

**FOUR MORE YEARS OF THE  
WEST VIRGINIA  
ASSOCIATION**

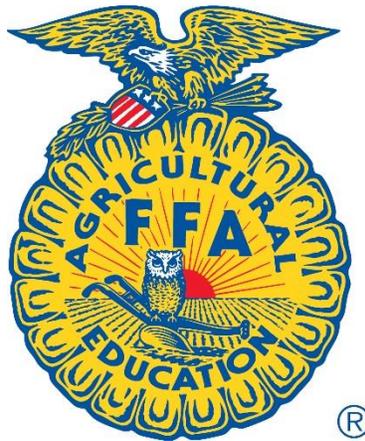
**FFA**

**2010-11**

**2011-12**

**2012-13**

**2013-14**



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**WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION FFA HISTORY**  
**2010-11 through 2013-14**

**FOREWORD**

This is the last chapter in the history of the West Virginia Association FFA that I will compile. My life as an Agricultural Education (teacher preparation) professor at West Virginia University since 1973, and as a Professor Emeritus since 2003, has been greatly enriched by maintaining contact with former students and observing the successes and accomplishments of them and their FFA members through recording the WV FFA history. Thanks to all of you for your contributions. Those teachers, students and friends of the FFA whose names appear in these pages can be very proud of their dedication and achievements.

Perhaps through these pages your contributions will never be forgotten.

Layle D. Lawrence, Professor Emeritus  
Agricultural Education  
West Virginia University

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Dr. Layle D. Lawrence, Professor Emeritus at WVU has done it once again. His attention to detail in preserving our WV FFA history is unmatched. The entire WV FFA family appreciates the time Dr. Lawrence has spent collecting, interviewing and researching to assemble this latest installment (2010-2014) of our history.

Dr. Lawrence has left his mark on WV Agricultural Education and FFA and will forever be a part of our history and legacy as he has also left his impact on countless lives. We have such a rich and storied FFA history in this state and the future appears to be just as bright. I encourage every reader of this history compilation to continue supporting the greatest youth organization on the planet and writing their own chapter in the great story that is the WV FFA Association.

Jason E. Hughes  
State FFA Advisor  
2009 - Present

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# West Virginia Association FFA 2010-2011

## STATE OFFICERS

President: John Lockhart, Taylor  
Secretary: Robby Currey, Doddridge County  
Northeastern Vice President: Katie Wolf, Jefferson  
Eastern Vice President: Michelle Biser, Moorefield  
Southwestern Vice President: Russell Kidwell, Mason County  
Vice President (at large): Amanda Hannon, Mason County  
Vice President (at large): Matt Coe, Wirt County  
Vice President (at large): Caleb Smith, Ripley  
Vice President (at large): Seth Neal, Cabell Midland  
Advisor: Jason Hughes  
Executive Secretary/Treasurer: Nathan Taylor

## WEST VIRGINIA FFA CHAPTERS

### CENTRAL

Braxton County  
Calhoun County  
Clay County  
Gilmer County  
Lewis County  
Nicholas  
Roane County  
Upshur County  
Petersburg  
Tucker County  
Tygart Valley

### NORTHEASTERN

Berkeley Springs  
Charlestown Middle  
Hampshire  
Harpers Ferry Middle  
Hedgesville  
Jefferson  
Martinsburg  
Mineral County  
Musselman Washington  
Shepherdstown Middle  
Washington  
Wildwood Middle  
WV School for the Deaf

### EASTERN

East Hardy  
East Hardy Middle  
Elkins  
Harman  
Moorefield  
Moorefield Middle  
Mount Storm  
Pendleton County

### NORTHWESTERN

Blennerhassett  
Cameron  
Doddridge County  
Hundred  
John Marshall  
New Martinsville  
Pine Grove  
Ritchie County  
St. Marys  
Tyler

### SOUTHEASTERN

Fayette Plateau  
Greenbrier East  
Greenbrier West  
Monroe County  
Shady Spring  
Summers  
Surveyor

### NORTHCENTRAL

Barbour County  
Clay-Battelle  
Liberty  
Lincoln  
Marion County  
Preston County  
Taylor County  
University High

### SOUTHWESTERN

Cabell Midland  
Carver Career  
Lincoln County  
Mason County Vocational  
Ravenswood  
Ravenswood Middle  
Roane Jackson  
Ripley  
Ripley Middle  
Wirt County

**NATIONAL PROCEEDINGS**

**83rd NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION DELEGATES**  
Indianapolis, Indiana

Entire 2010-11 State Officer Team

**AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

|                   |                    |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| Allyson Peters    | Braxton County FFA |
| Kessell Lilly     | Clay FFA           |
| Eric Yost         | East Hardy FFA     |
| Cody Grogg        | Gilmer County FFA  |
| Sarah Wayne       | Gilmer County FFA  |
| Dillon Fuller     | Hampshire FFA      |
| Jenna Mullins     | Hampshire FFA      |
| Jacob Blue        | Jefferson FFA      |
| Katlin Thorsell   | Jefferson FFA      |
| Jason Grubb       | Marion County FFA  |
| Brent Ebert       | Mineral County FFA |
| Alyssa Harvey     | Mineral County FFA |
| Hunter McGregor   | Mineral County FFA |
| Derrick Spencer   | Mineral County FFA |
| Rachel Spiker     | Mineral County FFA |
| Matthew Umstot    | Mineral County FFA |
| Andrea Walker     | Moorefield FFA     |
| John Boyd         | Musselman FFA      |
| Jada Hostuttler   | Musselman FFA      |
| Trevor Cummings   | Roane County FFA   |
| Jason Shamblin    | Roane County FFA   |
| Jennifer Baker    | St. Marys FFA      |
| Danielle Cox      | St. Marys FFA      |
| Nathan Cunningham | St. Marys FFA      |
| Nick Cox          | Taylor County FFA  |
| Joe Ferrell       | Tyler FFA          |

**Star Farmer**

Jason Shamblin – Roane County

**Star Agribusinessperson**

Brent Ebert – Mineral County

## **HONORARY AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

*(Teachers)*

Bill Aberegg, New Martinsville  
Russell Dotson, Cameron  
Howard Henderson, Valley-Wetzel

*(Others)*

James Crumrine, Tyler  
Roger Mallow, Pendleton  
Andy Walker, Moorefield  
Eugene Walker, WV Department of Agriculture

## **NATIONAL FFA VIP CITATION RECIPIENTS**

Dr. Stacy Gartin, West Virginia University  
Dr. Stanley Hopkins, West Virginia Department of Education (Retired)

## **DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

Farm Credit of the Virginias

## **NATIONAL OFFICER NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

John Lockhart, WV Association FFA President

## **NATIONAL FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**

Gold Emblem—Dairy Products, Ravenswood (8<sup>th</sup> place)

Gold Emblem—Horse Evaluation, Mineral County (9<sup>th</sup> place)

Gold Emblem—Parliamentary Procedure, Tyler (10<sup>th</sup> place)

Gold Emblem—Agronomy, Ravenswood (11<sup>th</sup> place)

Gold Emblem Individuals:

Dairy Products—Jacob Hafer, Max McCoy, Makala Settlege (Ravenswood)

Horse Evaluation—Ryan Turner, Amanda Wilson (Mineral County)

Agronomy—Kelsey Flinn (Ravenswood)

Forestry—Michael George, Joe Henthorn (Tyler)

Meats Evaluation—Will Woodworth (Mineral County)

Silver Emblem—Forestry, Mineral County

Silver Emblem--Farm Business Management, Roane County

Silver Emblem—Food Science, Marion County

Silver Emblem—Floriculture, Hampshire

Silver Emblem—Nursery Landscape, Hampshire

Silver Emblem—Poultry, Cameron

Silver Emblem—Marketing Plan, Mason County

Bronze Emblem—Agricultural Mechanics, Cabell Midland

Bronze Emblem—Dairy Cattle Evaluation, Cameron

Bronze Emblem—Livestock Evaluation, Lewis County

Bronze Emblem—Environmental and Natural Resources, Braxton County

## **NATIONAL PROFICIENCY AWARDS**

Bronze—Agricultural Communications (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Parker Winters, Ripley

Bronze—Agricultural Education (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Megan J. Jones, Mineral County

Silver—Agricultural Sales (Placement): Cassandra Carihfield, Hundred

Silver—Diversified Agricultural Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Cody Grogg, Gilmer County

Bronze—Diversified Crop Production (Placement): Calvin Eugene Saunders, Roane County

Bronze—Diversified Livestock Production (Entrepreneurship): Charles A. Wilfong II, Pocahontas

Silver—Diversified Livestock Production (Placement): Sarah Miller, Mineral County  
Bronze—Floriculture (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Morgan Higginbotham, Roane County  
Gold—Forage Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Brent Ebert, Mineral County  
Bronze—Home/Community Development (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Andrew Bourgeois, Ripley  
Bronze—Landscape Management (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Brandon Johnson, Clay  
Bronze—Swine Production (Entrepreneurship): Catherine May, Shady Spring  
Bronze—Turf Grass Management (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Daniel J. Heis, Ripley  
Bronze—Veterinary Medicine (Entrepreneurship/Placement): Catlin Rose, Greenbrier East

#### **NATIONAL CREED SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem—Amanda Wilson, Jefferson

#### **NATIONAL PREPARED PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Silver Emblem—Katie Wolf, Jefferson

#### **NATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem—Ashley Vance, Greenbrier East

#### **NATIONAL JOB INTERVIEW**

Silver Emblem—Morgan Henderson, Jefferson

#### **NATIONAL FFA AGRISCIENCE FAIR AWARDS**

Gold Emblem—Crystal Cummings, Lincoln County  
Gold Emblem—Jared Beard, Moorefield Middle  
Silver Emblem—Jett Pauley, Lincoln County  
Silver Emblem—Karlee Arnold, Point Pleasant  
Silver Emblem—Paige Barr, Ripley  
Silver Emblem—T.J. Bowman, Moorefield Middle  
Silver Emblem—Caitlyn Parsons and Molly Fellure, Point Pleasant  
Bronze Emblem—Corey Hall, Ripley  
Bronze Emblem—JoBeth Delawder, Moorefield Middle

#### **WEST VIRGINIA'S NATIONAL CHAPTER AWARDS**

Gold Emblem Chapters—Three Star Rating  
    Gilmer County  
    Mineral County  
    Hampshire  
Gold Emblem Chapters—Two Star Rating  
    Jefferson  
    Roane County  
    Tyler Consolidated

#### **NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL CAREER SHOW EXHIBITOR**

West Virginia University Agricultural Education/Mountaineer Collegiate FFA

#### **NATIONAL LAND JUDGING**

12<sup>th</sup> Place – Ripley  
14<sup>th</sup> Place – Tyler  
46<sup>th</sup> Place – Clay  
47<sup>th</sup> Place – Ravenswood  
    Ripley was the Northeast Regional Champions  
    Team members: Caleb Smith, Jeff Tomlin, Sheila Ramsey & Corey Hall

## **NATIONAL HOMESITE EVALUATION**

6<sup>th</sup> Place – Tyler

7<sup>th</sup> Place – Ravenswood

16<sup>th</sup> Place – Ripley

21<sup>st</sup> Place – Clay

Tyler was the Northeast Regional Champions

Team Members: Casey Miner, Michelle Williams, Rheanna Foley & Kelly Flesher

## **CANON INTERNATIONAL ENVIROTHON**

WV Participant – Ravenswood

Team members: Logan Hughes, Lakyn Hughes, Jonathan Rhodes, Dustin Marks, Jacob Hafer

## **MID-AMERICA GRASSLAND EVALUATION**

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Ravenswood

Team Members: Kelsey Flinn, Tiffany Harvey, Jacob Hafer, Joe Hartley

Top individual score: Joe Hartley

8<sup>th</sup> Place – Ravenswood

Team Members: Ashley Walter, Charissa Friend, Kirsten Marks, Christie Meeks

## **82<sup>ND</sup> STATE FFA CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS**

Date: July 6-9, 2011

Location: Cedar Lakes

Theme: Infinite Potential

## **STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Macey Dean        | Barbour County |
| Kyle Duckworth    | Barbour County |
| Shannon Jones     | Barbour County |
| Michael Moore     | Barbour County |
| Kayla Poling      | Barbour County |
| Dereck Price      | Barbour County |
| Victoria Shomo    | Barbour County |
| Caitlin Black     | Cabell Midland |
| Sarah Clagg       | Cabell Midland |
| Aaron Hicks       | Cabell Midland |
| Andrew Linville   | Cabell Midland |
| Cameron Scarberry | Cabell Midland |
| Erin Townsend     | Cabell Midland |
| Aaron Lee Allman  | Cameron        |
| Jenny Brooks      | Cameron        |
| Ashley Cain       | Cameron        |
| Toni Doman        | Cameron        |
| Mark Jochum       | Cameron        |
| Kelley Coleman    | Clay County    |
| Brian Tyler Gould | Clay County    |
| Leighann Gray     | Clay County    |
| Dustin Holcomb    | Clay County    |
| Thomas H. Mullins | Clay County    |

|                       |                  |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| Ashley Heater         | Doddridge County |
| Cassie Hurst          | Doddridge County |
| Andrew Lowther        | Doddridge County |
| Lindsey Basye         | East Hardy       |
| Ashley A. Dove        | East Hardy       |
| Cody Funkhouse        | East Hardy       |
| Courtney R. Lemons    | East Hardy       |
| Josh W. Parker        | East Hardy       |
| Cody Strawderman      | East Hardy       |
| Jacob Sirbaugh        | Gilmer County    |
| Tyler Colby Bowman    | Greenbrier East  |
| Ethan Brooks          | Greenbrier East  |
| Michael Donlan        | Greenbrier East  |
| William Henry Zink    | Greenbrier East  |
| Aaron Riffey          | Greenbrier West  |
| David Chaney          | Hampshire County |
| Cole Davis            | Hampshire County |
| Tyler Hott            | Hampshire County |
| Brooke Morris         | Hampshire County |
| Darlena Poling        | Hampshire County |
| Jessica McDonald      | Hedgesville      |
| Shelby McDonald       | Hedgesville      |
| Tierney Riner         | Hedgesville      |
| Jacob Stotler         | Hedgesville      |
| Turner Bragg          | Hundred          |
| Brittany Greathouse   | Hundred          |
| Brady Koontz          | Hundred          |
| Randy Mitchell Moore  | Hundred          |
| Chris Shackelford     | Hundred          |
| Raymond Yoho, II      | Hundred          |
| Nell Berkeley         | Jefferson        |
| Morgan Henderson      | Jefferson        |
| Kayla Adkins          | Lincoln County   |
| Kelly Hager           | Lincoln County   |
| Austin McCormick      | Lincoln County   |
| Crystal Griffith      | Marion County    |
| Taylor Leigh Phillips | Marion County    |
| Hannah Roth           | Marion County    |
| Wesley Davis          | Mason County     |
| James C. Wilson       | Mason County     |
| James Evan Wilson     | Mason County     |
| Dustin Brakshaw       | Mineral County   |
| Abigail Hutzell       | Mineral County   |
| Zachary Malone        | Mineral County   |
| Kaylee Self           | Mineral County   |
| Amanda Wilson         | Mineral County   |
| Shelby Arthur         | Monroe County    |
| Langley Anne Salyers  | Moorefield       |
| Kayla Butler          | Musselman        |
| Zachary Fox           | Musselman        |
| Lincoln McKinney      | Musselman        |

|                         |                  |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| Tori Penwell            | Musselman        |
| Kelsey Sams             | Musselman        |
| James Talbott           | Musselman        |
| Keri Neil               | Nicholas         |
| Alex Pritchard          | Nicholas         |
| Caleb L. Alt            | Pendleton County |
| Hunter M. Carr          | Pendleton County |
| Meghan Hoover           | Pendleton County |
| Isaac Ruddle            | Pendleton County |
| Cody Bassett            | Pine Grove       |
| Danette Leigh Hayes     | Pine Grove       |
| Annaliese Henderson     | Pine Grove       |
| Hollie Rose Schell      | Pine Grove       |
| Clay Ueltcschy          | Pine Grove       |
| Rachel Wyatt            | Pine Grove       |
| Jonathon Blamble        | Preston County   |
| Houston Hayes           | Preston County   |
| Kristopher M. Sanders   | Preston County   |
| Samantha Bryanne Thomas | Preston County   |
| Hadley Wilson           | Preston County   |
| Joe Hartley             | Ravenswood       |
| Brenna Hoselton         | Ravenswood       |
| Brittany Marks          | Ravenswood       |
| Courtney Miller         | Ravenswood       |
| Emily Anne Moss         | Ravenswood       |
| Katherine Southall      | Ravenswood       |
| Corey Hall              | Ripley           |
| Kolton Hatcher          | Ripley           |
| Cyerra Kersey           | Ripley           |
| Jesse McComas           | Ripley           |
| Dennis Wade Myers       | Ripley           |
| David Vest              | Ripley           |
| Mollie Villers          | Ripley           |
| Brandon Williams        | Ripley           |
| Chelsea Epling          | Roane County     |
| Kayla Hicks             | Roane County     |
| Leah Nichols            | Roane County     |
| Allison Reynolds        | Roane County     |
| Matthew B. Roberts      | Roane County     |
| Conor R. Rogers         | Roane County     |
| Amanda West             | Roane County     |
| Jacob Farmer            | Shady Spring     |
| Curtis Tate             | Shady Spring     |
| Garrett Allan Hadley    | St. Marys        |
| Kelsey Meadows          | Summers County   |
| Nick Ellis              | Surveyor         |
| Samantha Glaspell       | Taylor County    |
| Macy Daniell Kirgy      | Taylor County    |
| Jimmy Croston           | Tygart Valley    |
| Jese McGee              | Tygart Valley    |
| Jonathan Swecker        | Tygart Valley    |

|                  |               |
|------------------|---------------|
| Nick Billiter    | Tyler         |
| Jenna Clark      | Tyler         |
| Ashley Cochran   | Tyler         |
| Sierra Eddy      | Tyler         |
| Michael George   | Tyler         |
| Megan Haught     | Tyler         |
| Savannah Hilvers | Tyler         |
| William Wright   | Tyler         |
| Christina Zirkle | Upshur County |
| Karly Bennett    | Wirt County   |

Star State Farmer– *Annaliese Henderson*, Pine Grove

Star State Agribusinessperson – *Raymond Yoho*, Hundred

Star State Placement – *William Henry Zink*, Greenbrier East

West Virginia Star Farmer – Charles Wilfong II, Pocahontas County

West Virginia Star Placement – Lacey Sims, Wirt County

**HONORARY STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Brandy Brabham  
 Shannon Boswell  
 Jimmie Coffman  
 Terry Crouse  
 Ben Hays  
 Gene Hovatter  
 Isaac Lewis  
 Jedson & Gina Liggett  
 Kenny Mason  
 Paul McCutchan  
 Scott Muncy  
 John Murray  
 John Pitsenbarger  
 Kelly Turley  
 Tammy Smith  
 Brian Wickline

**STATE CONVENTION CONTEST WINNERS**

Parliamentary Procedure  
 1<sup>st</sup> place: Marion County  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Ripley  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Tyler County

Opening Ceremony (Middle School)  
 1<sup>st</sup> place: Wildwood Middle  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Moorefield Middle  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Ripley

Land Judging:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tyler

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Clay County

High Individuals

1<sup>st</sup> place: Max McCoy, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Lauren Seckman, Tyler

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Carson Saffle, Taylor

Homesite Evaluation:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Clay County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Nicholas County

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Marion County

High Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Kerii Neal, Nicholas

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jennifer Cummings, Clay

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Lauren Seckman, Tyler

Outstanding Alumni Chapter: Jefferson

Scrapbook:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Cabell Midland

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jefferson

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Ravenswood

Middle School Scrapbook:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Charles Town Middle School

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Wildwood Middle School

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Moorefield Middle School

FFA Quiz Bowl:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Wildwood Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Moorefield Middle

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Charles Town Middle

Prepared Public Speaking:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Samantha Cogle, Washington

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mitch Moore, Hundred

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Wes Davis, Mason County

Agricultural Issues Forum: Roane County

Middle School Public Speaking:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Elizabeth Hayden, Wildwood Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Josh Haddox, Mason County

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Katie See, East Hardy Middle

Extemporaneous Public Speaking:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Michael Thomas, Moorefield

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Michael Hicks, Roane County

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Caleb Shaw, Hannon

Job Interview:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Nell Berkeley, Jefferson
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Samantha Glaspell, Taylor
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Jessica McDonald, Hedgesville

Marketing Plan:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Tyler County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jefferson
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Lincoln County

FFA Creed (freshmen):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Sydney Hudson, Pendleton County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Katie Bohrer, Musselman
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Shawna Vanderhoff, Marion County

FFA Creed (upperclassman):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Brianne Mason, Jefferson
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Chase Garrett Linko-Looper, Blennerhassett
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Doroghy Daugherty, Pendleton County

Tractor Driving (large tractor division):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Tyler Harper, Roane County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Andrew Linville, Cabell Midland
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Remington Kessler, Summers

Tractor Driving (middle school compact division):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: David Taylor, Jr., Moorefield Middle
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Anthony Andrews, Moorefield Middle
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: James Heishman, East Hardy Middle

Tractor Driving (high school compact division)

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Joe Harley, Ravenswood
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Michael Hicks, Roane County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Garet Shamblin, Ripley

Talent: Tri-County Bluegrass Group

Record Books:

Middle School:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Lane Hedge, Wildwood
- 1<sup>st</sup> year:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> place: Johnathan Black, Cabell Midland
- 2<sup>nd</sup> year:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> place: Ashley Shamblin, Ravenswood
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Kevin Rhoades, Gilmer County
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Hailey Augenstein, Hampshire
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> place: Tiffany Harvey, Ravenswood
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Annaliese Henderson, Pine Grove
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Caitlin Black, Cabell Midland

4<sup>th</sup> year:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Zachary Shamblin, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Shane Kuhn, Hundred

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Sarah Miller, Mineral County

Agriscience Fair:

Division I: (Individual Grade 7-9)

Environmental Sciences: (Category II)

1<sup>st</sup> – Cole Snyder, Lincoln County

Zoology: Animal Sciences (Category III)

1<sup>st</sup> – Mitchell Martin, Moorefield Middle

Botany: Plant Science (Category IV)

Sub E 1<sup>st</sup> – Tanner Carr, Moorefield Middle

Sub A 1<sup>st</sup> – Cole Reistrup, Harpers Ferry

Sub A 2<sup>nd</sup> – Kristian Davis, Wildwood Middle

Division II: (Individual Grade 10-12)

Biochemistry: Microbiology, Food Science

2<sup>nd</sup> – Ashley Smith, Lincoln County

Zoology: Animal Science (Category III)

Sub A 1<sup>st</sup> – Amanda Smith, Jefferson

Sub B 1<sup>st</sup> – Crystal Cummings, Lincoln County

Division III: (Team of two – Grade 7-9)

Botany: Plant Science (Category IV)

1<sup>st</sup> – Ryan Mizick & Alex McCollough, Doddridge

2<sup>nd</sup> – Jordan Harder & AshLynn Courney, Harpers Ferry

Division IV: (Team of two – Grades 10-12)

Environmental Science (Category II)

2<sup>nd</sup> – Page Barr & Mikayla Pursely, Ripley

Zoology: Animal Science (Category III)

1<sup>st</sup> – Michael Thomas & Jacob Crites, Moorefield

Engineering: (Category V)

1<sup>st</sup> – Corey Hall & Garet Shamblin, Ripley

National Three-Star Gold Emblem Chapters

Mineral County

Pendleton County

National Two-Star Gold Emblem Chapters

Hampshire

Hannan

Jefferson

Ravenswood

Wildwood Middle

Superior Chapter Awards

Barbour County

Cabell-Midland

Cameron

Lincoln County

Ripley

Pine Grove

## STATE FFA PROFICIENCY AWARD WINNERS

(“E” = Entrepreneurship; “P” = Placement; “E/P” = Entrepreneurship and Placement applicants in competition for combined award.)

### Agricultural Education (E/P)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Makala Settlege – Ravenswood
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Crystal Cummings – Lincoln County

### Agricultural Mechanics Design and Fabrications

- 1<sup>st</sup> Austin McCormack – Lincoln County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Brandon Williams – Ripley

### Agricultural Mechanics Repair and Maintenance (P)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Sarah Miller – Mineral County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Austin McCormick – Lincoln County

### Agricultural Sales (P)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Morgan Higginbotham – Roane County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Michael Dolan – Greenbrier East

### Agricultural Services

- 1<sup>st</sup> Austin McCormick – Lincoln County

### Beef Production (E)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Dereck Price – Barbour County

### Beef Production (P)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Jesse Bane – Mineral County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Curry Marshall – Roane County

### Diversified Agriculture Production (E/P)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Jesse Bane – Mineral County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Curry Marshall – Roane County

### Diversified Crop Production

- 1<sup>st</sup> Jesse Bane – Mineral County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Matthew Robert – Roane County

### Diversified Horticulture (E/P)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Shane Kuhn – Hundred

### Diversified Livestock Production (E)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Annaliese Henderson – Pine Grove
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Dereck Price – Barbour County

**Emerging Agricultural Technology (E/P)**

1<sup>st</sup> Morgan Higginbotham – Roane County

**Environmental Science & Natural Resources Management**

1<sup>st</sup> Sarah Miller – Mineral County

**Equine Science (P)**

1<sup>st</sup> William Toothman – Marion County

2<sup>nd</sup> Nyki Martin – Jefferson

**Fiber and/or Oil Crop Production**

1<sup>st</sup> Austin McCormick – Lincoln County

**Forage Production (E/P)**

1<sup>st</sup> Jesse Bane – Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> Cameron Miller – Ripley

**Forest Management (E/P)**

2<sup>nd</sup> Kayla Adkins – Lincoln

**Home and/or Community Development**

1<sup>st</sup> Jarred Burdette – Ripley

2<sup>nd</sup> Nick Ellis – Surveyor

**Landscape Management (E/P)**

1<sup>st</sup> Jacob Hafer – Ravenswood

**Nursery Operation (E/P)**

2<sup>nd</sup> Shane Kuhn – *Hundred*

**Poultry Production**

1<sup>st</sup> Sarah Miller – Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> Michelle Biser – Moorefield

**Sheep Production (E/P)**

1<sup>st</sup> Nick Billiter – Tyler

2<sup>nd</sup> Chasity Raines – Ripley

**Specialty Crop Production**

1<sup>st</sup> Jarred Burdette – Ripley

**Vegetable Production**

1<sup>st</sup> Morgan Higginbotham – Roane County

**Veterinary Medicine (E/P)**

1<sup>st</sup> Ryan Turner – Mineral County

**STATE HAM, BACON AND EGG SHOW AND SALE**

Champion Ham: Ashley Cain, Cameron  
 Reserve Champion Ham: Emily Wells, Tyler  
 Champion Bacon: Hannah Roth, Marion County  
 Reserve Champion Bacon: Brady Koontz, Hundred  
 Champion Eggs: Alex VanCamp, Tyler  
 Reserve Champion Eggs: Zak Davis, Mason County  
 Sale totaled \$46,515

**87<sup>th</sup> Annual Career Development Events  
 2010 Sweepstakes Award**

| School                         | AB | AM | AG | DC | DP | EN | EQ | FL | FR | FS | LV | MT | NL | PP | PO | Top<br>6 | Rank |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----------|------|
| Roane County High School       | 1  | 7  | 2  |    | 6  | 1  |    | 3  |    |    | 6  |    | 3  | 1  | 3  | 11       | 1    |
| Mineral County Vo-Tech Ctr.    |    | 2  | 5  | 3  | 9  | 12 | 1  |    | 6  | 2  | 5  | 1  |    | 13 | 6  | 14       | 2    |
| Ravenswood High School         |    | 3  | 1  |    | 1  | 7  |    | 6  | 7  | 4  |    |    |    | 2  |    | 17       | 3    |
| Hampshire High School          | 5  | 6  |    |    | 17 | 4  |    | 1  |    |    | 14 | 12 | 1  |    | 5  | 22       | 4    |
| Clay County High School        |    | 15 |    |    | 7  | 3  |    | 2  | 3  |    | 18 | 3  |    | 5  |    | 23       | 5    |
| Taylor County Tech Ctr.        | 3  |    |    |    | 2  | 11 | 7  |    | 2  |    |    | 9  | 2  | 8  |    | 24       | 6    |
| Tyler Consolidated High School |    | 8  | 11 |    | 3  | 10 | 3  | 11 | 1  |    | 15 | 7  | 4  | 12 | 14 | 26       | 7    |
| Jefferson High School          |    | 4  |    | 2  | 11 | 14 | 2  |    | 19 |    | 9  | 6  | 11 | 11 | 4  | 27       | 8    |
| Marion County Technical Ctr.   |    |    | 8  |    | 8  | 6  | 4  |    |    | 1  |    |    |    | 3  |    | 30       | 9    |
| Ripley High School             | 2  | 5  | 10 | 6  | 14 | 8  | 8  | 16 | 14 | 3  | 13 | 11 | 10 | 17 | 9  | 32       | 10   |
| Hundred High School            |    | 10 | 16 | 4  | 5  |    |    | 4  | 13 |    | 17 | 8  |    | 6  | 7  | 34       | 11   |
| Cameron High School            |    | 11 |    | 1  | 15 | 15 |    | 19 | 5  |    | 2  | 16 |    |    | 1  | 35       | 12   |
| Cabell Midland High School     | 7  | 1  | 12 |    | 22 | 2  |    | 15 | 15 |    | 29 | 19 | 6  | 7  | 15 | 35       | 13   |
| Valley High School             | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 7  |    |    | 8  | 5  | 5  | 18 |    | 53       | 14   |
| Lincoln County High School     |    | 12 | 13 | 5  | 19 | 24 |    | 10 |    |    | 21 | 21 | 9  | 19 |    | 68       | 15   |
| Greenbrier East High School    | 6  | 13 | 14 |    |    |    |    | 13 | 25 |    | 12 |    |    | 11 |    | 69       | 16   |
| Wirt County High School        |    |    |    | 8  |    | 17 |    | 9  | 10 |    |    | 17 |    | 9  |    | 70       | 17   |
| Braxton County High School     |    |    |    |    | 12 | 9  | 6  |    | 21 |    | 3  |    |    | 20 |    | 71       | 18   |
| Mason County Career Ctr.       | 4  |    | 7  |    | 13 | 20 |    |    | 26 |    | 7  | 20 |    |    |    | 71       | 19   |
| Wood County Technical Center   |    | 16 |    |    |    | 23 |    | 17 |    |    | 24 | 18 |    | 16 | 17 | 107      | 20   |
| Barbour County                 |    |    |    |    | 10 |    |    |    | 23 |    | 35 |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Buckhannon Upshur High School  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 20 |    | 19 | 14 |    |    |    |          |      |
| Calhoun High School            |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 17 |    | 28 |    |    |    | 8  |          |      |
| Charles Town Middle School     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Clay-Battelle High School      |    |    |    |    |    | 19 | 5  |    |    |    | 27 |    |    | 14 |    |          |      |
| Doddridge County High School   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 9  |    | 31 | 12 | 7  | 10 |    |          |      |
| East Hardy High School         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| East Hardy Middle School       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Elkins High School             |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 18 |    |    | 33 |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Fayette Plateau Tech Ctr.      |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 11 |    |    |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Gilmer County High School      |    | 9  | 18 |    |    | 13 |    |    | 12 |    | 22 |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Hannan High School             |    |    |    |    | 21 | 18 |    |    | 27 |    | 34 |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Harpers Ferry Middle School    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |          |      |
| Hedgesville High School        |    | 14 |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 26 |    |    |    |    |          |      |

|                                |   |    |       |    |       |    |    |       |
|--------------------------------|---|----|-------|----|-------|----|----|-------|
| Lewis County High School       |   | 17 |       |    |       | 1  |    |       |
| Liberty High School            | 8 |    |       |    | 8     |    |    |       |
| Liberty High School (Raleigh)  |   | 4  |       | 12 |       |    |    | 21    |
| Magnolia High School           |   |    | 20    |    |       | 37 |    |       |
| Martinsburg High School        | 9 |    |       |    |       | 10 | 4  | 8 4   |
| Moorefield High School         |   | 15 | 22    |    |       | 16 |    |       |
| Moorefield Middle School       |   |    |       |    |       |    |    |       |
| Musselman High School          |   |    |       |    |       | 11 |    |       |
| Nicholas County Technical Ctr. |   |    |       | 9  | 4     |    | 2  |       |
| Pendleton Co. High School      |   |    |       |    |       | 4  |    |       |
| Petersburg High School         |   |    |       |    |       | 25 |    |       |
| Ritchie County High School     |   |    | 18    |    | 16    | 30 |    |       |
| Shady Spring High School       |   | 3  |       |    | 14 18 |    | 15 |       |
| Shepherdstown Middle School    |   |    |       |    |       |    |    |       |
| South Harrison High School     |   | 6  |       |    |       | 32 |    | 10    |
| St. Marys High School          |   |    | 16 16 |    | 8 24  | 36 |    |       |
| Summers County High School     |   | 9  | 4 5   |    | 5     |    |    |       |
| Tucker County High School      |   |    |       |    |       | 20 |    |       |
| University High School         |   |    | 21    |    | 22    | 23 |    | 15 12 |
| Washington High School         |   |    |       |    |       |    | 10 | 16    |

### 2010 First Place Individual Contest Results

| Contest   | Contestant        | School                     |
|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Agribusiness Management                             | Alley Reynolds    | Roane County High School   |
| Agricultural Mechanics                              | Joe Hartley       | Ravenswood High School     |
| Agronomy  | Amanda West       | Roane County High School   |
| Dairy Cattle  | Jenny Brooks      | Cameron High School        |
| Dairy Products                                      | Max McCoy         | Ravenswood High School     |
| Entomology  | Bradley West      | Roane County High School   |
| Equine  | Jessica Woodworth | Mineral County Tech Center |
| Floriculture  | Emily Moss        | Ravenswood High School     |
| Food Science  | Rueben Sayre      | Ravenswood High School     |
| Forestry  | Johnny Holcomb    | Clay County High School    |
| Livestock   | Dereck Price      | Barbour County Complex     |
| Meats   | Will Woodworth    | Mineral County Tech Center |
| Nursery/Landscape                                   | Evelyn Boyer      | Hampshire High School      |
| Plant Pathology                                     | Casey Lassiter    | Roane County High School   |
| Poultry   | Alex Jones        | Cameron High School        |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Agriscience | Rebecca Merrill   | Moorefield Middle School   |

## MISCELLANEOUS STATE ACTIVITIES

### West Virginia Beef Expo Stockman's Contest:

#### Senior Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Lewis County

3<sup>rd</sup> place – Tyler County

#### Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Ryan Turner, Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Max McCoy, Ravenswood

3<sup>rd</sup> place – Will Woodworth, Mineral County

### West Virginia Envirothon (FFA):

1<sup>st</sup> place – Ravenswood

Team: Makala Settlege, Kelsey Flinn, Max McCoy, Jessica McCoy & Reuben Sayre

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Braxton County

3<sup>rd</sup> place – Mineral County

### West Virginia Grasslands:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Ravenswood

#### Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Joe Hartley, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Jacob Hafer, Ravenswood

3<sup>rd</sup> place – Kelsey Flinn, Ravenswood

4<sup>th</sup> place – Tiffany Harvey, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Ravenswood Yellow

3<sup>rd</sup> place – Cabell Midland

### West Virginia State Fair Honors

Crop Exhibits and Overall Chapter Exhibits – Hundred

Agricultural Mechanics Exhibits – Monroe County

Best Educational Exhibit – Monroe County

### National FFA Scholarship Program Winners

Lindsey Basye, East Hardy, \$1,000

Leigh Batten, Roane County, \$1,000

Ashley Butler, Martinsburg, \$1,000

Tyler Carr, Braxton County, \$1,000

Zachary Tennant, Taylor County Technical Center, \$1,000

### West Virginia Foundation Scholarship Winners

Michelle Biser, Moorefield, \$1,000

Russell Kidwell, Mason County, \$500

Ryan Turner, Mineral County, \$500

Amanda Hannon, Mason County, \$500

Lacey Sims, Wirt County, \$500

Morgan Higginbotham, Roane County, \$500

Sarah Miller, Mineral County, \$500

Zachary Tennant, Taylor County, \$500

Cody Rice, University, \$500

## WEST VIRGINIA FFA FOUNDATION

Chairperson: William West  
Vice President: Jim Ash  
Treasurer: Don Michael  
Secretary: Nathan Taylor

### OTHER NOTABLE ITEMS

John Lockhart, State FFA President, was selected to serve as a member of the National FFA Nominating Committee, a huge honor few West Virginia FFA members have ever been given.

Cody Grogg, a member of the Gilmer County FFA, was featured in the October 2010 issue of the *FFA New Horizons*, the magazine of the National FFA Organization. The citation reads, "Cody, a college sophomore, hopes to become a veterinarian one day, a career goal that stems from his FFA experience raising beef cattle. He was a member of his chapter's Livestock Evaluation team and was on the two-time state-winning Beef Stockman's Team. Cody is a state winner in the Diversified Agricultural Production proficiency and has served as treasurer and president for his FFA chapter."

Dr. Marion Kimmons, retired professor of agricultural mechanics at WVU, passed away on January 18, 2011, at West Plains, MO, at the age of 85. He was at WVU from 1973 to 1987.

Dr. O. Claude McGhee, retired professor of agricultural education at WVU, passed away on April 21, 2011, at Kingwood, WV, at the age of 92. He was the vocational agriculture teacher in Preston County from 1942 to 1961, with time out for service in the navy during World War II, and was a teacher educator in agriculture at WVU from 1962 until his retirement in 1986.

Kristin Friend, agriculture teacher at Charlestown Junior High, was one of twenty teachers in the nation selected to participate in the 2011 National Agriscience Teacher Ambassador Academy. The Academy was held July 10-15 at Chesapeake Farms, Chestertown, Maryland.

Charles Wilfong II of Dunmore (Pocahontas County) was awarded the Star Farmer of WV Award at the State FFA Convention. The award is presented to the FFA member who has the best production agriculture enterprises in the State and who will be receiving the American FFA Degree at the National Convention. Charles is a 2009 graduate of Pocahontas County High School and has been farming full-time since. He was the first 3<sup>rd</sup> generation Star Farmer in West Virginia. His father Charles received the award in 1977 and his grandfather Albert was so honored in 1947.

### MOUNTAINEER COLLEGIATE FFA OFFICERS (WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY)

Brittany Bowman, President  
Josh Porto, Vice President  
Eleanor Porter, Secretary  
Kayla Seals, Treasurer  
Rachel Manning, Reporter  
Kimmie Brooks, Sentinel  
Samantha Galloway, Junior Advisor  
Dr. Stacy Gartin, Advisor

# West Virginia Association FFA 2011-2012

## STATE OFFICERS

President: West Davis, Mason County  
Secretary: Zach Tennant, Taylor County  
Northeastern Vice President: Morgan Henderson, Jefferson  
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Southwestern Vice President: Kelsey Flinn, Ravenswood  
Northcentral Vice President: Shannon Jones, Barbour County  
Northwestern Vice President: Tony Doman, Cameron  
Southeastern Vice President: Curtis Tate, Shady Spring  
Vice President (at large): Annaliese Henderson, Pine Grove  
Advisor: Jason Hughes  
Executive Secretary/Treasurer: Nathan Taylor

## WEST VIRGINIA FFA CHAPTER

### CENTRAL

Braxton County  
Calhoun County  
Clay County  
Gilmer County  
Lewis County  
Nicholas County  
Roane County  
Upshur County

### EASTERN

East Hardy  
East Hardy Middle  
Elkins Harman  
Moorefield  
Moorefield Middle  
Mount Storm  
Pendleton County  
Petersburg  
Tucker County  
Tygart Valley

### NORTHCENTRAL

Barbour County  
Clay-Battelle  
Liberty  
Lincoln  
Marion County

### NORTHCENTRAL (cont)

Preston County  
South Harrison  
Taylor County  
University High  
Robert C. Byrd

### NORTHEASTERN

Berkley Springs  
Charlestown  
Middle  
Hampshire  
Harpers Ferry Middle  
Hedgesville  
Jefferson  
Martinsburg  
Mineral County  
Musselman  
Shepherdstown Middle  
Washington  
Wildwood Middle  
WV School for the Deaf

### NORTHWESTERN

Blennerhassett  
Cameron  
Doddridge County  
Hundred

### NORTHWESTERN (cont)

John Marshall  
New Martinsville  
Pine Grove  
Ritchie County  
St. Marys  
Tyler

### SOUTHEASTERN

Fayette Plateau  
Greenbrier East  
Greenbrier West  
Monroe County  
Pocahontas County  
Shady Spring  
Summers  
Surveyor

### SOUTHWESTERN

Cabell Midland  
Carver Career  
Hannan  
Lincoln County  
Mason County Vocational  
Ravenswood  
Ravenswood Middle  
Ripley  
Ripley Middle  
Wirt County

## **NATIONAL PROCEEDINGS**

### **84th NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION DELEGATES**

Indianapolis, Indiana  
Entire State Officer Team

### **AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Kenneth Karickhoff, Buckhannon-Upshur  
Robby Currey, Doddridge  
Marcy Myrick, Doddridge  
Leah Vance, Greenbrier East  
Robert Bane, Jefferson  
Tiffany Mantz, Jefferson  
Shawn Neel, Jefferson  
Katharine Wolf, Jefferson  
Dustin Riner, Martinsburg  
Mike Davis, Nicholas  
Isaac Carr, Pendleton County  
Charles Wilfong II, Pocahontas County  
A.J. White, Ripley  
Samantha Carney, Ripley  
Andrew Bourgeois, Ripley  
Catherine May, Shady Spring  
Melissa Cox, St. Marys  
Kelly Flesher, Tyler  
George Hilvers, Tyler  
Lacey Sims, Wirt County

Star Farmer: Charles Wilfong II, Pocahontas County

Star Agribusinessperson: Lacy Simms, Wirt County

### **HONORARY AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Jack Cain  
Eugene Friend  
Paul McCutchan  
Dr. Jeff Skousen  
Deanna Ammons  
Gregory Huffman  
Jason Miihlbach  
Mary Phillips  
Chris VanDyne

### **NATIONAL FFA VIP CITATION RECIPIENTS**

Dr. Larry Watson, agriculture teacher at Marion County Technical Center  
Dr. Deborah Boone, Associate Professor of Agricultural & Extension Education, WVU

## **NATIONAL FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**

Gold Emblem—Forestry, Pocahontas County (7<sup>th</sup> place team)  
Gold Emblem—Parliamentary Procedure, Marion County  
Silver Emblem—Agronomy, Roane County  
Silver Emblem—Dairy Cattle, Ravenswood  
Silver Emblem—Dairy Foods, Jefferson  
Silver Emblem—Floriculture, Clay County  
Silver Emblem—Food Science and Technology, Ravenswood  
Silver Emblem—Horse Evaluation, Ripley  
Silver Emblem—Livestock Evaluation, Mineral County  
Silver Emblem—Meats Evaluation and Technology, Tyler County  
Silver Emblem—Nursery and Landscape, Hampshire  
Bronze Emblem—Agricultural Issues, Roane County  
Bronze Emblem—Agricultural Mechanics, Ripley  
Bronze Emblem—Environmental and Natural Resources, Braxton County  
Bronze Emblem—Marketing Plan, Tyler County  
Bronze Emblem—Poultry Evaluation, Roane County  
Gold Emblem Individuals:

Agronomy--Amanda West, Roane County  
Dairy Foods--Amanda Smith, Jefferson  
Food Science and Technology--Rueben Sayre and Morgan Webb, Ravenswood  
Forestry--Drew Caloccia, Jeb Sheets and Steven Casto, Pocahontas County  
Livestock Evaluation--William Woodworth, Mineral County

Silver Emblem Individuals:

Agricultural Mechanics—Cory Hall, Jesse McComas, and Brandon Williams, Ripley  
Dairy Cattle—Tiffany Harvey, Jessica McCoy, Joe Hartley and Conrad McCoy, Ravenswood  
Dairy Foods—Lane Hedge and Gabrielle Sizemore, Jefferson  
Environmental and Natural Resources—Jacob Haymond, Braxton County  
Farm Business Management—Michael Hicks, Connor Rogers and Callie Moles, Clay County  
Floriculture—Victoria Dorsey, Outhelia Taylor, Jennifer Cummings, Brittany Stone, Clay Co.  
Forestry—Spencer Carr, Pocahontas County  
Horse Evaluation—Jarred Burdette, Alexis Hileman, and Samantha Clark, Ripley  
Livestock Evaluation—Timothy Nester, Lexi Nester, and Coy Warner, Mineral County  
Meats Evaluation—Joe Henthorn, Cody Todd, Michael George and Lauren Seckman, Tyler Co.  
Nursery & Landscape—Brooke Bohrer, Katelyn Flannagan, Lauren Dillon, and Stephanie Largent

## **NATIONAL PROFICIENCY AWARDS**

National Finalist (Gold Emblem)—Environmental Science and Natural Resources  
(Entrepreneurship/Placement) Sarah Miller, Mineral County  
Gold—Diversified Agricultural Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Jesse Bane, Mineral County  
Silver—Veterinary Medicine (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Ryan Turner, Mineral County  
Silver—Agricultural Sales (Placement) Morgan Higginbotham, Roane County  
Bronze—Sheep Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Nick Billiter, Tyler  
Bronze—Agricultural Education (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Makala Settiage, Ravenswood  
Bronze—Beef Production (Entrepreneurship) Dereck Price, Barbour County  
Bronze—Diversified Horticulture (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Shane Kuhn, Hundred  
Bronze—Diversified Livestock Production (Entrepreneurship) Annaliese Henderson, Pine Grove  
Participant—Equine Science (Placement) William Toothman, Marion County  
Participant—Landscape Management (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Jacob Hafer, Ravenswood  
Participant—Agricultural Services (Entrepreneurship/Placement) Austin McCormick, Lincoln County

### **NATIONAL FFA AGRISCIENCE FAIR AWARDS**

Gold Emblem—Botany: Cole Reistrup, Harpers Ferry Middle  
Gold Emblem—Engineering: Tanner Carr, Moorefield Middle  
Silver Emblem—Engineering: Corey Hall & Garet Shamblin, Ripley  
Gold Emblem—Zoology: Amanda Smith, Jefferson  
Bronze Emblem—Biochemistry/Food Science/Microbiology: Ashley Smith, Lincoln County  
Bronze Emblem—Botany: Alexander McCullough & Ryan Mizia, Doddridge  
Bronze Emblem—Engineering: Crystal Cummings, Lincoln County  
Bronze Emblem—Environmental Science: Colton Snyder, Lincoln County  
Bronze Emblem—Environmental Science: Paige Barr & Mikayla Pursley, Ripley

### **NATIONAL CREED SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem—Sydney Hudson, Pendleton County

### **NATIONAL PREPARED PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem—Samantha Cogle, Washington FFA

### **NATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem—Michael Thomas, Moorefield

### **NATIONAL JOB INTERVIEW**

Bronze Emblem—Nell Berkeley, Jefferson

### **NATIONAL OFFICER CANDIDATE**

Bobby Currey, Doddridge County

### **WEST VIRGINIA'S NATIONAL CHAPTER AWARDS**

Gold Emblem Chapters—Three Star Ratings

Mineral County  
Pendleton County

Gold Emblem Chapters—Two Star Ratings

Hampshire  
Hannan  
Jefferson  
Ravenswood  
Wildwood Middle

### **NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL CAREER SHOW EXHIBITOR**

West Virginia FFA Alumni

### **NATIONAL LAND JUDGING**

1<sup>st</sup> Place—Tyler County  
Emily Wells (9<sup>th</sup> place individual)  
Ashley Cochran  
Ashley Watson  
19<sup>th</sup> Place—Marion County  
28<sup>th</sup> Place—Taylor County  
67<sup>th</sup> Place—Roane County

## NATIONAL HOMESITE EVALUATION

1<sup>st</sup> Place—Tyler County  
George Hilvers (9<sup>th</sup> place individual)  
Emily Wells (10<sup>th</sup> place individual)  
Ashley Cochran  
Ashley Watson  
15<sup>th</sup> Place—Marion County  
21<sup>st</sup> Place—Taylor County  
29<sup>th</sup> Place—Roane County

## MID-AMERICA GRASSLAND EVALUATION

1<sup>st</sup> Place—Ravenswood (w/highest score ever recorded)  
Jason Miihlbach, Coach  
Joe Hartley (1<sup>st</sup> place individual—w/highest individual score ever recorded)  
Tiffany Harvey (3<sup>rd</sup> place individual)  
Charissa Friend (6<sup>th</sup> place individual)  
Kirsten Marks  
4<sup>th</sup> Place—Ravenswood #2 team  
Jonathan Rhodes, Coach  
Christie Marks  
Ashley Walter  
Robbie Flinn

## 83<sup>rd</sup> STATE FFA CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS

Date: July 11-14, 2012  
Location: Cedar Lakes  
Theme: “I Believe”

## STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS

### Barbour County

Allison Hull

### Blennerhasset

Julia Baker

### Buckhannon Upshur

Devin Parsons  
Mercedes Dowell  
Levi Gay  
Emily Nolan  
Lacie Shane Riffle  
Nathaniel Russell  
Tyler G. Simmons  
Sierra Nichole Walters

### Cabell Midland

Samantha Bryan  
Taylor Brooke Wyant

### Clay County

Johnny Holcomb

### Doddridge County

Alexis Cayton  
Dylan Cayton  
Emily Leishman  
Brittany Potts  
Jacob Ross

### East Hardy

Eric Turner

### Gilmer County

Cody Moore  
Thomas Ratliff  
Kevin Rhoades

### Greenbrier East

Kristen Bittinger  
Jossie Ann Brooks

Evan Dodrill

Andi Mae Harvey  
Tiffany Loudermilk  
Kelsey McCutcheon  
Jarred Ramsey

### Hampshire County

Tara Bennett  
Travis Bittinger  
Courtney Buckler  
Steven M. Corbin  
Katelyn Flanagan  
Sarah Kathleen Hart  
Alexandra Kimble  
Richard Lupton

### Hannan

Kaitlynn Hughes

### Hedgesville

Alan Bell

Brad Franklin  
Kirsten Golden  
Ryan Gosnell

### Hedgesville

Jacqueline Mosser  
Quentin Rudy

### Hundred

Taylor Ashcraft  
Amanda Miller  
Kirkland L. Shriver

### Jefferson

Mari Slusher  
Amanda Gail Smith

### Lewis County

Breanna Brown  
Olivia M. Garrett

**Lincoln County**  
Crystal Cummings  
Maty E. Doran  
Michelle Gillenwater  
Kaitlynd Nicole Short

**Mason County**  
Shawn Asten  
Vanessa Bumgarner  
Kyle Kidwell  
Josh Mattox

**Mineral County**  
Lauren Elizabeth Bacorn  
Jessica L. Woodworth

**Moorefield**  
Brooke Bobo  
Logan Riggelman  
Michael A. Thomas

**Musselman**  
Jared C. Hoffman  
Christian Kessler  
Andrew LeFevre  
Briar Puffenburger  
Travis S. Shanley

**Nicholas**  
Rashanda Blake

**Pendleton County**  
Johathan A. Lafollette

**Petersburg**  
Malia Berg

**Pine Grove**  
Sophia Adams  
Ruby Morris  
Samantha Nicole Thomas

**Preston County**  
Kelly Lynn Guthrie  
Maria Danielle Johnson  
Wyatt A. Snyder  
Jonathan W. Wilhelm

**Ravenswood**  
Paige Barr  
Ben Francis  
Tiffany Harvey  
Brenna Mahan

Luke Mahan  
Max McCoy  
Christie Meeks  
Cole Perry  
Ruben Sayre  
Joshua Voiers  
Ashley Walter

**Ripley**  
Jessica Adcock  
Nicole Blankenship  
Alexis Hileman  
Cynthia Jenkins  
Allie Rhodes  
Brandi Snyder

**Roane County**  
Megan Hersman  
Michael Allen Hicks  
Samantha Lucas  
Muriah Nutter  
Jessica Rucker  
Morgan Shreve

**St. Marys**  
Bethani Marie Chambers  
Britani Catherine  
Chambers  
Allen Lamp  
Rene Nicole Miller

**Surveyor**  
Aaron Williams

**Taylor County**  
Lynnessa Henderson  
Eli Peters  
Brittany Nicole Summers

**Tyler**  
Lex Billiter  
Samantha Collins  
Joe Henthorne, Jr.  
Nicole Richardson  
Lauren Seckman  
Cody Todd  
Ashley Watson

**University**  
Amon G. Canady  
Allison Himes

**Washington**  
Michael Dunn  
Olivia Ware

**Wirt County**  
Douglas W. Hennen  
Hannah J. Kerby  
Zacharey Lockhart  
Lakin Sims  
Jaylah A. Somerville  
Hannah Watkins  
Jake T. Wigal

Star State Farmer—Max McCoy, Ravenswood  
Star State Placement—Jessica Woodworth, Mineral County  
West Virginia Star Farmer—Lindsey West, St. Marys  
West Virginia Star Placement—Jesse Bane, Mineral County

#### **HONORARY STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Allen Arnold  
Charles Bennett  
Steve Bonanno  
John Curry  
Bradley Durst  
Jack Garrett  
Lee Ann Hall  
Michelle Paxton  
Jimmy See  
Joseph Statler  
Thelma Stickler  
Abner Stout  
Melissa Whetzel  
Barbara Whitecotton

#### **STATE CONVENTION CONTEST WINNERS**

Parliamentary Procedure:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Taylor County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tyler  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Wirt County

Opening Ceremony (Middle School):

1<sup>st</sup> place: Wildwood Middle  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mason County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Charles Town Middle

Prepared Public Speaking:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Brandi Munday, Ripley  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Rachael Wyatt, Pine Grove  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Hannah Roth, Marion County

Extemporaneous Speaking:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Sarah Duncan, Jefferson  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Sydney Hudson, Pendleton  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Michael Hicks, Roane County

Freshman Creed Contest:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Victoria Stephens, Hundred  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Lauren Tennant, Taylor County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Carolyn Wylie, Hampshire

Upperclass Creed Contest:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Dillon Muhly-Alexander, Doddridge  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Elizabeth Adams, Wirt County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Holly Crook, Shady Spring

Land Judging:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Marion County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tyler  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Jefferson

Land Judging Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Emily Shaver, Marion County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jeremy Creamer, Jefferson  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: JP Flesher, Tyler

Homesite Evaluation:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Tyler  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Marion County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Pine Grove

Homesite Evaluation Individuals

Sonya Worlledge, Nicholas County  
Robert Hammrick, Marion County  
LeAnn Cochran, Tyler

Scrapbook:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Cabell Midland  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jefferson  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Pendleton County

Middle School Scrapbook:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Charles Town Middle  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Wildwood Middle  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Moorefield Middle

FFA Quiz Bowl:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Wildwood Middle  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Moorefield Middle  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Charles Town Middle

Agricultural Issues Forum:

Roane County

Marketing Plan:

Jefferson

Job Interview:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Amanda Smith, Jefferson  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Dillon Muhly-Alexander, Doddridge  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: James Morris, Pine Grove

Tractor Driving (large tractor division):

1<sup>st</sup> place: Daniel Carter, Hampshire  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Andrew Linville, Cabell Midland  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Jonathan Black, Cabell Midland

Compact Tractor (high school division)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Josh Jones, Cabell Midland  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Natalie Francis, Ravenswood

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Matt Toothman, Marion County

Compact Tractor (middle school division):

1<sup>st</sup> place: Anthony Andrews, Moorefield Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: P.J. Click, Ravenswood Middle

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Adam Harper, Moorefield Middle

Agriscience Fair:

Division I

Food Systems

1<sup>st</sup> place: Brad Chattin, Mason County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Caroline Hayden, Wildwood Middle

Plant Systems

1<sup>st</sup> place: Kate McCausley, Moorefield Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Brandon Pauley, Harpers Ferry

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Kristian Davis, Wildwood Middle

Power Systems

1<sup>st</sup> place: Emily Foote, Wildwood Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Rhett Lanier, Mason County

Environmental/Natural Resources

1<sup>st</sup> place: Derrick Jackson, Mason County

Division II

Animal Systems:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Heather Baldwin, Moorefield

2<sup>nd</sup> place: MacKenzie McClure, Mason County

Food systems

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jo Beth Delawder, Moorefield

Power Systems

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Travis Ours, Moorefield

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Daniel Pridemore, Lincoln County

Division III

Plant Systems

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jordan Muncy & Kaitlyn Dunn, Mason County

Division IV

Food Systems

1<sup>st</sup> place: Paige Barr & Reghan Weekley, Ravenswood

Gold Emblem Chapter Awards:

Ravenswood

Jefferson

Hannan

Pendleton County

Mineral County

Tyler County

Wildwood Middle

Superior Chapter Awards:

Cabell Midland

Hampshire County

Hannan

Jefferson  
Mineral County  
Nicholas County  
Pendleton County  
Ravenswood  
Tyler  
Wildwood Middle

### STATE FFA PROFICIENCY AWARD WINNERS

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Agricultural Communication<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Cody Moore - Gilmer County  | Forest Management<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Sophia Adams- Pine Grove  |
| Agricultural Education<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Max Mccoy - Ravenswood  | Fruit Production<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jessica Woodworth- Mineral County  |
| Agricultural Mechanics Energy Systems<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Corey Hall- Ripley   | Goat Production<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ashley Shamblin- Ravenswood   |
| Agricultural Mechanics Design And Fabrications<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Brandon Williams- Ripley  | Poultry Production<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kevin Smith - Pendleton County<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Wes Davis- Mason County    |
| Agricultural Mechanics Repair And Maintenance (P)<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Brandon Williams - Ripley                                      | Sheep Production<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Michelle Biser- Moorefield High  |
| Agricultural Processing<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Tiffany Harvey - Ravenswood  | Specialty Animal Production<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ashley Shamblin - Ravenswood  |
| Beef Production (E)<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Max Mccoy- Ravenswood<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Michelle Biser- Moorefield High                     | Specialty Crop Production<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Allie Rhodes- Ripley  |
| Beef Production (P)<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Max Mccoy- Ravenswood  | Swine Production (E)<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kirkland Shriver- Hundred<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ethan Brooks- Greenbrier East |
| Diversified Crop Production (P)<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jessica Woodworth- Mineral County  | Turf Grass Management<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Raymond Yoho- Hundred   |
| Diversified Livestock Production<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Michelle Biser- Moorefield High<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ashley Shamblin - Ravenswood | Vegetable Production<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Cody Moore - Gilmer County   |
| Emerging Agricultural Technology<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Paige Barr - Ravenswood<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Corey Hall - Ripley                  | Veterinary Science<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Sabrina Vanmeter- Mineral County   |
| Equine Science (P)<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kaitlynn Hughes - Hannan<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Rashanda Blake- Nicholas County                   | Wildlife Management<br>1 <sup>st</sup> David Vest- Ripley  |
| Forage Production<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Max Mccoy - Ravenswood   |  |

**STATE HAM, BACON AND EGG SHOW AND SALE**

Champion Ham: Ashley Cain, Cameron

Reserve Champion Ham: J.P. Flesher, Tyler Consolidated

Champion Bacon: Andrew Linville, Cabell Midland

Reserve Champion Bacon: Hope Stewart, Tyler Consolidated

Champion Eggs: Christina Gower, Nicholas County Career & Technical Center

Reserve Champion Eggs: Alexis Aston, Cameron

Sale totaled \$35,471 on 50 hams, 50 bacons and 10 dozens of eggs

**88<sup>th</sup> Annual Career Development Events  
2011 Sweepstakes Awards**

| School                         | AB | AM | AG | DC | DP | EN | EQ | FL | FR | FS | LV | MT | NL | PP | PO | Top Rank<br>6 |    |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---------------|----|
| Ravenswood High School         |    |    | 2  | 1  | 2  | 5  | 16 | 2  | 4  | 1  | 28 |    |    | 1  | 9  | 1             |    |
| Roane County High School       | 1  | 11 | 1  |    | 4  | 6  |    | 4  |    |    | 3  |    | 2  | 2  | 1  | 10            | 2  |
| Hampshire High School          | 5  | 14 |    |    | 16 | 2  | 3  | 3  |    |    | 5  | 8  | 1  |    | 9  | 19            | 3  |
| Jefferson High School          |    | 2  |    | 5  | 1  | 10 | 4  |    | 10 |    | 10 | 3  |    | 7  | 6  | 21            | 4  |
| Tyler Consolidated High School |    | 3  | 5  |    | 7  | 13 |    | 5  | 5  |    | 4  | 1  |    | 17 | 16 | 23            | 5  |
| Cameron High School            |    | 7  |    | 2  | 12 | 15 | 7  | 21 | 3  |    | 2  | 10 |    |    | 4  | 25            | 6  |
| Clay County High School        |    | 9  |    |    | 8  | 3  |    | 1  |    |    | 29 | 2  |    | 6  |    | 29            | 7  |
| Cabell Midland High School     | 7  | 5  | 15 | 8  | 24 | 1  | 5  | 12 | 8  |    | 30 | 7  | 8  | 5  | 15 | 30            | 8  |
| Ripley High School             | 8  |    | 11 | 6  | 17 | 14 | 1  | 11 | 11 | 3  | 6  | 13 | 7  | 14 | 10 | 31            | 9  |
| Taylor County Tech. Ctr.       | 4  |    |    |    | 3  |    |    |    | 2  |    | 11 |    | 3  | 10 |    | 33            | 10 |
| Hundred High School            |    | 17 |    | 7  | 6  | 9  |    | 17 | 9  |    | 19 | 4  |    | 8  | 3  | 37            | 11 |
| Mineral County Vo-Tech Ctr.    |    |    | 3  |    | 10 |    |    | 15 | 15 |    | 1  |    |    | 4  |    | 48            | 12 |
| Valley High School             | 9  |    |    |    | 23 |    |    | 19 | 6  |    | 12 | 5  | 6  | 12 |    | 50            | 13 |
| Braxton County High School     |    |    |    |    | 13 | 4  | 9  | 9  | 7  |    | 27 |    |    | 13 |    | 55            | 14 |
| Lincoln County High School     |    | 18 | 13 | 3  |    |    | 10 | 10 |    | 2  | 21 |    |    |    |    | 56            | 15 |
| Mason County Career Ctr.       | 3  | 8  | 10 |    |    |    |    |    | 22 |    | 17 |    |    |    | 5  | 65            | 16 |
| Ritchie County High School     |    |    |    |    | 11 |    | 13 | 20 | 18 | 4  | 22 |    | 4  | 19 |    | 69            | 17 |
| Greenbrier East High School    | 10 | 19 | 9  |    |    |    | 14 | 16 | 20 |    | 25 |    |    |    | 12 | 80            | 18 |
| Washington High School         |    | 10 | 19 |    | 19 |    | 14 |    |    |    | 9  |    |    | 18 |    | 89            | 19 |
| Wood County Technical Center   |    |    |    |    | 14 | 16 | 11 | 23 | 27 |    | 23 | 11 |    | 20 | 20 | 92            | 20 |
| St. Marys High School          |    |    |    |    | 15 |    | 12 | 6  | 25 |    | 32 |    |    |    | 13 | 103           | 21 |
| Tucker County High School      |    | 16 | 16 |    | 20 |    |    |    | 26 |    | 31 | 17 |    |    | 18 | 11322         |    |
| Barbour County                 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |
| Buckhannon Upshur High School  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 24 |    |    | 8  | 9  |    |    |    |               |    |
| Calhoun High School            |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 14 |    |    | 34 |    |    |    | 14 |               |    |
| Charles Town Middle School     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |
| Clay-Battelle High School      |    |    |    |    | 18 |    |    |    |    |    | 16 |    |    | 15 |    |               |    |
| Doddridge County High School   |    |    |    |    |    |    | 15 | 16 |    |    | 13 | 16 |    |    | 11 |               |    |
| East Hardy High School         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 33 |    |    |    | 7  |               |    |
| East Hardy Middle School       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |
| Elkins High School             |    |    |    |    |    |    | 17 | 22 |    |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |               |    |
| Fayette Plateau Tech Ctr.      |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |
| Gilmer County High School      |    | 4  | 18 |    |    | 12 |    |    | 17 |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |
| Hannan High School             |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 24 | 14 |    |    |    |               |    |
| Harpers Ferry Middle School    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |

|                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|------|
| Hedgesville High School        |    | 9  |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| Lewis County High School       |    | 14 |    |    | 2  |    |    |    | 17   |
| Liberty High School            | 6  |    |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |      |
| Liberty High School (Raleigh)  |    | 12 | 21 |    | 18 | 19 |    |    |      |
| Magnolia High School           |    |    | 22 |    |    | 28 |    | 35 |      |
| Marion County Technical Ctr.   |    | 17 | 9  | 7  | 8  |    |    |    | 9    |
| Martinsburg High School        | 6  |    |    |    |    |    | 26 | 12 | 9 11 |
| Moorefield High School         |    | 6  |    |    |    |    | 20 |    | 8    |
| Moorefield Middle School       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| Musselman High School          |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| Nicholas County Technical Ctr. | 15 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 5  |      |
| Pendleton Co. High School      |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 6  | 2    |
| Petersburg High School         |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| Pocahontas County High School  |    |    |    |    |    | 1  |    |    |      |
| Preston County High School     |    |    |    | 6  | 21 |    | 18 |    |      |
| Ravenswood Middle School       |    |    |    |    |    |    | 2  |    |      |
| Ripley Middle School           |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| Shady Spring High School       |    | 4  |    |    | 13 | 12 |    | 15 |      |
| Shepherdstown Middle School    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| South Harrison High School     | 13 |    | 4  |    |    |    |    |    | 3    |
| Summers County High School     |    | 8  | 5  | 11 | 7  |    |    |    |      |
| Union Educational Complex      | 12 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| University High School         |    |    |    |    |    | 23 | 7  |    | 19   |
| Wildwood Middle School         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |      |
| Wirt County High School        | 2  |    |    | 8  | 8  |    | 15 |    | 16   |

### 2011 First Place Individual Contest Results

| Contest   | Contestant         | School                          |
|---|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| Agribusiness Management                             | Michael Hicks      | Roane County High School        |
| Agricultural Mechanics                              | Gregory Steele     | Gilmer County High School       |
| Agronomy  | Amanda West        | Roane County High School        |
| Dairy Cattle  | Tiffany Harvey     | Ravenswood High School          |
| Dairy Products                                      | Gabrielle Sizemore | Jefferson High School           |
| Entomology  | Kalib Arrowood     | Cabell Midland High School      |
| Equine  | Megan Shafer       | Lewis County High School        |
| Floriculture  | Jessica McCoy      | Ravenswood High School          |
| Food Science  | Reuben Sayre       | Ravenswood High School          |
| Forestry  | Steven Casto       | Pocahontas County High School   |
| Livestock   | Will Woodworth     | Mineral County Technical Center |
| Meats   | Lauren Seckman     | Tyler Consolidated High School  |
| Nursery/Landscape                                   | Stephanie Largent  | Hampshire County High School    |
| Plant Pathology                                     | Reghan Weekley     | Ravenswood High School          |
| Poultry   | Alex Keiffer       | Roane County High School        |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Agriscience | Erin Kidwell       | Mason County Technical Center   |

## MISCELLANEOUS STATE ACTIVITIES

### West Virginia Beef Expo Stockman's Contest:

#### Senior Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place—Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place—Ravenswood

3<sup>rd</sup> place—East Hardy

#### Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place—Joe Bob Mullooly, Lewis County

2<sup>nd</sup> place—Jackie Cleaver, East Hardy

3<sup>rd</sup> place—Max McCoy, Ravenswood

#### Junior Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place—Ripley

2<sup>nd</sup> place—Upshur

3<sup>rd</sup> place—Ravenswood

#### Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place—Mikinna Poling, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place—Desi Rose, Ripley

3<sup>rd</sup> place—Jesse Engle, Ripley

### West Virginia Grasslands:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Ravenswood

### National FFA Scholarship Winners (\$1,000 each):

Chelsea Epling, Roane County

Corey Hall, Ripley

Daniel Wilson, Braxton County

Kelley Coleman, Clay County

### West Virginia Foundation Scholarships (\$500 to \$1,000 each):

Wesley Davis, Mason County

Amanda Jo West, Mason County

Annaliese Henderson, Pine Grove

Holli Schell, Mason County

Hannah Roth, Marion County

Ashley Cain, Cameron

Leah Nichols, Roane County

David Chaney, Hampshire

Lynnessa Henderson, Taylor County

## WEST VIRGINIA FFA FOUNDATION

Chairperson: William West

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Account Balance December 31, 2011: \$534,508.45

## **OTHER NOTABLE ITEMS**

Robert Morris, Agriculture Teacher at Clay High School, was named “West Virginia’s Outstanding Teacher” for 2011-12. Isaac Lewis, Agriculture Teacher at Hampshire High School, was also a finalist in the competition.

Connie Scarbrough, Agriculture Teacher at Nicholas County Career and Technical Center, was the 2012 recipient of the Arch Coal Teacher Achievement Award.

Dr. Warren Kelly, 91, teacher educator at West Virginia University from 1957 to 1984, passed away on May 1, 2012 at the West Virginia Veterans Nursing Facility in Clarksburg. He was a veteran of World War II, and was a vocational agriculture teacher at Masontown, WV, from 1945 to 1957.

### **2012 MOUNTAINEER COLLEGIATE FFA OFFICERS (WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY)**

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John Lockhart, Vice-President  
John Postlethwait, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President  
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Karli Feicht, Repoorter  
Seth Neal, Sentinel  
Catlin Carrico, Parliamentarian  
Michael Withrow, Jr. Advisor  
Dr. Stacy Gartin, Advisor

**West Virginia Association FFA  
2012-2013**

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**WEST VIRGINIA FFA CHAPTERS**

**CENTRAL**

Braxton County, Calhoun County, Clay County, Gilmer County, Lewis County, Nicholas County, Roane County, Upshur County

**EASTERN**

East Hardy, East Hardy Middle, Elkins, Harman, Moorefield, Moorefield Middle, Mount Storm, Pendleton County, Petersburg, Tucker County, Tygart Valley

**NORTHCENTRAL**

Barbour County, Clay-Battelle, Liberty, Lincoln, Marion County, Preston County, South Harrison, Taylor County, University High, Robert C. Byrd

**NORTHEASTERN**

Berkeley Springs, Charlestown Middle, Hampshire, Harpers Ferry Middle, Hedgesville, Jefferson, Martinsburg, Mineral County, Musselman, Shepherdstown Middle, Washington, Wildwood Middle, WV School for the Deaf

**NORTHWESTERN**

Blennerhassett, Cameron, Doddridge County, Hundred, John Marshall, New Martinsville, Pine Grove, Ritchie County, St. Marys, Tyler

**SOUTHEASTERN**

Fayette Plateau, Greenbrier East, Greenbrier West, Monroe County, Pocahontas County, Shady Spring, Summers, Surveyor,

**SOUTHWESTERN**

Buffalo, Cabell Midland, Carver Career, Hannan, Lincoln County, Mason County Vocational, Ravenswood, Ravenswood Middle, Roane Jackson, Ripley, Ripley Middle, Tug Valley, Wirt County

**NATIONAL PROCEEDINGS**  
**84th NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION DELEGATES**  
Indianapolis, Indiana  
All State Officers

**AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Dylan Johnson, Braxton County  
Jessica Harvey, Buckhannon-Upshur  
Christina Zirkle, Buckhannon-Upshur  
Ashley Butler, Martinsburg  
Russell Kidwell, Mason County  
Jesse Bane, Mineral County  
Sarah Miller, Mineral County  
Kevin Smith, Ripley  
Morgan Higgenbotham, Roane County  
Curry Marshall, Roane County  
Lindsey West, St. Marys  
Nick Billiter, Tyler  
Alexa Talkington, Tyler  
Emily Wells, Tyler

**Star Farmer**

Lindsey West, St. Marys

**Star Placement**

Jesse Bane, Mineral County

**HONORARY AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

*(Teachers)*

Roy Harper, Moorefield Middle School  
Isaac Lewis, Hampshire  
Ron Watson, Hampshire

*(Others)*

Dr. Robert Dailey, West Virginia University  
Brad Smith, Petersburg  
Bob Coen, Pine Grove  
John Raese, Morgantown

**NATIONAL FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**

Agronomy

Gold Emblem: Ravenswood  
Gold: Conrad McCoy  
Silver: Christie Meeks and Kerstan Marks  
Bronze: Ashley Walter

Agricultural Issues Forum

Bronze Emblem: Roane County

Agricultural Technology and Mechanical Systems

Bronze Emblem: Jefferson

Silver: Brandon McKenzi and Michael Ring  
Bronze: Ryan Wiley and Ryan Hooe

Creed Speaking

Bronze Emblem: Victoria Stevens, Hundred

Dairy Cattle

Bronze Emblem: Jefferson

Silver: Lane Hedge, Alyson Franz and Darby Patterson  
Bronze: Katelynne Buffington

Environmental and Natural Resources

Silver Emblem: Ravenswood

Gold: Rehgan Weekly and Morgan Webb  
Silver: Jessica McCoy  
Bronze: Paige Barr

Extempereaneous Public Speaking

Silver Emblem: Sydney Hudson, Pendleton County

Farm Business Management

Silver Emblem: Wirt County

Gold: Jerry Hardway  
Silver: Abigail Murray  
Bronze: Jeremy Kerby and Dylan Frazier

Floriculture

Silver Emblem: Ravenswood

Gold: Tori Boozer  
Silver: Erica Pursley and Mackenzie Stutler  
Bronze: Mariah Jackson

Food Science

Gold Emblem: Marion County (7<sup>th</sup> place)

Gold: Shawna Vanderhoff and Matthew Toothman  
Bronze: Kathy McDougal and Jesse Burkett

Forestry

Silver Emblem: Ravenswood

Gold: Tiffany Harvey and Richard Mahan  
Silver: Robbie Flinn and Michael Conger

Horse Evaluation

Silver Emblem: Mineral County

Gold: Sarah Page  
Silver: Tabitha Baker, Lauren Bacorn and Gabriel Smith

Job Interview

Gold Emblem: Amanda Smith, Jefferson (4<sup>th</sup> place)

Livestock Evaluation

Silver Emblem: Jefferson

Gold: Miranda Dodson

Silver: Sarah Duncan and Austin Cogle Bronze: Nelson Wolfe

Meats Evaluation and Technology

Silver Emblem: Pine Grove

Gold: Ruby Morris

Silver: Sophie Adams, James Morris and Samantha Thomas

Milk Quality and Products

Gold Emblem: Tyler County (5<sup>th</sup> place)

Silver: Joe Henthorn, Lauren Seckman, Samantha Collins and Laura Jochum

Nursery Landscape

Silver Emblem: Hampshire

Silver: Sarah Ford and Jessica Kimble

Bronze: Hailey Augenstein and Travis Veach

Parliamentary Procedure

Silver Emblem: Taylor County

Poultry Evaluation

Silver Emblem: Pendleton County

Gold: Alison Ruddle

Silver: Jessica Hoover

Bronze: Katelyn Moyers

Prepared Public Speaking

Bronze Emblem: Brandi Munday, Ripley

Veterinary Science

Participating Teams:

Buffalo (4<sup>th</sup> place)

Megan King, Dakota Reedy, Kelsey Gatens and Maggie Parsons

Mineral County

Whitney Alt, Kierston Smith-Cosnet, Jessica Woodworth and Ruth Roatch

**NATIONAL PROFICIENCY AWARDS**

National Finalist (Gold Emblem): Poultry Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement)

Kevin Randal Smith, Pendleton County

Gold Emblem: Fruit Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement)

Jessica Woodworth, Mineral County

Silver Emblem: Veterinary Science (Entrepreneurship/Placement)

Sabrina VanMeter, Mineral County

Bronze Emblem: Beef Production (Entrepreneurship)

Max McCoy, Ravenswood

Bronze Emblem: Swine Production (Entrepreneurship)

Kirkland Shriver, Hundred

Bronze Emblem: Wildlife Production and Management (Entrepreneurship/Placement)  
David Vest, Ripley  
Participant: Diversified Livestock Production (Entrepreneurship/Placement)  
Michelle Biser, Moorefield  
Participant: Emerging Agricultural Technology (Entrepreneurship/Placement)  
Paige Barr, Ripley

#### **NATIONAL FFA AGRISCIENCE FAIR PARTICIPANTS**

Animal Systems Division 2  
Participant: Heather Baldwin, Moorefield  
Animal Systems Division 4  
Participants: Rehgan Weekly and Paige Barr, Ravenswood  
Environmental Sciences/Natural Resource Systems Division 1  
Silver: Derrick Jackson, Mason County Vo-Tech Food  
Products and Processing Systems Division 1  
Silver: Brad Chattin, Mason County Vo-Tech  
Food Products and Processing Systems Division 2  
Participant: Jobeth Delawder, Moorefield  
Plant Systems Division 1  
Participant: Katie McCausley, Moorefield Middle  
Plant Systems Division 3  
Silver: Kaitlyn Dunn and Jordan Muncy, Mason County Vo-Tech  
Power, Structures and Technical Systems Division 1  
Participant: Emily Foote, Wildwood Middle

#### **NATIONAL OFFICER CANDIDATE**

Robby Currey, Doddridge County

#### **WEST VIRGINIA'S NATIONAL CHAPTER AWARDS**

Three-Star Gold Ranking  
Gilmer County  
Mineral County  
Two Star Gold Ranking  
Hampshire  
Tyler County  
Jefferson  
Roane County

#### **NATIONAL MODEL OF INNOVATION-CHAPTER DEVELOPMENT AWARD**

First Place Winner: Mineral County Vocational Technical Center

#### **NATIONAL LAND JUDGING**

1<sup>st</sup> Place -Tyler  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place- Pine Grove  
21<sup>st</sup> Place -Monroe

Tyler FFA was the National Champion

Team Members: Alex VanCamp, Leann Cochran, James Flesher, Brooke Snyder, Alex VanCamp was 1st place National Individual

## NATIONAL HOMESITE EVALUATION

1<sup>st</sup> Place -Tyler

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Pine Grove

5<sup>th</sup> Place - Monroe

Tyler FFA was the National Champion

Team Members: Alex VanCamp, Leann Cochran, James Flesher, Brooke Snyder, Alex VanCamp was 1st place National Individual

Pine Grove was the National Reserve Champion

Team Members: JD Morris, Sophia Adams, Samantha Thomas, Rachel Wyatt  
JD Morris was 1<sup>st</sup> place National Individual

## CANON INTERNATIONAL ENVIROTHON

Ravenswood

Team Members: Max McCoy, Jessica Me Coy, Morgan Webb, Emily Lehew, Reuben Sayre

## MID-AMERICA GRASSLAND EVALUATION

3<sup>rd</sup> Place- Ravenswood

Team Members: Robbie Flinn, Paige Barr, Cristie Meeks, and Ashley Walter

4<sup>th</sup> Place- Ravenswood

Team Members: Kirsten Marks, Jonathon Tanner, Delana McCoy, Andy Hoschar, and Charissa Friend

## 84<sup>th</sup> STATE FFA CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS

Date: July 10-13, 2013

Location: Cedar Lakes

Theme: Grow: Leadership, Growth, Success

## STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS

|                     |                   |                          |                  |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Tiffani Hulman      | Barbour County    | Chandra Vaughan          | Cabell Midland   |
| Jordan Lamb         | Barbour County    | Timothy Allen            | Cameron          |
|                     |                   | Cheyenne DeBolt          | Cameron          |
| Kaitlyn Hessler     | Berkeley Springs  |                          |                  |
|                     |                   | Tristan Mortan           | Clay County      |
| Jennifer Friend     | Braxton County    | Ray Nottingham           | Clay County      |
| Ryan E. Hart        | Braxton County    |                          |                  |
| Jordyn Peters       | Braxton County    | Brittany Greathouse      | Doddridge County |
|                     |                   | Clayton Yeager           | Doddridge County |
| Patience Alderman   | Buckhannon-Upshur |                          |                  |
| Elijah Carpenter    | Buckhannon-Upshur | Tyler Bradfield          | East Hardy       |
| Bobby Jo Heater     | Buckhannon-Upshur | Zachary Godlove          | East Hardy       |
| Mikenze W. Poling   | Buckhannon-Upshur | Ashley Wilkins           | East Hardy       |
| Legend Riffle       | Buckhannon-Upshur |                          |                  |
| Nicholas T. Russell | Buckhannon-Upshur | Hayden Jones             | Gilmer County    |
| Sierrah Noel Gaddy  | Cabell Midland    | Brian C. Cornett II      | Greenbrier East  |
| Gabriell Pagano     | Cabell Midland    | Levi C. Hammons          | Greenbrier East  |
| Madison Parsons     | Cabell Midland    | Dyllan Chance Lewis      | Greenbrier East  |
| Kyle Scarberry      | Cabell Midland    | Sean Myles               | Greenbrier East  |
| Chelsea Smith       | Cabell Midland    | Lauren Elizabeth Perkins | Greenbrier East  |
|                     |                   | Logan Rapp               | Greenbrier East  |

|                      |                  |                       |                  |
|----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| Wyatt Renick         | Greenbrier East  | Timothy Nester        | Mineral County   |
| Joe Sampson          | Greenbrier East  | Coy Warner            | Mineral County   |
| Reese Tuckwiller     | Greenbrier East  | William Z. Woodworth  | Mineral County   |
| Rayven White         | Greenbrier East  |                       |                  |
|                      |                  | Heather Baldwin       | Moorefield       |
| Abigail Dawn Nickell | Greenbrier West  | Jacob Crites          | Moorefield       |
|                      |                  | Tatie High            | Moorefield       |
| Hailey Augenstein    | Hampshire County | Marcus Kukendall      | Moorefield       |
| Brooke Bohrer        | Hampshire County | Benjamin Martin       | Moorefield       |
| Jackson Cookman      | Hampshire County | Travis Ours           | Moorefield       |
| Sarah Ford           | Hampshire County | Jessica Walker        | Moorefield       |
| Ethan Glaze          | Hampshire County |                       |                  |
| Alexandra Pugh       | Hampshire County | Victoria Butler       | Musselman        |
|                      |                  | Jared Wayne Linton    | Musselman        |
| Maggie Davis         | Hedgesville      | Jacob Long            | Musselman        |
| Eva Faircloth        | Hedgesville      | Jeremiah Puffenburger | Musselman        |
| John Neace           | Hedgesville      | Ashlie Riner          | Musselman        |
| Harold Price, Jr.    | Hedgesville      | Taylor Morganne Shade | Musselman        |
|                      |                  |                       |                  |
| Peyton Jones         | Hundred          | Jenny Stoneking       | New Martinsville |
| Tyler E. Koontz      | Hundred          |                       |                  |
| Richard D. Tennant   | Hundred          | Jessica Hoover        | Pendleton County |
| Christopher Varner   | Hundred          | Sydney Judson         | Pendleton County |
|                      |                  | Katelyn Moyers        | Pendleton County |
| Alex Bane            | Jefferson        | Kevin Rawson          | Pendleton County |
| Miranda Dodson       | Jefferson        | Allison Ruddle        | Pendleton County |
| Sara Duncan          | Jefferson        | Cory Thomas           | Pendleton County |
| Ryan Hooe            | Jefferson        |                       |                  |
| Brianne Mason        | Jefferson        | Jessika Renee Hall    | Petersburg       |
| Brandon McKenzie     | Jefferson        |                       |                  |
| Darby Rose Patterson | Jefferson        | Mary Bassett          | Pine Grove       |
| Nelson Wolf          | Jefferson        |                       |                  |
|                      |                  | Robert Andrew Cuppett | Preston County   |
| Viola Brumfield      | Lincoln County   | Megan Mariah Maxwell  | Preston County   |
| Savannah Phelps      | Lincoln County   | Samantha Sypolt       | Preston County   |
| Daniel T. Pridemore  | Lincoln County   | Brandon Lowell Thomas | Preston County   |
|                      |                  | Amanda Kathleen Wolfe | Preston County   |
|                      |                  |                       |                  |
| Rachel L. Roth       | Marion County    | Tori Ann Boozer       | Ravenswood       |
| Matthew R. Toothman  | Marion County    | Michael Conger        | Ravenswood       |
| Shawna F. Vanderhoff | Marion County    | Natalie Francis       | Ravenswood       |
|                      |                  | Kristen Marks         | Ravenswood       |
| Hanna Kay Cole       | Martinsburg      | William Parsons       | Ravenswood       |
| Kristen Miller       | Martinsburg      | Ashley Shamblin       | Ravenswood       |
| Mikaela Miller       | Martinsburg      | Kathryn E. Voiers     | Ravenswood       |
| Nikki Shumaker       | Martinsburg      |                       |                  |
| Kristen Stuckey      | Martinsburg      | Kensy Bergdorf        | Ripley           |
|                      |                  | Alexis Rutter         | Ripley           |
| Amber Mays           | Mason County     |                       |                  |
| Caitlyn N. Parsons   | Mason County     | Mikayala Hayes        | Ritchie County   |
|                      |                  |                       |                  |
| Tabitha Anne Baker   | Mineral County   | Hillary Blosser       | Roane County     |
| Garrett Dolly        | Mineral County   | Amber Craft           | Roane County     |
| Shelton Lucas        | Mineral County   | Tyler Harper          | Roane County     |
| Lexi Nester          | Mineral County   |                       |                  |

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|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Emily Higginbotham | Roane County | Skylar Rucker      | Taylor County |
| Casey Lassiter     | Roane County | Carson Saffle      | Taylor County |
| Eric Lowe          | Roane County | Christian Shipp    | Taylor County |
| Callie Moles       | Roane County | Gavin Watkins      | Taylor County |
| Evan Ray           | Roane County |                    |               |
| Rachael Ryan       | Roane County | Laken Curtis       | Tyler         |
| Burgandy Walls     | Roane County | Electra Livingston | Tyler         |
| Bradley West       | Roane County | Hope Stewart       | Tyler         |
| Graceann Westfall  | Roane County | Alex VanCamp       | Tyler         |
| Kaitlin Willham    | Roane County |                    |               |
|                    |              | Jake Brannon       | Wirt County   |
| Caitlin Meeks      | St. Marys    | Andrew D. Enoch    | Wirt County   |
| Naresa Templeton   | St. Marys    | Dylan Frazer       | Wirt County   |
|                    |              | Brian S. Hess II   | Wirt County   |
| Daniel S. Adkins   | Summers      | Jeremy Kerby       | Wirt County   |
| Karlee Furrow      | Summers      |                    |               |

**STAR STATE FARMER**

Jessica Hoover, Pendleton County

**STAR STATE AGRIBUSINESS**

William Woodworth, Mineral County

**STAR STATE PLACEMENT**

Brian Hess, Wirt County

**WEST VIRGINIA STAR FARMER**

Wesley Davis, Mason County

**WEST VIRGINIA STAR PLACEMENT**

Brandi Munday, Ripley

**HONORARY STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Johnny Boston

Steve Butler

Matt Call

Craig Canterbury

Richard Gorrell

Jeff Jones

Jim May

Joe McDougal

Rob Pate

David Rapp

Jon Sims

Jonathan Tackett

Nathan Taylor

Laah Wolford

Tim Woodward

**STATE CONVENTION CONTEST WINNERS**

Parliamentary Procedure:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jefferson

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Marion

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Wirt

Land Judging:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Roane County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tug Valley

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Cameron

Individual winners

1<sup>st</sup> place: Chad Hundley, Tug Valley

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Hannah Thompson, Roane County

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Willy Parson, Ravenswood

Homesite Evaluation:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Roane County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tug Valley

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Clay County

Individual winners

1<sup>st</sup> place: Nathaniel Stephenson, Clay County

- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Brad West, Roane County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: David Meadows, Shady Spring

Scrapbook:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Cabell Midland
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jefferson
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Pendleton County

Middle School Scrapbook:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Charles Town Middle
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Moorefield Middle

Agricultural Issues Forum: Buffalo

Prepared Public Speaking:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Dylan Frazier, Wirt County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jennifer Friend, Braxton County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Victoria Stevens, Hundred

Middle School Public Speaking:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Adam Chandler, Wildwood Middle
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Kayla Baker, Moorefield Middle

Extemporaneous Public Speaking:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Callie Moles, Roane County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Ethan Glaze, Hampshire
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Alex VanCamp, Tyler Job

Interview:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Adriana Burton, Lincoln
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Nelson Wolfe, Jefferson
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: JD Morris, Pine Grove

FFA Creed (freshmen):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Emily Foote, Jefferson
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Courtney Saffle, Taylor County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Cammie Ferguson, Wirt County

FFA Creed (upperclassman):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: JoAnna Bolyard, Preston County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tatiana Crawford, Hampshire
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Hannah Phillips, Tyler

Opening Ceremony (middle school)

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Wildwood Middle
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Ravenswood Middle
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Charles Town Middle

Tractor Driving (large tractor division):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Jesse Riser, Fayette
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Joey Crookshanks, Fayette
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Emmanuel Snyder, Hampshire

Tractor Driving (compact division-high school):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Natalie Francis, Ravenswood
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Gabriel Smith, Mineral County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Kevin Rawson, Pendleton County

Tractor Driving (compact division-middle school):

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Adam Harper, Moorefield Middle
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Sloan Williams, Moorefield Middle
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Mackenzie Ring, Charles Town Middle

Talent Show:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place: Legend Riffle, Buckhannon Upshur

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mickenzie McClure, Mason County

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Lou Anderson, Marion County

Agriscience Fair:

Division I: (individual, grade 7-9)

Animal Systems:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Trip Patterson, Shepherdstown Middle

Food Science:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Megan Parsons, Buffalo

Plant Studies:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Nicole White, Harpers Ferry Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Kristan Davis, Jefferson

Environmental/Natural Resources:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Mikayla Hargis, Harpers Ferry Middle

Social Systems:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Katie Rice, Harpers Ferry Middle

Division II: (individual, grade 10-12)

Animal Systems:

1<sup>st</sup> place: MiKinna Poling, Buckhannon Upshur

Environmental Service/Natural Resources (Air Pollution)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Derrick Jackson, Mason County

Environmental Service/Natural Resources (Soil Pollution)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Tanner Carr, Moorefield

Plant Systems:

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Coleton Payne, Buckhannon Upshur

Social Systems:

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mikenze Poling, Buckhannon Upshur

Division III: (team of two)

Food Products & Processing Systems:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Erin Kidwell and Kelly Belcher, Mason County

Power Structures:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Kaitlyn Dunn and Jordan Mundy, Mason County

Social Systems:

1<sup>st</sup> place: Breanna Wyant and Kristen Queen, Mason County

Gold Emblem Chapter Awards:

Buffalo

Buckhannon Upshur

Mineral County

Hampshire

Charles Town Middle

Wildwood Middle

Jefferson

Pendleton County

Superior Chapter Awards:

Buckhannon-Upshur

Buffalo

Cabell Midland

Charles Town

Middle Hampshire

Jefferson Mineral County

Pendleton County

Ravenswood  
Wildwood Middle

### STATE FFA PROFICIENCY AWARD WINNERS

#### Agricultural Communication

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Brandy Bochman - Buckhannon-Upshur

#### Agricultural Processing

1<sup>st</sup> place: Brittany Greathouse - Hundred

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tiffany Harvey - Ravenswood

#### Agricultural Sales (P)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jessica Woodworth - Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Brian Hess - Wirt County

#### Agriscience Research (Animal)

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mikinna Poling - Buckhannon-Upshur

#### Beef Production (E)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jessica Woodworth - Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Logan Rapp - Greenbrier East

#### Beef Production (P)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Max McCoy - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Dylan Frazier - Wirt County

#### Dairy Production (P)

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Lauren Perkins - Greenbrier East

#### Diversified Agriculture Production

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jessica Woodworth - Mineral County

#### Diversified Crop Production (P)

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth - Mineral County

#### Diversified Horticulture

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Katrina Morgan - Hundred

#### Diversified Livestock Production

1<sup>st</sup> place: Ashley Shamblin - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jennifer Friend- Braxton County

#### Equine Science (P)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Tori Boozer - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Kathryn Voiers - Ravenswood

#### Food Science and Technology

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth-Mineral County

#### Forage Production

1<sup>st</sup> place: Dylan Frazier- Wirt County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Max McCoy - Ravenswood

#### Forest Management

1<sup>st</sup> place: Sophia Adams- Pine Grove

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Elijah Carpenter- Buckhannon - Upshur

#### Goat Production

1<sup>st</sup> place: Ashley Shamblin - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Savannah Utt - Ripley

#### Home and/or Community Development

1<sup>st</sup> place: Brian Cornett - Greenbrier East

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mikenze Poling-Buckhannon- Upshur

Outdoor Recreation

1<sup>st</sup> place: Tabitha Baker-Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Mikenze Poling -Buckhannon- Upshur

Poultry Production

1<sup>st</sup> place: Wes Davis- Mason County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Ashley Shamblin – Ravenswood

Sheep Production

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Dyllan Lewis- Greenbrier East

Small Animal Production and Care

1<sup>st</sup> place: Bobby Heater- Buckhannon-Upshur

Swine Production (E)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Brian Hess - Wirt County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Taylor Ashcraft- Hundred

TurfGrass Management

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Raymond Yoho - Hundred

Vegetable Production

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jessica Woodworth Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Amanda Smith - Jefferson

Wildlife Management

1<sup>st</sup> place: Elijah Carpenter - Buckhannon-Upshur

**STATE HAM, BACON AND EGG SHOW AND SALE**

Champion Ham: Ashley Cain, Cameron (\$6,900)

Reserve Champion Ham: Justin Williams, Tyler Consolidated

(\$1,725) Champion Bacon: Ashley Cain, Cameron (\$2,400)

Reserve Champion Bacon: Nathan Billiter, Tyler Consolidated

(\$1,260) Champion Eggs: Gabriel Pagano, Cabell Midland (\$1,000)

Reserve Champion Eggs: Lathe Ueltschy, Valley (\$800)

Sale totaled \$37,395 on 50 hams, 48 bacons and 10 dozens of eggs

**89th STATE CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS RESULTS  
(WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY)  
2012 Sweepstakes Awards**

| School                         | AG     | ATMS | DC | DP | EN     | EQ | FBM | FL | FR     | FS | LV     | MT | NL     | PP | PO     | Top6 | Rank |
|--------------------------------|--------|------|----|----|--------|----|-----|----|--------|----|--------|----|--------|----|--------|------|------|
| Ravenswood High School*        | 1      |      | 3  | 3  |        | 2  |     | 1  | 1      | 3  | 3<br>0 |    |        | 6  |        | 11   | 1    |
| Jefferson High School          |        | 1    | 1  |    | 4      | 3  | 4   |    | 9      |    | 1      | 4  | 7      | 2  | 3      | 11   | 2    |
| Roane County High School       | 4      |      |    | 2  | 5      |    | 2   | 3  |        |    | 3      |    | 2      | 1  | 4      | 13   | 3    |
| Mineral County Vo-Tech Ctr.    | 3      | 3    |    | 12 |        | 1  |     | 11 | 4      | 2  |        |    |        | 7  | 6      | 19   | 4    |
| Tyler Consolidated High School | 1<br>2 | 8    |    | 1  | 0      |    |     | 5  | 2      |    | 7      | 2  | 4      | 12 | 1<br>8 | 21   | 5    |
| Hampshire High School          |        | 6    |    | 10 | 7      |    |     | 2  | 1<br>0 |    | 4      | 8  | 1      |    | 2      | 22   | 6    |
| Clay County High School        |        | 2    |    | 5  | 8      |    |     | 4  | 6      |    | 2<br>7 | 3  |        | 3  | 1<br>6 | 23   | 7    |
| Cabell Midland High School     | 7      | 5    |    | 6  | 1      | 4  |     | 8  | 7      | 5  | 2<br>2 | 12 | 5      | 4  | 1<br>7 | 24   | 8    |
| Wirt County High School        | 2      |      |    |    | 2      |    | 1   | 7  |        |    | 8      |    |        | 8  |        | 28   | 9    |
| Taylor County Tech Ctr.        | 1<br>0 |      |    | 4  | 3      |    | 5   |    | 8      |    |        |    | 3      | 5  |        | 28   | 10   |
| Marion County Tech Ctr.        | 1<br>3 |      |    | 8  | 6      | 6  |     |    |        | 1  |        | 6  |        | 11 |        | 39   | 11   |
| Cameron High School            |        | 14   | 2  | 9  |        |    |     |    | 5      |    | 6      | 7  |        |    | 1<br>0 | 39   | 12   |
| Ripley High School             | 1<br>5 | 7    |    | 19 |        | 5  | 3   | 14 |        | 4  |        | 13 | 8      | 16 |        | 40   | 13   |
| Hundred High School            |        | 13   | 4  | 11 | 1<br>2 |    |     | 12 | 1      |    | 5      | 11 |        | 10 | 1<br>9 | 52   | 14   |
| Braxton County High School     |        |      |    | 13 | 1<br>1 | 7  |     | 9  | 1<br>3 |    | 1<br>1 |    |        | 15 | 5      | 56   | 15   |
| Mason County Career Ctr.       | 1<br>8 | 4    |    |    |        |    | 6   | 20 |        |    | 1<br>0 | 15 |        |    | 8      | 61   | 16   |
| Valley High School             | 1<br>7 |      |    | 14 |        |    |     | 17 | 1<br>5 |    | 1<br>4 | 1  | 6      | 18 |        | 67   | 17   |
| Buckhannon-Upshur High School  |        |      |    |    |        |    |     | 16 | 2<br>2 | 7  | 9      | 5  | 1<br>0 |    |        | 67   | 18   |
| Greenbrier East High School    | 1<br>1 | 10   |    |    | 1<br>5 |    | 7   | 15 | 2<br>0 |    | 1<br>3 |    |        | 14 | 1<br>3 | 68   | 19   |

|                               |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
|-------------------------------|----|----|--|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|
| Tucker County High School     | 14 | 9  |  | 17 | 18 |    |    |    |    | 21 |    | 11 |   | 20 | 89 | 20 |
| Barbour County                |    |    |  |    |    |    |    | 14 |    | 20 |    |    |   |    |    | 21 |
| Buffalo High School           |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 18 |    |   |    |    | 22 |
| Calhoun High School           |    |    |  |    |    |    |    | 18 |    | 17 |    |    |   | 15 |    | 23 |
| Charles Town Middle School    |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Clay-Battelle High School     |    |    |  |    | 14 | 11 |    |    |    | 19 |    |    |   | 11 |    |    |
| Doddridge County High School  |    |    |  |    | 16 |    |    | 12 | 6  | 15 |    |    |   | 12 |    |    |
| East Hardy High School        |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 2  |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| East Hardy Middle School      |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Elkins High School            |    |    |  |    |    | 10 |    | 23 |    | 23 |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Fayette Plateau Tech Ctr.     |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Gilmer County High School     |    | 11 |  | 18 |    |    |    | 26 |    |    | 10 |    |   |    |    |    |
| Greenbrier West High School   |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 28 |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Hannah High School            | 12 |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 12 | 16 |    |   |    |    |    |
| Harpers Ferry Middle School   |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Hedgesville High School       |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Lewis County High School      |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Liberty High School           |    |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Liberty High School (Raleigh) | 8  |    |  | 16 |    |    | 21 |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |
| Lincoln County High School    |    | 15 |  |    |    |    | 9  | 18 | 24 |    |    | 9  |   |    |    |    |
| Magnolia High School          |    | 17 |  |    | 17 |    | 22 | 7  |    |    | 9  |    |   |    |    |    |
| Martinsburg High School       |    |    |  |    |    |    | 8  |    |    |    | 17 | 1  | 2 | 17 |    |    |
| Moorefield High School        | 6  |    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 16 |    |    |   | 7  |    |    |

|                                |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
|--------------------------------|---|----|---|----|--|---|----|----|---|---|--|--|----|----|---|---|--|
| Moorefield Middle School       |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Musselman High School          |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Nicholas County Technical Ctr. |   |    | 5 |    |  | 8 |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Pendleton County High School   |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   | 1 |  |
| Petersburg High School         | 5 |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Pocahontas County High School  |   |    |   |    |  |   |    | 3  |   |   |  |  |    | 9  |   |   |  |
| Preston County HS              |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Ravenswood Middle School       |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Ripley Middle School           |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Ritchie County High School     |   |    |   |    |  |   | 6  | 1  | 2 |   |  |  |    |    | 2 |   |  |
| Robert C. Byrd High School     |   |    |   | 1  |  |   |    | 6  | 6 | 5 |  |  |    |    | 1 |   |  |
| Shady Spring High School       | 9 |    |   | 3  |  |   | 10 |    |   |   |  |  |    | 19 |   |   |  |
| Shepherdstown Middle School    |   |    |   |    |  |   |    | 2  | 1 |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| South Harrison High School     |   |    |   |    |  |   |    | 1  | 8 |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| St. Marys High School          |   |    |   | 20 |  |   | 23 | 2  | 2 |   |  |  |    |    | 9 |   |  |
| Summers County High School     | 1 |    |   |    |  |   |    | 7  | 9 |   |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Union Educational Complex      | 6 |    |   | 9  |  |   | 13 |    |   |   |  |  |    | 13 |   |   |  |
| University High School         |   |    |   |    |  |   |    | 1  | 2 |   |  |  |    |    | 1 |   |  |
| Washington High School         |   | 16 |   | 15 |  |   |    | 19 | 9 | 4 |  |  |    |    | 4 |   |  |
| Wildwood Middle School         |   |    |   |    |  |   |    |    |   | 2 |  |  |    |    |   |   |  |
| Wood County Technical Center   |   |    |   | 7  |  | 9 | 24 | 2  |   |   |  |  | 14 |    |   |   |  |

\*Tie breakers employed:

Ravenswood: 3 first place teams, 1 second place team, 3 third place teams

Jefferson: 3 first place teams, 1 second place team, 2 third place teams

**FIRST-PLACE INDIVIDUALS**  
**2012 CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**

7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Agriscience: MaKenzie Ring-Charles Town Middle School  
Agricultural Tech & Mechanical Systems: William Woodworth - Mineral County Tech  
Agronomy: Max McCoy- Ravenswood High School  
Dairy Cattle Management and Evaluation: Darby Patterson - Jefferson High School  
Entomology: Jenna Floyd - Cabell Midland High School  
Farm Business Management: Jerry Hardway - Wirt County High School  
Floriculture: Mackenzie Stutler - Ravenswood High School  
Food Science: Katie McDougal - Marion County Technical  
Food Science Middle School: Nick Chapman - Wildwood Middle School  
Forestry: Jarrett Gum - Pocahontas County High School  
Horse Evaluation: Lauren Bacom - Mineral County Tech  
Livestock Evaluation: Sara Duncan - Jefferson High School  
Meats Evaluation and Technology: Ruby Morris - Valley High School  
Milk Quality and Products: Joseph Henthom - Tyler Consolidated High School  
Nursery/ Landscape: Jessica Kimble - Hampshire County High School  
Plant Pathology: Miranda Hall - Roane County High School  
Poultry Evaluation: Allison Ruddle - Pendleton County High School  
Veterinary Science: Jessica Woodworth - Mineral County Tech

**MISCELLANEOUS STATE ACTIVITIES**

West Virginia Beef Expo Stockman's Contest:

Senior Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place - Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Ravenswood

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Mineral County #2

Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place - Max McCoy, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Timmy Nester, Mineral County

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Whitney Alt, Mineral County #2

Junior Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Upshur County

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Ravenswood #2

Individuals:

1<sup>st</sup> place - James Hoffman, Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Alex Pack, Ravenswood #2

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Ethan Mahan, Ravenswood

West Virginia Envirothon:

1<sup>st</sup> place - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Cabell Midland

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Mineral County

West Virginia Grasslands:

1<sup>st</sup> place - Ravenswood

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Cabell Midland

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Ravenswood #2

Agriculture Heritage Essay and Photo Contest

Essay Division

1<sup>st</sup> place - Mikenze Poling, Buckhannon-Upshur

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Kelsey Gatens, Buffalo

Nick Smith, Calhoun County

Mikinna Poling, Buckhannon-Upshur

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Jacob Easton, Buffalo

Photo Division

1<sup>st</sup> place - Thairon Holler, Barbour County

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Cory Fox, South Harrison

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Brenton Riffle, Lewis County

Small Farm Center WV FFA Business Plan Competition

1<sup>st</sup> place - The Barn-Farm to U

Jessica Woodworth, Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Pink Chiffon's Floral Design

Callie Moles, Roane County

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Fort Hill Farm

Sarah Page, Mineral County

West Virginia State Fair Honors:

Crop Exhibits and Overall Chapter Exhibits - Hundred

Best Educational Exhibit - Hundred

Agricultural Mechanics Exhibit - Fayette Institute of Technology

National FFA Scholarship Program Winners:

Sophia Adams, Valley Pine Grove, \$400

Lauren Bacorn, Mineral County, \$1,000

David Chaney, Hampshire, \$1,000

Ryan Hart, Braxton County, \$1,000

Megan Hersman, Roane County, \$1,000

Conrad McCoy, Ravenswood, \$1,000

Cody Moore, Gilmer County, \$1,000

Alex Shipp, Taylor County, \$1,000

Morgan Shreve, Roane County, \$1,000

Amanda Smith, Jefferson, \$1,000

Brandon Thomas, Preston County, \$4,000

Samantha Thomas, Valley Pine Grove, \$1,000

Christina Zirkle, Buckhannon-Upshur, \$ 1,000

West Virginia Foundation Scholarship Winners:

Conrad McCoy, Ravenswood, \$1,000

Jessica Woodworth, Mineral County, \$500

Amanda Smith, Jefferson, \$500

Alexandria Kimble, Hampshire, \$500

Katelyn Flanagan, Hampshire, \$500

David Chaney, Hampshire, \$500

Levi Gay, Buckhannon-Upshur, \$500

Kyle Kidwell, Mason County, \$500

Paige Barr, Ravenswood, 5500

## **WEST VIRGINIA FFA FOUNDATION**

Chairperson: William West  
Vice-President: Jim Ash  
Treasurer: Don Michael  
Secretary: Nathan Taylor  
Account Balance December 31, 2012; \$537,586.32

## **OTHER NOTABLE ITEMS**

Paul Roomsburg, Agriculture/Horticulture Teacher at Hampshire High School, was one of the six finalists in the “2012 Teacher of the Year” competition, sponsored by the WV Department of Education.

Mary Phillips, Agriculture Teacher at Cabell-Midland High School, was honored as one of the “West Virginia Women in Agriculture” at the 2012 West Virginia State Fair sponsored by the WV Department of Agriculture.

## **2012 MOUNTAINEER COLLEGIATE FFA OFFICERS (WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY)**

President: Josh Porto  
Vice-President: John Lockhart  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President: John Postlethwait  
Secretary: Kimmie Brooks  
Treasurer: Dylan Johnson  
Reporter: Karli Feicht  
Sentinel: Seth Neal  
Parliamentarian: Catlin Carrico  
Junior Advisor: Michael Withrow  
Advisor: Dr. Stacy Gartin

# West Virginia Association FFA 2013-2014

## STATE OFFICERS

President: Dylan R. Frazier, Wirt County  
 Secretary: Sydney Hudson, Pendleton County  
 Southwestern Vice President: Max McCoy, Ravenswood  
 North central Vice President: Brandon Thomas, Preston County  
 Northwestern Vice President: Joseph Henthorne, Tyler  
 Southeastern Vice President: Andi Mae Harvey, Greenbrier East  
 Central Vice President: Mikenze Poling, Buckhannon Upshur  
 Northeastern Vice President: Katelyn Flanagan, Hampshire  
 At Large Vice President: Tiffany Harvey, Ravenswood  
 Advisor: Jason Hughes  
 Executive Secretary/Treasurer: Nathan Taylor

## WEST VIRGINIA FFA CHAPTERS

### Central

Braxton County  
 Calhoun County  
 Clay County  
 Gilmer County  
 Lewis County  
 Nicholas County  
 Roane County  
 Upshur County

### Eastern

East Hardy  
 East Hardy Middle  
 Elkins  
 Harman  
 Moorefield  
 Moorefield Middle  
 Mount Storm  
 Pendleton County  
 Petersburg  
 Tucker County  
 Tygart Valley

### North Central

Barbour County  
 Clay-Battelle  
 Liberty  
 Lincoln  
 Marion County  
 Preston County

South Harrison  
 Taylor County  
 University High  
 Robert C. Byrd

### North Eastern

Berkeley Springs  
 Charlestown Middle  
 Hampshire  
 Harpers Ferry Middle  
 Hedgesville  
 Jefferson  
 Martinsburg  
 Mineral County  
 Musselman  
 Shepherdstown Middle  
 Spring Mills  
 Washington  
 Wildwood Middle  
 WV School for the Deaf

### North Western

Blennerhassett  
 Cameron  
 Doddridge County  
 Hundred  
 John Marshall  
 Magnolia  
 Pine Grove  
 Ritchie County

St. Marys  
 Tyler

### South Eastern

Fayette Plateau  
 Greenbrier East  
 Greenbrier West  
 Mercer County  
 Monroe County  
 Pocahontas County  
 Shady Spring  
 Summers  
 Surveyor

### South Western

Buffalo  
 Cabell Midland  
 Carver Career  
 Hannan  
 Lincoln County  
 Mason County Vocational  
 Ravenswood  
 Ravenswood Middle  
 Roane Jackson  
 Ripley  
 Ripley Middle  
 Tug Valley  
 Wirt County

# **NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS**

## **NATIONAL OFFICER CANDIDATE**

For the first time in 39 years, West Virginia has a National FFA Officer. Wes Davis, former WV FFA President and member of the Mason County FFA Chapter was elected as the Eastern Region National FFA Vice President at the 83<sup>rd</sup> National FFA Convention at Louisville.

## **83rd NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION DELEGATES**

Louisville, KY  
All WVFFA State Officers

## **AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Shannon Jones, Barbour County  
Dereck Price, Barbour County  
Caitlin Black, Cabell Midland  
Mark Jochum, Cameron  
Meghan Marsh, Cameron  
Ashley Heater, Doddridge County  
Cody Funkhouser, East Hardy  
Eric Turner, East Hardy  
David Chaney, Hampshire  
Nell Berkeley, Jefferson  
Nyki Martin, Jefferson  
Katie Short, Lincoln County  
Wesley Davis, Mason County  
Michelle Biser, Moorefield  
Hunter Carr, Pendleton County  
Meghan Hoover, Pendleton County  
Annaliese Henderson, Pine Grove  
Rachel Wyatt, Pine Grove  
Kelsey Flinn, Ravenswood  
Zachery Shamblin, Ravenswood  
Corey Hall, Ripley  
Brandi Munday, Ripley  
Ronald Vest, Ripley  
Brandon Williams, Ripley  
Amanda West, Roane County  
Garrett Hadley, St. Marys  
Lynnessa Henderson, Taylor County  
Silas Archer, Tyler  
Savannah Hilvers, Tyler  
Rheanna Roley, Tyler  
Chelsea Wells, Tyler  
Michaela Dunn, Washington  
Hannah J. Kerby, Wirt County  
Lakin Sims, Wirt County

**STAR FARMER**

Wesley Davis  
Mason County

**STAR PLACEMENT**

Brandi Munday  
Ripley

**HONORARY AMERICAN FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

*(Teachers)*

Woody Hanna, Greenbrier East  
Charity Marsteller, Wildwood Middle  
John Ritchie, Frankfort

*(Others)*

Richard Woodworth, Burlington  
Barbara Whitecotton, Moorefield

**NATIONAL FFA VIP CITATION RECIPIENT**

Gary Connell, Buckhannon

**NATIONAL FFA BAND MEMBERS**

Cody Haines, Hampshire  
Caroline Hayden: Jefferson

**NATIONAL FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**

*(West Virginia had 21 gold medal individuals, three top ten individuals, five gold medal teams and three top ten teams)*

Gold Emblem---- Agricultural Technology and Mechanical Systems (7th Place) ----Mineral  
Gold Emblem---- Environmental and Natural Resources (7<sup>th</sup> Place) ----Ravenswood  
Gold Emblem---- Forestry----Calhoun  
Gold Emblem---- Parliamentary Procedure---- Wirt  
Gold Emblem---- Veterinary Science----Buffalo  
Silver Emblem---- Agronomy---- Roane  
Silver Emblem---- Livestock Evaluation---- Pendleton  
Silver Emblem---- Meats Evaluation and Technology----Mineral  
Silver Emblem---- Milk Quality and Products---- Ravenswood  
Silver Emblem---- Nursery/Landscape---- Ravenswood  
Silver Emblem---- Poultry Evaluation---- Roane  
Bronze Emblem---- Horse Evaluation---- Jefferson  
Bronze Emblem ----Agricultural Issues Forum ----- Buffalo

## **Gold Emblem Individuals**

### Agricultural Technology and Mechanical Systems

Timothy Nester- Mineral  
Gabriel Smith- Mineral  
William Woodworth- Mineral  
Shelton Lucas- Mineral

### Environmental and Natural Resources

Robbie Flinn- Ravenswood  
Conrad Mccoy- Ravenswood  
Delana McCoy- Ravenswood

### Horse Evaluation

Alyson Franz - Jefferson

### Meats Evaluation and Technology

Whitney Alt- Mineral  
Sarah Page- Mineral

### Milk Quality and Products

Kirsten Marks- Ravenswood

### Veterinary Science

Dakota Reedy- Buffalo

### Nursery/Landscape

Haley Snyder- Ravenswood

## **Silver Emblem Individuals**

### Horse Evaluation

Darby Patterson - Jefferson

### Livestock Evaluations

Dylan Dunkle- Pendleton  
Jessica Hoover- Pendleton  
Allison Ruddle- Pendleton

### Meats Evaluation and Technology

Tabitha Baker- Mineral  
Noah Wilson- Mineral

### Milk Quality and Products

Paige Barr- Ravenswood  
Patrick Click- Ravenswood  
Rehgan Weekly- Ravenswood

### Nursery/Landscape

Tiffany Harvey- Ravenswood  
Mariah Jackson- Ravenswood

Mackenzie Stutler- Ravenswood

Poultry Evaluation

Brooke Cornelius- Roane

Hannah Higginbotham- Roane

Karlee Nutter- Roane

Veterinary Science

Kelsey Gatens- Buffalo

Megan King- Buffalo

Maggie Parsons- Buffalo

**Bronze Emblem Individuals**

Horse Evaluation

Alexis Hensell – Jefferson

Katelynne Buffinton – Jefferson

Job Interview

Adrianna Burton- Lincoln

Livestock Evaluations

Katelyn Moyers- Pendleton

Prepared Public Speaking

Dylan Frazier- Wirt

**NATIONAL PROFICIENCY AWARDS**

Agricultural Sales: Jessica Woodworth, Mineral County (National Winner)

Food Science and Technology: William Woodworth, Mineral County (National Winner)

Agricultural Processing: Brittany Greathouse, Hundred (Bronze Emblem)

Beef Production: Max McCoy, Ravenswood (Bronze Emblem)

Diversified Horticulture: Alexander R. Gillespie, Greenbrier (Silver Emblem)

Forage Production: Dylan Frazier, Wirt County (Silver Emblem)

Forest Management and Products: Sophia Rose Adams, Pine Grove (Silver Emblem)

Goat Production: Ashley Shamblin, Ravenswood (Silver Emblem)

Outdoor Recreation: Tabitha Baker, Mineral County (Gold Emblem)

Poultry Production: Wesley Davis, Mason County (Gold Emblem)

Small Animal Production and Care: Bobby Heater, Upshur (Gold Emblem)

Swine Production: Brian S. Hess II, Wirt County (Silver Emblem)

**NATIONAL FFA AGRISCIENCE FAIR WINNERS**

Animal Systems Division 1

Silver Emblem: Trip Patterson, Shepherdstown Middle

Animal Systems Division 2

Bronze Emblem: Mikinna Poling, Buckhannon-Upshur

Environmental Services/Natural Resource Systems Division 1

Bronze Emblem: Mikayla Hargis, Harpers Ferry Middle

Environmental Services/Natural Resource Systems Division 2

Participant: Tanner Carr, Moorefield

Food Products and Processing Division 1

Silver Emblem: Megan Parsons, Buffalo  
Food Products and Processing Division 3

Bronze Emblem: Erin Kidwell and Kelly Belcher, Mason County Technical Center  
Plant Systems Division 1

Bronze Emblem: Nichole White, Harpers Ferry Middle  
Power, Structures and Technical Systems Division 3

Silver Emblem: Kaitlyn Dunn and Jordan Muncy, Mason County Technical Center  
Social Systems Division 1

Silver Emblem: Katie Rice, Harpers Ferry Middle

### **NATIONAL PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE**

Gold Emblem: Wirt County

### **NATIONAL CREED SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem: Emily Foote, Jefferson

### **NATIONAL PREPARED PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem: Dylan Frazier, Wirt County

### **NATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Bronze Emblem: Ethan Glaze, Hampshire

### **NATIONAL JOB INTERVIEW**

Bronze Emblem: Adrianna Burton, Lincoln County

### **WEST VIRGINIA'S NATIONAL CHAPTER AWARDS**

Three Star Chapter: Charles Town Middle

Two Star Chapter: Buffalo

Two Star Chapter: Mineral County

Two Star Chapter: Wildwood Middle

Two Star Chapter: Jefferson

Two Star Chapter: Pendleton County

One Star Chapter: Hampshire

### **NATIONAL LAND JUDGING**

8<sup>th</sup> place – Ravenswood

Willy Parsons, Katie Meeks, Delana McCoy and Kirsten Marks  
(Katie Meeks – 3<sup>rd</sup> place individual in the nation)

### **NATIONAL HOMESITE EVALUATION**

8<sup>th</sup> place – Ravenswood

Willie Parsons, Katie Meeks, Delana McCoy and Kirsten Marks

## 85<sup>th</sup> STATE FFA CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS

Dates: July 9-12, 2014

Theme: Ignite – Leadership, Growth, Success

### STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS

|                      |                   |                     |                  |
|----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Morgan Freeman       | Barbour County    | Benjamin Morgan     | Greenbrier East  |
|                      |                   | Colton Phillips     | Greenbrier East  |
| Toni Murphy          | Blennerhassett    | Abigail Wade        | Greenbrier East  |
|                      |                   | Nicholas Wilson     | Greenbrier East  |
| Bonni Bender         | Braxton County    |                     |                  |
| Laura Gerwig         | Braxton County    | Logan Alderman      | Hampshire County |
| Corde Rader          | Braxton County    | Bradley Arndt       | Hampshire County |
| Sara Westfall        | Braxton County    | Paige Bohrer        | Hampshire County |
|                      |                   | Kayla Didawick      | Hampshire County |
| Kelly Grose          | Buckhannon-Upshur | Rebecca Haines      | Hampshire County |
| Hannah Hannifan      | Buckhannon-Upshur | Luke Hott           | Hampshire County |
| Justin Poling        | Buckhannon-Upshur | Jessica Kimble      | Hampshire County |
| Morgan Tenney        | Buckhannon-Upshur | Catherine Largent   | Hampshire County |
|                      |                   | John Seldon         | Hampshire County |
| Jonathan Black       | Cabell Midland    | Alexis Solecki      | Hampshire County |
| Zachary R. Call      | Cabell Midland    | Sarah Thorne        | Hampshire County |
| Brooke Holley        | Cabell Midland    | Travis Veach        | Hampshire County |
|                      |                   |                     |                  |
| Kaci Cain            | Cameron           | Sloan Hutzler       | Hedgesville      |
| Samantha DeBolt      | Cameron           | Mitchell Manor      | Hedgesville      |
| Kristen McDowell     | Cameron           | Andrew Pike         | Hedgesville      |
| Austin Pegg          | Cameron           | Colton Rohrbaugh    | Hedgesville      |
|                      |                   | Dan Saylor          | Hedgesville      |
| Shelby Boatwright    | Clay County       | Elsie Smith         | Hedgesville      |
| Jack Cummings        | Clay County       | Thomas Smith Jr.    | Hedgesville      |
| Wyatt Dawson         | Clay County       | Jeremy Stuckey      | Hedgesville      |
| Michael Gray         | Clay County       | Forrest Twigg       | Hedgesville      |
| Cody Lockhart        | Clay County       | C. J. VanDyne       | Hedgesville      |
| Nathaniel Stephenson | Clay County       | Holly Yates         | Hedgesville      |
| Tristen Ruman        | Clay County       |                     |                  |
|                      |                   | Katrina Morgan      | Hundred          |
| Destiny Lambert      | Doddridge County  | Ethan Umstead       | Hundred          |
|                      |                   |                     |                  |
| Jaclyn Cleaver       | East Hardy        | Elizabeth Hayden    | Jefferson        |
| Ronald Fitzwater     | East Hardy        | Ryan Wiley          | Jefferson        |
| Robert Sager         | East Hardy        |                     |                  |
| Daniel Vance         | East Hardy        | Adrianna Burton     | Lincoln Country  |
|                      |                   | Sylvia Slone        | Lincoln Country  |
| Kyle Collins         | Gilmer County     | Jeremy Smith        | Lincoln Country  |
|                      |                   |                     |                  |
| Kaitlyn Boone        | Greenbrier East   | Mikaela Fluharty    | Lincoln High     |
| Brianna N. Dowdy     | Greenbrier East   |                     |                  |
| Alexander Gillespie  | Greenbrier East   | Colby Sidenstricker | Magnolia         |
| Tanner McNeely       | Greenbrier East   | Patrick Stoflinsky  | Magnolia         |

|                      |                  |                        |               |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| Derrick Jackson      | Mason County     | Amber S. Bailey        | Roane County  |
|                      |                  | Brooke Cornelius       | Roane County  |
| Sarah Page           | Mineral County   | Cory Crihfield         | Roane County  |
| Gabriel Smith        | Mineral County   | Ryan Errickson         | Roane County  |
| Noah Wilson          | Mineral County   | Hannah<br>Higginbotham | Roane County  |
| Leah Alt             | Moorefield       | Karlee Nutter          | Roane County  |
| Jenni Bobo           | Moorefield       | Hannah Thompson        | Roane County  |
| JoBeth Delander      | Moorefield       |                        |               |
| Dylan Lease          | Moorefield       | Hayley Everett         | St. Marys     |
| Ashley Riggelman     | Moorefield       | Kevin Hackathorn       | St. Marys     |
|                      |                  | Marly Taylor           | St. Marys     |
| Morgan Fox           | Musselman        | Collin Yeager          | St. Marys     |
| Cheyenne Huffman     | Musselman        |                        |               |
| Shelby Murray        | Musselman        | Millard Browing        | Summers       |
| Catherine Dove       | Musselman        | Victor Garcia          | Summers       |
| Raines               |                  | Thomas Grimmett        | Summers       |
|                      |                  | Dakota Knott           | Summers       |
| Dylan Dunkle         | Pendleton County | Lily Romanello         | Summers       |
| Garrett Fox          | Pendleton County |                        |               |
| Ciara Huffman        | Pendleton County | Brittany Eifert        | Taylor County |
| Aspen Phares         | Pendleton County | Chris Simpson          | Taylor County |
|                      |                  | Brandy Lea Watkins     | Taylor County |
| Jordan R. Brashear   | Petersburg       | Michael Watkins        | Taylor County |
| Cheyenne Conrath     | Petersburg       |                        |               |
| Jacqueline D.Hedrick | Petersburg       | Andrew Hauser          | Tucker County |
| Roger T. Rohrbaugh   | Petersburg       | Tyler Landon Hebb      | Tucker County |
|                      |                  |                        |               |
| Nathan Arnolds       | Pine Grove       | James Flesher          | Tyler County  |
| Wesley Dulaney       | Pine Grove       | Marisa Gogan           | Tyler County  |
| Alyssa Kinkade       | Pine Grove       | Laura Jochum           | Tyler County  |
| James Morris         | Pine Grove       | Haley Stewart          | Tyler County  |
| Rider Scyoc          | Pine Grove       | Shane Wright           | Tyler County  |
| Lathe Ueltschy       | Pine Grove       |                        |               |
|                      |                  | Elizabeth Adams        | Wirt County   |
| Shane A. Christopher | Preston County   | Chris Lockhart         | Wirt County   |
| Hunter Kennedy       | Preston County   | Dylan Pickerell        | Wirt County   |
|                      |                  |                        |               |
| Robbie Flinn         | Ravenswood       |                        |               |
| Mariah Jackson       | Ravenswood       |                        |               |
| Reghan Weekley       | Ravenswood       |                        |               |
|                      |                  |                        |               |
| Mikayla Pursley      | Ripley           |                        |               |
| Jackelyn Scarberry   | Ripley           |                        |               |
|                      |                  |                        |               |
| Sierra Bell          | Ritchie County   |                        |               |
| Jacob Frymier        | Ritchie County   |                        |               |
| Jasmine Goff         | Ritchie County   |                        |               |
| Ashley Richmond      | Ritchie County   |                        |               |

## HONORARY STATE FFA DEGREE RECIPIENTS

Bobby Cheves  
Gordan Edgell  
Jim Eisentrout  
Jim Fleshman  
Diana Flinn  
Peggy Galloway  
J.R. Helmick  
Billy Morgan  
H.R. Scott  
John Smith  
Tammy Wells  
Jennifer Williams

## STATE CONVENTION CONTEST WINNERS

### Parliamentary Procedure:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Tyler  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – Marion County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place, Jefferson

### Land Judging:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Wirt County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – Taylor County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place – Tyler

Land Judging individuals: Dylan Frazier, Wirt County, Gregory Carr, Marion County,  
Breanna Snyder, Tyler

### Homesite Evaluation:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Wirt County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – Taylor County  
3<sup>rd</sup> place – Gilmer County

Homesite individuals: Dylan Frazier, Wirt County, Lucas Steele, Gilmer County,  
Lane Hedge, Jefferson

### High School Scrapbook:

1<sup>st</sup> place - Cabell Midland  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – Buckhannon Upshur  
3<sup>rd</sup> place - Jefferson

### Middle School Scrapbook:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Moorefield Middle  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – Charlestown Middle

### Middle School Opening Ceremony:

Moorefield Middle  
Ripley Middle

### FFA Quiz Bowl:

Wildwood Middle  
Moorefield Middle

### Talent Show:

Shady Spring Boys  
Wyatt Kincell – Marion County  
Summers County Boys

### Prepared Public Speaking:

1<sup>st</sup> place – Sydney Hudson, Pendleton County

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Cammie Ferguson, Wirt County  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Jennifer Friend, Braxton County

Middle School Public Speaking:  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Katherine Rice, Harpers Ferry

Extemporaneous Public Speaking:  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Brandy Watkins, Taylor County  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Elizabeth Adams, Wirt County  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Blayne Ott, Washington

Job Interview:  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Darby rose Patterson – Jefferson  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place – JD Morris – Pine Grove  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Lauren Tennett – Taylor County

Marketing Plan:  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Washington  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Buckhannon Upshur

Agriculture Issues:  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Buffalo  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Roane County

FFA Creed (freshmen):  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Annie Fox, Hundred  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place - Emily Hunt, Roane County  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Wyatt Kincell, Marion County

FFA Creed (upperclassman):  
 1<sup>st</sup> place – Alyssa Hodge, Cabell Midland  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Olivia Mooney, St. Marys  
 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Lindsey Fain, Greenbrier West

Compact Tractor (Middle School)  
 Kyle Custer – Shepherdstown  
 James Hoffman – Ravenswood  
 Nick Westernhaver - Ravenswood

Compact Tractor (High School)  
 John Seldon – Hasmpshire  
 Gabriel Smith – Mineral County  
 Millard Browning - Summers

Large Tractor  
 Patrick Woods – Preston County  
 Logan Utzman – University  
 Hunter Thorne – Hampshire

State Star Farmer: Jaclyn Cleaver, East Hardy  
 State Star in Placement: Alexander Gillespie, Greenbrier East  
 West Virginia Star Farmer: Max Mc Coy, Ravenswood  
 West Virginia Star Placement: Jessica Woodworth, Mineral County

Agriscience Fair:  
 Division 1: (individual, grade 7-9)  
 Animal Systems:  
 1<sup>st</sup> place: Trip Patterson, Jefferson  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Kaly Newhouse, Moorefield Middle  
 Power Structural and Technical Systems  
 1<sup>st</sup> place: Kiersten Coleman, Moorefield Middle  
 2<sup>nd</sup> place: John Mullins, Mercer County  
 Environmental Services/Natural Resources  
 1<sup>st</sup> place: Nick Chapman, Wildwood Middle

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Grant Keller, Moorefield Middle  
Food Products and Processing Systems  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Chanel Redmon, Moorefield Middle  
Plant Systems  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jason Mongold, Moorefield Middle

Superior Chapter Awards:

Buckhannon-Upshur  
Buffalo  
Cabell Midland  
Hampshire  
Jefferson  
Mineral  
Pendleton County  
Tug Valley  
Wildwood Middle

**STATE FFA PROFICIENCY AWARD WINNERS**

**AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Mikayla Hayes- Ritchie County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jackaly n Scarberry – Ripley

**AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE (Entrepreneurship)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Nathaniel Stephenson - Clay County

**AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE (Placement)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth - Mineral County

**AGRICULTURAL PROCESSING**

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth- Mineral County

**AGRICULTURAL SALES (P)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Ryan Hooe - Jefferson  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tyler Harper- Roane County

**BEEF PRODUCTION (E)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Logan Rapp - Greenbrier East  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Jady n Cleaver - East Hardy

**BEEF PRODUCTION (P)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth- Mineral County  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Dylan Frashier - Wirt County

**DAIRY PRODUCTION (E)**

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Lauren Perkins - Greenbrier East

**DAIRY PRODUCTION (P)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Lauren Perkins - Greenbrier East

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Alex Bane - Jefferson

**DIVERSIFIED LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jennifer Friend - Braxton County

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Sarah Page - Mineral County

**EQUINE SCIENCE (P)**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Kathryn Voiers – Ravenswood

**FORAGE PRODUCTION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth- Mineral County

**GOAT PRODUCTION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Darby Rose - Jefferson

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Savannah Utt - Ripley

**HOME AND/OR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Timothy Nester- Mineral County

**LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Jacob Frymier - Ritchie County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Cody Lockhart - Clay County

**SHEEP PRODUCTION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Dyllan Lewis - Greenbrier East

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Brianne Mason - Jefferson

**SMALL ANIMAL PRODUCTION AND CARE**

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Laura Knock -Jefferson

**SPECIALTY ANIMAL PRODUCTION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Mikayla Pursley - Ripley

**VEGETABLE PRODUCTION**

1<sup>st</sup> place: William Woodworth - Mineral County

**SWINE PRODUCTION (E)**

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Ashley Richmond - Ritchie County

**TURF GRASS MANAGEMENT**

1<sup>st</sup> place: Timothy Nestor - Mineral County

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Amanda Smith - Jefferson

**STATE HAM, BACON AND EGG SHOW AND SALE**

Champion Ham: Maggie Hornbeck, Valley

Reserve Champion Ham: Mary Bassett, Valley

Champion Bacon: Hunter Aston, Cameron

Reserve Champion Bacon: Justin Bassett, Valley

Champion Eggs: Hunter Aston, Cameron

Reserve Champion Eggs: Triston Dotson, Cameron

Sale totaled \$37,904.50 on 48 hams, 45 bacons and 10 dozens of eggs

**STATE CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS RESULTS  
(WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY)  
(2013 Sweepstakes Award)**

| School                         | AG | ATMS | VS | DP | EN | EQ | FBM | FL | FR | FS | LV | MT | NL | PP | PO | Top 6 | Rank |
|--------------------------------|----|------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|------|
| Roane County High School       | 1  |      |    |    |    |    | 1   | 1  |    |    | 2  |    | 3  |    | 1  | 9     | 1    |
| Ravenswood High School         |    |      | 5  | 1  | 2  |    |     |    | 3  |    |    |    | 1  | 1  |    | 13    | 2    |
| Jefferson High School          | 8  | 3    |    | 3  | 5  | 1  |     |    | 9  | 2  | 9  | 3  |    | 4  | 4  | 16    | 3    |
| Tyler Consolidated High School | 7  |      | 7  |    |    | 3  |     | 2  |    |    | 4  | 2  | 4  |    |    | 22    | 4    |
| Cabell Midland High School     | 6  | 4    | 6  | 2  |    |    |     | 4  |    |    |    | 6  | 2  |    |    | 24    | 5    |
| Hampshire High School          |    | 2    |    | 7  |    |    |     | 3  |    |    | 3  | 5  |    |    | 5  | 25    | 6    |
| Clay County High School        |    | 6    |    |    | 3  |    |     | 5  | 5  |    | 15 |    |    |    | 7  | 41    | 7    |
| Barbour County                 |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Braxton County High School     |    |      | 2  | 5  | 6  | 6  |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 6  |       |      |
| Buckhannon Upshur High School  |    | 9    |    |    |    | 4  |     |    | 13 |    |    | 8  | 5  |    |    |       |      |
| Buffalo High School            |    |      | 1  |    |    |    |     |    |    | 5  |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Calhoun High School            |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    | 1  |    | 13 |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Charles Town Middle School     |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |

| School                           | AG | ATMS | VS | DP | EN | EQ | FBM | FL | FR | FS | LV | MT | NL | PP | PO | Top 6 | Rank |
|----------------------------------|----|------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|------|
| Clay-Battelle High School        |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    | 5  |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Doddridge County High School     |    |      |    |    |    |    |     | 8  | 7  |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| East Hardy Middle School         |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Elkins High School               |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Greenbrier East High School      |    | 11   |    |    |    | 8  |     |    |    |    | 11 |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Harpers Ferry Middle School      |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Liberty High School (Harrison)   |    | 7    |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Liberty High School (Raleigh)    | 9  | 5    |    |    |    |    |     |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Magnolia High School             |    |      |    |    |    | 10 |     | 4  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Marion County Technical Ctr.     |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    | 1  |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Mason County Career Ctr.         |    | 8    | 8  |    |    |    |     |    |    |    | 16 | 4  |    |    |    |       |      |
| Mineral County Vo-Tech Ctr.      | 2  | 1    |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    | 1  |    |    |    |       |      |
| Musselman High School            |    |      |    |    |    | 2  |     |    |    |    | 6  |    |    | 2  |    |       |      |
| Nicholas County Technical Center |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Pendleton Co. High School        |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    | 1  |    |    |    | 2  |       |      |
| Petersburg High School           | 5  |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |

| School                        | AG | ATMS | VS | DP | EN | EQ | FBM | FL | FR | FS | LV | MT | NL | PP | PO | Top 6 | Rank |
|-------------------------------|----|------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|------|
| Pocahontas County High School |    | 10   |    |    |    | 7  |     |    | 2  |    |    |    |    | 3  |    |       |      |
| Ravenswood Middle School      |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Ripley High School            |    |      | 3  | 6  |    |    |     |    | 8  | 4  |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Ripley Middle School          |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Ritchie County High School    |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    | 6  |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Shady Spring High School      | 4  |      |    | 8  |    |    |     | 6  | 6  |    | 8  |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Shepherdstown Middle School   |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| St. Marys High School         |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    | 7  |    | 12 |    |    |    | 3  |       |      |
| Summers County High School    |    |      |    |    | 4  |    |     | 7  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Taylor County Tech. Ctr.      |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    | 12 |    |    |    | 6  |    |    |       |      |
| University High School        |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    | 14 |    |    |    | 8  |       |      |
| Valley High School            |    |      |    |    |    | 5  |     |    | 11 | 3  |    | 9  | 7  |    |    |       |      |
| Washington High School        |    |      | 4  | 4  |    |    |     |    |    |    | 7  |    |    | 5  |    |       |      |
| Wildwood Middle School        |    |      |    |    |    |    |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Wirt County High School       | 3  |      |    |    | 1  |    |     |    |    |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |       |      |
| Wood County Technical Center  |    |      |    | 9  |    | 9  |     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |      |

**FIRST-PLACE INDIVIDUALS  
2013 CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**

7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Agriscience: Earl Hamby-Wildwood Middle School  
Agricultural Technology & Mechanical Systems: William Woodworth-Mineral County Tech  
Agronomy: Callie Moles-Roane County High School  
Dairy Cattle: India Titus-Washington High School  
Entomology: Cammi Ferguson-Wirt County High School  
Farm Business Management: Evan Ray- Roane County High School  
Floriculture: Orin Jackson- Cabell Midland High School  
Food Science: Katlin Parker- Marion County Tech  
Food Science (Middle School): Katie Rice- Harpers Ferry Middle School  
Forestry: Max McCoy- Ravenswood High School  
Horse Evaluation: Sara Duncan- Jefferson High School  
Livestock Evaluation: Allison Ruddle- Pendleton County High School  
Meats Evaluation and Technology: Whitney Alt- Mineral County Tech  
Milk Quality and Products: Haley Snyder- Ravenswood High School  
Nursery/ Landscape: Haley Snyder- Ravenswood High School  
Plant Pathology: Delana McCoy- Ravenswood High School  
Poultry Evaluation: Rachel Ryan- Roane County High School  
Veterinary Science: Dakota Reedy- Buffalo High School

**MISCELLANEOUS STATE ACTIVITIES**

West Virginia Beef Expo Stockman's Contest:

Senior Division:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Mineral County FFA
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Braxton County FFA 1
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Braxton County FFA 2

Individuals:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Will Woodworth, Mineral County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Whitney Alt, Mineral County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Drina Kearns, Braxton County

Junior Division:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Braxton County FFA

Individuals:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Raven Friend, Braxton County
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Emilly Miller, Braxton County
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Brady Bender, Braxton County

West Virginia Envirothon:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place FFA Team – Cabell Midland

West Virginia Grasslands:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place - Ravenswood

Potomac State College Livestock Quiz Bowl

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Mineral County

Agriculture Heritage Essay and Photo Contest

Essay Division

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Destiny Huttenstine, Buffalo
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Zach Hull, Buckhannon-Upshur

3<sup>rd</sup> place – Hunter Allen, Buffalo  
Honorable Mention – Megan Parsons, Buffalo  
Honorable Mention – Ryan Boone, Buckhannon-Upshur

Photo Division

1<sup>st</sup> place – Chelcy Harvey, Cabell Midland  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – Destiny Huttenstine, Buffalo  
3<sup>rd</sup> place – Chelcy Harvey, Cabell Midland

Small Farm Center WV FFA Business Plan Competition

1<sup>st</sup> place – “Show U” – Maggie Parsons, Buffalo  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – “Bug Works” – Mikinna Poling, Buckhannon-Upshur  
3<sup>rd</sup> place – “Creekside Corn Maze” – Andrew Houser, Tucker County

West Virginia State Fair Honors:

Crop Exhibits and Overall Chapter Exhibits—Hundred  
Best Educational Exhibit—Hundred  
Agricultural Mechanics Exhibits—Fayette Institute of Technology

National FFA Scholarship Winners:

Elizabeth Adams, Wirt County  
Bonnie Bender, Braxton County  
Candice Conrad, Calhoun County  
Dylan Frazier, Wirt County  
Jennifer Friend, Braxton County  
Kirsten Gateless, Braxton County  
Jacob Haymond, Braxton County  
Johnny Holcomb, Clay County  
Jessica Hoover, Pendleton County  
Sydney Hudson, Pendleton County  
Kendra Hurst, Braxton County  
Orin Jackson, Cabell-Midland  
Kelsey Jett, Calhoun County  
Callie Moles, Roane County  
Jesse Myers, Liberty  
Timothy Nester, Mineral County  
Darby Patterson, Jefferson  
Jordyn Peters, Braxton County  
Mikenze Poling, Buckhannon Upshur  
Carson Saffle, Taylor County  
Shawna Vanderhoff, Buckhannon Upshur  
William Woodworth, Mineral County

West Virginia Foundation Scholarships:

William Woodworth, Mineral County, \$1,000  
Jessica Hoover, Pendleton County, \$500  
Mikenze Poling, Buckhannon Upshur, \$500  
Maggie Parsons, Buffalo, \$500  
Jennifer Friend, Braxton County, \$500  
Dylan Frazier, Wirt County, \$500  
Danielle Foglesong, Mason County, \$500

## WEST VIRGINIA FFA FOUNDATION

Chairperson: William West  
Vice President: James Ash  
Treasurer: Don Michael  
Secretary: Nathan Taylor  
Account Balance December 31, 2013: \$563,093.45

### OTHER NOTABLE ITEMS

Dave Sizemore is serving as the state president of the FFA Alumni Association. He grew up on the family farm at Pickaway and earned the State Farmer Degree as a junior at Union High School some 50 years ago. He spent his career in metalworking and manufacturing, including teaching at the secondary and post-secondary levels.

Carol Webb, agriculture teacher at Mineral County, was one of four individuals inducted into the “Women in Agriculture” program sponsored by the West Virginia Department of Agriculture for 2013. Induction is granted to those women who have made significant contributions to the establishment, development, advancement or improvement of West Virginia agriculture.

Dr. Douglas LaVerne left the WVU Agricultural Education in May, 2014. Joining the faculty in August will be Dr. Jessica Blythe, a graduate of the University of Florida and a former teacher of agriculture at Baker County High School in Glen St. Mary, Florida.

Mikinna Poling, sophomore member of the Buckhannon-Upshur FFA chapter, was one of the 100 high school youths selected to participate in the three-day Global Youth Institute hosted by the World Food Prize Foundation. By virtue of an outstanding paper proposal, Mikinna and her agricultural teacher, Ms. Connie Scarbrough, traveled to Des Moines, Iowa in mid-October to attend this exciting three-day event at which they interacted with Nobel and World Food Prize Laureates and discussed food security and agricultural issues with international experts. Mikinna presented her paper and discussed her findings with international experts and other students from around the world, toured industrial and research facilities, and took part in symposium discussions with global leaders in science, agriculture and food policy. This year’s program celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> birthday anniversary of Dr. Norman Borlaug, world-renowned scientist who was instrumental in development of high-yielding varieties of corn, wheat, rice and other crops which led to the so-called Green Revolution in the 1960s and averted starvation for millions of people in the under-developed countries of the world.

Ms. Veronica Milliken, agriculture teacher at Robert C. Byrd High School, was one of 41 teachers across America to be honored with the National Association of Agriculture Educator’s “Turn the Key” award. As the first agriculture teacher at the school, in just a short time Ms. Milliken has established a highly successful agriculture program for the students in an urban setting. The award was presented at the 2013 NAAE Convention.

A summer experience called Showpig.com under the inspiration and tutelage of Isaac Lewis, agriculture teacher at Hampshire High School, with assistance of national swine production leaders, brought in 24 selected FFA members from across the United States who applied and were considered to be highly motivated and recognized as being among the best young people in the nation with sincere interests in the swine industry. The program was a five-night six-day Leadership Conference where students experienced show ring and swine production applications, building a quarantine barn, a trip to the Greenbrier Resort, and involvement in Farm to Table and Farm to School projects.

**MOUNTAINEER COLLEGIATE FFA OFFICERS  
WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY**

(Fall Semester)

President: J.D. Repp  
Vice President: Seth Neal  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: Kelsey Flinn  
Secretary: Halley Dawkins  
Treasurer: Louis Novotny  
Reporter: Nicole Brown  
Sentinel: Shelby Stevens  
Jr. Advisor: Dylan Johnson  
Advisor: Dr. Stacy Gartin

(Spring Semester)

President: Michael Hicks  
Vice President: Kelsey Flena  
Secretary: Grace Huddleston  
Treasurer: Shelby Stevens  
Reporter: Christina Zircle  
Sentinel: Cat Carrico  
Jr. Advisor: Seth Neal  
Advisor: Dr. Stacy Gartin

**PAST STATE PRESIDENTS  
WEST VIRGINIA FFA ASSOCIATION**

|         |                                |         |                                      |
|---------|--------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| 1928-29 | Bernard Albaugh, Jane Lew      | 1951-52 | Sam Rodgers, Ronceverte              |
| 1929-30 | Ressie Riley, Masontown        | 1952-53 | Donald Cook, Masontown               |
| 1930-31 | Fred Ashburn, Masontown        | 1953-54 | Charles Wellings, Jr., Doddridge Co. |
| 1931-32 | Carl Hunt, Elkview             | 1954-55 | Allen Colebank, University High      |
| 1932-33 | Fred Smith, Masontown          | 1955-56 | William Collins, Terra Alta          |
| 1933-34 | Stuart Watts, Frankford        | 1956-57 | Calvin McCutcheon, Spencer           |
| 1934-35 | Stuart Watts, Frankford        | 1957-58 | Robert Kelly, University High        |
| 1935-36 | Harry Born, Masontown          | 1958-59 | Dale Childs, Kingwood                |
| 1936-37 | Paul Nay, Unidis               | 1959-60 | David Gaines, Troy                   |
| 1937-38 | Walter Jordan, Cairo           | 1960-61 | Jimmy Wyatt, Spanishburg             |
| 1938-39 | Howard Miller, Spencer         | 1961-62 | Randall McCutcheon, Spencer          |
| 1939-40 | Elmer Denis, Moundsville       | 1962-63 | James Teets, Terra Alta              |
| 1940-41 | John Conley, Spencer           | 1963-64 | David Childs, Kingwood               |
| 1941-42 | Harold Gum, Green Bank         | 1964-65 | Ronald Layton, Terra Alta            |
| 1942-43 | Gibson Fair, Cameron           | 1965-66 | Steve Hunter, Frankford-Renick       |
| 1943-44 | Paul Nesselroad, Ravenswood    | 1966-67 | David Zinn, Masontown                |
| 1944-45 | Howard Dorsey, Nicholas County | 1967-68 | Michael Lemons, Buffalo Valley       |
| 1945-46 | Sherman Beard, Martinsburg     | 1968-69 | Tom McConnell, Terra Alta            |
| 1946-47 | Gus Douglass, Pt. Pleasant     | 1969-70 | Fred Okes, Shady Spring              |
| 1947-48 | Robert Cook, Walton            | 1970-71 | Robert Crank, Ripley                 |
| 1948-49 | Fred Butler, Bunker Hill       | 1971-72 | Ronald Childs, Kingwood              |
| 1949-50 | J. Rogers Fike, Aurora         | 1972-73 | Leon Cooper, Shady Spring            |
| 1950-51 | Charles Radabaugh, Weston      | 1973-74 | Gary Kelley, Ripley                  |
|         |                                | 1974-75 | Bill Robertson, Kingwood             |

1975-76 Mark Booth, Buffalo  
1976-77 David Bourgeois, Ripley  
1977-78 Frank Renick, Mannington  
1978-79 Charles Wilfong, Pocahontas County  
1979-80 Jim Eisentrout, Bruceton Mills  
1980-81 Anthony Potorti, Greenbrier East  
1981-82 Richard Linton, Hedgesville  
1982-83 Duane Adams, South Harrison  
1983-84 Brian Thomas, Bruceton Mills  
1984-85 Tom Hart Taylor County  
1985-86 Lou Ann Perkins, Greenbrier East  
1986-87 Micky Elmore, Union  
1987-88 Roy Hedrick, Petersburg  
1988-89 David Sharp, Pocahontas County  
1989-90 Jason Hughes, Ravenswood  
1990-91 Sandra Harris, Ripley  
1991-92 Ben Cummings, Walton  
1992-93 Alecia Larew, Preston County  
1993-94 Wayne Griffith, Ritchie County  
1994-95 Isaac Lewis, Mineral County  
1995-96 Lesley Larew, Preston County  
1996-97 Kevin Okes, Shady Spring  
1997-98 Kathy Duffield, Clay County  
1998-99 Roger Hanshaw, Clay County  
1999-00 Tyrell Childers, St. Marys  
2000-01 Ashley Roomsburg, Hampshire County  
2001-02 Nathan Taylor, Ravenswood  
2002-03 Charlie Bennett, Ripley  
2003-04 Amy VanCamp, Tyler  
2004-05 Jonathan Pinson, Ravenswood  
2005-06 Danielle Hall, Ripley  
2006-07 Adam Judy, Moorefield  
2007-08 Katlyn Hendershot, Tyler  
2008-09 Derek Garrett, Lewis County  
2009-10 Jada Hostuttler, Musselman  
2010-11 John Lockhart, Taylor County  
2011-12 Wesley Davis, Mason County  
2012-13 David Chaney, Hampshire County  
2013-14 Dylan Frazier, Wirt County

**SOUTHERN STATES COOPERATIVE  
AGRICULTURAL LEADERSHIP AWARD**

|      |                                  |      |                                   |
|------|----------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|
| 1961 | Eugene A. Grow, Parkersburg      | 1987 | John D. Bennett, Gilmer County    |
| 1962 | D.P. Plymale, Buffalo Valley     | 1988 | Leonard W. Spiker, Mineral County |
| 1963 | Frank McConnell, Terra Alta      | 1989 | Ronald W. Grimes, Lavalette       |
| 1964 | Clifford I. Dunn, Point Pleasant | 1990 | Dr. Layle D. Lawrence, Morgantown |
| 1965 | Richard J. Glass, Masontown      | 1991 | Roger L. Shaver, Elizabeth        |
| 1966 | Robert E. Via, Talcott           | 1992 | Michael Yokum, Circleville        |
| 1967 | Ray B. Brown, Cameron            | 1993 | Dr. Larry W. Watson, Mannington   |
| 1968 | W.H. Wayman, Charleston          | 1994 | John K. Saville, Augusta          |
| 1969 | Alvin Porterfield, Lewisburg     | 1995 | Lloyd L. Earnest, Cameron         |
| 1970 | Bliss L. Hildreth, Spencer       | 1996 | Paul L. Cummings, Roane County    |
| 1971 | Clayborne D. Campbell, Union     | 1997 | Alan P. Whetzel, Mineral County   |
| 1972 | Dr. R.C. Butler, Morgantown      | 1998 | Phillip B. Winters, Wirt County   |
| 1973 | Dr. Warren G. Kelly, Morgantown  | 1999 | William C. West, Ripley           |
| 1974 | Carl S. Thomas, Charleston       | 2000 | D. Mitchell Fincham, Jefferson    |
| 1975 | Glenn Riddle, South Harrison     | 2001 | J. Robert Knotts, Mineral County  |
| 1976 | Dr. O. Claude McGhee, Morgantown | 2002 | David Bourgeois, Ripley           |
| 1977 | Guy E. Cain, Charleston          | 2003 | Dr. Stacy A. Gartin, Morgantown   |
| 1978 | Glen McKeever, Lewisburg         | 2004 | Dr. Kerry Odell, Morgantown       |
| 1979 | Paul K. Silcott, Weston          | 2005 | Paul Cummings, Roane County       |
| 1980 | James E. Ash, Middlebourne       | 2006 | Keith R. Burdette, Ripley         |
| 1981 | Donald L. Michael, Ravenswood    | 2007 | Dr. Harry Boone, Morgantown       |
| 1982 | C.W. Stemple, Bruceton           | 2008 | Bill Chaney, Hampshire County     |
| 1983 | Virgil L Wilkins, Hundred        | 2009 | Carol Webb, Mineral County        |
| 1984 | Oscar J. Harris, Ripley          | 2010 | Jason E. Hughes, Ravenswood       |
| 1985 | Donald G. Stephens, Ravenswood   | 2011 | Connie Scarbrough, Mt. Alto       |
| 1986 | Nelson T. Dailey, Renick         | 2012 | E. A. Leatherman, Purgitsville    |
|      |                                  | 2013 | Jim Workman, Spencer              |
|      |                                  |      | Paul Roomsburg, Augusta           |

## West Virginia Schools and Agriculture Teachers 2013-2014

| School                                   | Name  |
|--|---|
| Berkeley Springs High School             | David Aberegg   |
| Braxton County High School               | Burke Friend, Rebecca Winegardner                         |
| Buckhannon Upshur High School            | Connie McClung Scarbrough, Joseph Hymes                   |
| Buffalo High School                      | Danielle Grant  |
| Cabell Midland High School               | Brian Clagg, Trevor Cummings, Mary E. Phillips            |
| Calhoun High School                      | Donald Poage  |
| Calhoun-Gilmer Career Center             | Leigha McIntyre Smith                                     |
| Cameron High School                      | Hattie Debolt, John Lockhart                              |
| Carver Career Center                     | Sandra W. Lynch   |
| Charles Town Middle School               | Kristin Friend  |
| Clay Co. High School                     | Jada Adkins, Robert Morris                                |
| Clay-Battelle Middle/Senior HS           | Kent Saul   |
| Doddridge County High School             | Shannon Boswell   |
| East Hardy High School                   | Rodney Hardman  |
| East Hardy Middle School                 | Jill W. Crossland   |
| Elkins High School                       | Wendy Thurston  |
| Fayette Institute of Technology          | Patrick Bennett   |
| Frankfort High School                    | John I. Ritchie   |
| Gilmer County High School                | Nicholas Cox  |
| Greenbrier East High School              | Jeff Lee, Samantha Richardson                             |
| Greenbrier West High School              | Sandra Byers  |
| Hampshire High School                    | Bill Chaney, Isaac Lewis, Lisa Moreland, Ronald E. Watson |
| Hannan High School                       | Matthew Douthit   |
| Harman High School                       | Vacant  |
| Hedgesville High School                  | Chris VanDyne Sr.   |
| Hundred High School                      | Matthew "Scott" Ash                                       |
| Jefferson High School                    | D. Mitchell Fincham, Jeremy Greene                        |
| John Marshall High School                | Nicole Shipman  |
| Lewis County High School                 | Diana Garrett   |
| Liberty (Harrison) High School           | Brianne McCauley, Joshua Porto                            |
| Liberty High School (Raleigh)            | Kevin Okes  |
| Lincoln County High School               | Ashley Butler   |
| Lincoln High School (Harrison)           | Brandon Sollars   |
| Magnolia High School                     | John Smith  |
| Marion County Tech. Center               | Dr. Larry W. Watson                                       |
| Martinsburg High School                  | Adam Cook   |
| Mason County Career Center               | Tim Kidwell, Sam Nibert                                   |
| Mercer County Technical Education Center | Phylcia Saul  |
| Mineral County Tech Center               | Charlie Bennett, Julie Sions, Carol W. Webb               |
| Monroe County Tech Center                | Jamie Snider  |
| Moorefield High School                   | Jeremy Crossland  |
| Moorefield Middle School                 | Roy P. Harper   |
| Mt. Olive Correctional Center            | Danny Dewhurst  |
| Musselman High School                    | Gregory Huffman   |
| Nicholas Co. Career & Tech Ctr.          | Samantha Anderson, Jerry Hamrick                          |

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Pendleton Co. High School         | Ron Hudson  |
| Petersburg High School            | Melissa Whetzel                                   |
| Philip Barbour High School        | Gene Hovatter                                     |
| Philip Barbour High School        | Ray Freeman                                       |
| Pocahontas County High School     | Erwin Berry, Scott Garber                         |
| Preston High School               | Eric B. Frederick, A. Ronald Wilson, Laah Wolford |
| Ravenswood High School            | Jason Miihlbach, Tara Tatalovich                  |
| Ripley High School                | Craig Canterbury, John Kessell, Timothy Reed      |
| Ritchie County High School        | Allyson Peters Lewis                              |
| Roane County High School          | Danny Cummings, Ben Hays, Wendy Knopp             |
| Roane-Jackson Tech. Ctr.          | John Fichtner                                     |
| Robert C. Byrd High School        | Casey Miner                                       |
| Shady Spring High School          | James May, Joseph McDougal                        |
| Shepherdstown Middle School       | William Cleaver                                   |
| Sherrard Middle School            | John Postlethwait                                 |
| South Harrison High School        | Matthew W. Knopp                                  |
| Spring Mills High School          | Tyler Butts                                       |
| St. Marys High School             | Tyrell Childers                                   |
| Summers County High School        | Kathy Duffield                                    |
| Taylor County Tech. /Grafton H.S. | Steve Tennant                                     |
| Tucker County High School         | Terry Hauser                                      |
| Tug Valley High School            | Angie Fisher                                      |
| Tygart Valley High School         | Lee Wright  |
| Tyler Consolidated High School    | Robert (Bob) L. Allen III, Leon Ammons            |
| Union Education Complex           | Cody Dent   |
| University High School            | Whitney Porter                                    |
| Valley High School                | Annie Hall  |
| Washington High School            | Timothy Cunnien, Katlin Thorsell                  |
| Wildwood Middle School            | Charity Marstiller                                |
| Wirt County High School           | John Workman                                      |
| Wood County Technical Center      | Kari Brown  |
| WV School for the Deaf & Blind    | Brent Ebert, Veronica Milliken                    |