joyce E. Sayre	Misty Ambrose	Jamie Stokes	John Fulk	Martha Lippert	Van Vreede
George Coleman	Illinois	Justin D. Sayre	Elbert Atkinson	Roy Turner	Ken Hammer	Marilyn Madsen	Dennis Van Vreede
Randall Dasher	Maxine Rahe	Nebraska	Colin Autin	Jonathan Wallace	Wendi Harper	Alan Mazna	Barb Van Wychen
Johanna Davis	Vernon Rahe	Maelyn Everist	Sonya Blanchard	Charlee Williams	Sonja Houff	Scott Mohr	Ken VanDenHeuvel
John Driggers	Evelyn Vortman	Konnie Fredrick	Sarah Boyer	Nathan Wilson	Jessie Marshall	John C. Morton	Donna Vine
Peggy Farcas	Norman Vortman	Jo Grotelueschen	Mike Chaney	Jed Winters	Jennifer Metcalfe	Kathy Morton	Kenneth Wilcox
Danette Fewox	Robert Weaver	Joanell Klug	Tanya Daugherty	Rhode Island	Sarah Mies	Gerald Neuser	Bobbi Jo Wnuk
Lori Ann Fink	Iowa	Jimmy D. Rath	Jeremy Dunn	Debra Hammond	Virginia Miller	Donald Noack	Elaine Wnuk
Ben Floyd	Sheree Berninghaus	Michael Roeber	Stacy Ford	Tina Sarachick	Stephanie Osborne	Don Pagenkopf	Julius Wnuk
Jodi N. Geiger	Linda Brown	North Carolina	Michael Hall	South Carolina	Liana Ruleman	Mike Peroutka	Kevin Wnuk
Bobby Hatch	Ray Brown	William Teague	Mark Hannah	Gilmore McManus	Bradley L. Seal	Andy Pink	Delmar Zernicke
Jerry Huter	Porky Burmeister	North Dakota	Jake Holloway	Weston Weldon	Mindy Switzer	Harvey Fischer	Rozanne Zernicke
Debbie Jenkins	Donald Burzlaff	Coreen Stevick	Jonathan Hopson	Texas	Denise Braukhoff	Dawn Pribbernow	Justin Dierks
W. Brad Lacey	Mary Feldpausch	Haux Robin Skalsky	Christy Howard	Ben D. Alley	Kevin Champeau	Jody Rabitz	Gayle Hamner
Gary Lee	Marie Fisher	Bill Ward	Adrienne Huitger	Harold Blair	Jeannine Dringsinger	John Rabitz	Sheralee Heschke
Sharon McCall	Travis Hicks	Ohio	Tiffany Jackman	Harold Blair	Judy Dvorak	Mary Ann Rabitz	Neil Hokanson
Kathryn McInnis	Jerry Jacobs	Glenn Anderson	Danny Kelley	C. Ray Calloway	Patricia Garbisch	Sara Rader	Jim Schiermiester
Ben Randolph	Steven E. Kehoe	Judd Baker	Levi Krasser	Cheryl Deer		Vicki Schlinsog	
Jana B. Register	John D. Kent	Ryan Blauser	Monty Larman	David Krebs		Carol Schneider	
Mary Ann Reis	John D. Kent	Emily Buxton	Christie Lasater	Terri Krebs		Jean Schroeder	
Julie Roof	John D. Kent	Robert Buxton	Sean Lewis	Johnny McCain		Harold Seebecker	
Belinda Stevens	Jason McKenney	Robert Buxton	Melissa Lyons	Donnie Reed			

**“Taste of FFA in Kansas City”
A Wonderful Convention Gala**



The “Taste of FFA in Kansas City” featured a special presentation by the National FFA Chorus and several FFA Talent performances. A wonderful meal featuring many of agriculture’s best was served Kansas style. This first-time event was a great success. The following items were donated: beef brisket, barbecued pork ribs and smoked sausage by **Farmland Industries, Inc.**; pork and beans by **Allen Canning, Arkansas**; cheese by **McCadam Cheese Company, New York**; country ham by **Moonlight Barbecue, Kentucky**; pecans by **Georgia Farm Bureau**; and cherries by **Southern Door FFA Alumni, Wisconsin**.

Long Gun Safety Holster

Your National FFA Alumni Association announces a safety project or community service project with a fund-raising potential. The Long Gun Safety Holster is considered to be a win-win-win-win-win situation.

1. Win for the FFA customer in safety and value.
2. Win for the FFA member in community safety, service and awareness. Financially rewarding for the chapter fund-raising efforts.
3. Win for the local FFA advisor in the form of a worthwhile safety project/community service project that is also a fund-raiser.
4. Win for the FFA Alumni Association annual fund-raising efforts and prevents hunting accidents.
5. Win for the Long Gun Safety Holster Company in satisfaction of assisting youth in changing old dangerous habits and making hunting safer.

The Long Gun Safety Holster Company donated \$1,000.00 in holster products that were sold as part of the FFA Alumni auction in Kansas City. More than 16,000,000 people hunt, 600,000 new hunters join each year and many more only target shoot. These holsters prevent accidents and may be a potential fund-raising project for our local affiliates. For information, write Gerald Gerleman, Long Gun Safety Holster Company, Box 225, Olpe, Kansas 66865 or call 1-800-345-2195.

**Mauston, Wisconsin, Wins
National Scrapbook Contest**

Mauston, Wisconsin, was recognized as the national scrapbook winner and received a plaque.

	Gold	
Mauston, WI	Granton, WI	Clinton, WI
	Silver	
Milton, WI	Denmark, WI	
	Bronze	
Lake Mills, WI	Black Hawk, WI	Bonduel, WI
New Lexington, OH	Hill City, KS	Freedom, WI



Pictured above are representatives from the affiliates recognized as national winners in the scrapbook contest.



Long Gun Holster Company proudly supports FFA community service, safety projects and fund raising efforts. Together we can make shooting a safer sport in preventing hunting accidents.

Salute to New Life Members

Since the fall newsletter, our prestigious list of life members has grown by 242 and reached a total of 17,067. A life member receives the FFA magazine and may designate that upon their death a check, equal to the amount of their life membership, be presented as a memorial scholarship to an FFA member in a chapter or state, or may be designated to support some area of agriculture and/or agricultural education, or may remain permanently in the national FFA Alumni trust fund. We challenge each of you to promote our prestigious life membership program.

Arizona	George Patterson	Ohio	Billy Russell	Thomas C. Auville	Wayne Howe	West Virginia
Penny Carpenter	Raymond Poe	Blanche Bolen	Carroll Satterwhite	Lewis Beachy	Bill Lam	Nancy K. Lutz
Carol P. Davies	Charles Bud Powell	Wilber F. Bolen	Wanda Sensibaugh	Allen Berkshire	Marshall Lawson	Wisconsin
Gerald L. Davies	Chuck Powell	Kevin Bookless	Mary Shorb	Bill Bowman	Michael A. Miller	Kara Ackerman
Lloyd Glover	Dennis Rahe	Matt Carter	Dale Spears	Charles Bowman	Nelson Miller	Eugene Akins
Mark Herrington	Gary A. Rahe	Merrill L. Gladden Sr.	Amanda Starr	Tony L. Brubaker	Lena R. Osborne	Sandra Akins
Chris Mack	Stephen Rustman	Brian Goettemoeller	John Tautfest	Boyd Burkholder	Chris Ruleman	Nelda Lee Behnke
Lois Ann Moody	Charles Shireman	David Griffith	Pokey Vamer	Brian Carpenter	Gary Ruleman	Delbert DeNure
Faye W. Phillips	John Sweeney	Kay Griffith	Joe Wilson	Bob Carr	Virginia Schlabach	Craig Fietzer
Paul E. Rovey	Mike Swisher	Randy Haines	Oregon	Brian Crickenberger	Brett S. Seal	Steve Johnson
Chris Stauffer	Mark Vortman	Rick Haines	Linda Magenheimer	Ray Cabbage	Larry L. Seal	Brenda Kulas
Delmar Stauffer	Iowa	Robin Hiles	South Carolina	Tara Cupp	Michelle L. Swope	Mike Ostby
Daniel Taylor	Scott Bruce	Susan Hoover	Andrew Carter	Roy A. Derrer	Charles Torrence	Maryellen Rear
Colorado	Don Castell	Danny Ilhardt	Barbara D. Steadman	John Fulk	Ruby Wolverton	James Schlafli
Angie Bledsoe	F. Lyle Flynn	Karen Ilhardt	Ronald Stephens	Todd Garber	Washington	Jim Smith
Sue Buniger	Jeremy Gustafson	Robert Jones	South Dakota	Timothy Grove	Dick Bedlington	David Smithback
Jess Donaldson	Paul C. Hansen	Tracy Kitchel	Kurt J. Stiefvater	Kenneth Hammer	Marlys Bedlington	Judd Thompson
Kara Gill	Jason D. McKenney	Jerry L. Little	Tennessee	Sandra Hammer	Joshua C. Cox	Dale Wagner Jr.
Julie Hansmire	Pat Peterson	Gary McDowell	Robin W. Ellis	Gary Harper	Tom Cunningham	Luke Wiedenfeld
Stason Ikenouye	Brendt Warrington	Larry Seibel	Ken Luckey	Chanda Houff	Marvin Enfield	Wyoming
Kelly Longacre	Curtis Woods	Mona Thomas	Texas	Fred Houff	Billy Evans	Gene Brown
Brett Markham	Kansas	William Thomas	Donnie Reed	Kem Houff	Jim Hale	Neil Hokanson
Elaine McCallum	Larry Abeldt	Jim Tumblin	Virginia	Neil Houff	Guy Jansen	Tim L. Pexton
Jamie Pittington	Paul Cotterill	Faye Turk	Barry Arey	Sonja Houff	Marian Slaybaugh	Paul Schmidt
William Spicer	Forest Flippo	Roy M. Turk				
Andy Thacker	Darien Fritts	Jeremy Tumbill				
Carl Warren	Derrick Fritts	Mandy Tumbill				
Brent R. Young	Bret Glendening	Don Urban				
Connecticut	John Gutschenritter	Linda Weiler				
Dale Jones	Gary Hall	Karen Wellbaum				
Bruce Osborne	Joe Kongs	Stacey Williamson				
William Whiting	Dan Reiff	Kyle Zimmerman				
Georgia	Forrest Stewart	Mark Zimmerman				
Betty Bumette	Garold Wasinger	Oklahoma				
Robert S. Cantrell	C. R. Worthing	Leon Bailey				
Jerry Davis	Michigan	Ulahmae Blackwelder				
Chad Goss	Chad Bischoff	Kurt Bolay				
Jim Hagopian	Eileen Bolt	Jerry Brooks				
Tommy Qualls	William Bolt	Larry Casillas				
John A. Ray	Loris Johns	Richard L. Conley				
Steve Sewell	Barbara Roth	Bill Culbert				
June Thacker	Missouri	Tom Dolezal				
Illinois	John Eckstein	Cami Downey				
Jack Caldwell	Delores Swoboda	Chris Dunn				
Harold Carter	Lester Swoboda	Krista Frank				
A. L. Casson	Montana	Patty Fry				
Merritt Cravens	Jan French	Craig Hale				
Roland Doom	Kelly French	Marilyn Hester				
George Fawns	Nebraska	Kim Hitchings				
James W. Freeman	Sherry L. Acheson	Gerald L. Honick				
Jim Freeman	Richard Kamm	Billy Ingram				
Leroy Freesen	Robert Nelson	Karen James				
John Gravens	Keith Nielson	Neva Jeter				
Betty J. Gregory	Chuck Ryan	Jimmy King				
F. E. Gregory	New Jersey	Murray King				
Reed Hickey	J. Henry Zanzalari	Lyle Klement				
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Bill Borer of Grand Rapids, Ohio, purchased the special blue and gold FFA Chevrolet pickup truck donated by CHEVY TRUCKS. Pictured from left is Borer receiving the keys from Mack Whisner, Manager of Truck Advertising, CHEVY TRUCKS.

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