

Breanna Jean Pekula is a fourth-generation resident of St. Joseph's Catholic Settlement located in Proctor, West Virginia, where her family lives on a 500-acre Limousin/Angus Cross beef cattle farm. She began her FFA career at Cameron High/Middle School's FFA Chapter. Her advisors were Mrs. Hattie DeBolt, Mr. John Lockhart, and Mr. Donald Poage. She has held the offices of Vice President and the following year, President. Breanna has been an active 4-H member in the Evershining 4-H Club and Marshall County 4-H since she was nine-years-old. The FFA allowed her to start her own legacy, aside from her father's FBLA background, and mother's 4-H history.

Breanna's SAEs include market hogs, market lambs, and ham and bacon hogs. She has shown at the Marshall County Fair and at the Marshall County and State Ham, Bacon, and Egg Shows. She has received 1st class placing in hog confirmation and many showman placings over her years of participation in the Marshall County Livestock Club.

In addition to her work in the FFA, Breanna was a member of the FBLA, NTHS, Marshall County Teen Leaders, CHS Cheerleading Captain, CHS Softball Captain, Marshall County Special Olympics Peer Tutor, Rachel's Challenge, and Drug Free Clubs of America. She also has competed in the 2017 and 2018 West Virginia Association of Fairs and Festivals Pageant located in Charleston, where she placed as a Semi-Finalist in the 2018 state pageant. Breanna is currently a freshman at West Virginia University, where she is attending the Reed College of Media, studying public relations.

This upcoming year of service as State Secretary, Breanna hopes to pass on her love and dedication for the organization onto future agriculturists and promote the WV FFA Alumni Association at the national, state, and local levels.