

# 95<sup>th</sup> Kansas FFA Convention Schedule -- DRAFT

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## Convention Locations:

Justin Hall	1324 Lovers Ln
Kansas Dept. of Ag	1320 Research Park Dr
K-State Union	918 N. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive
McCain Auditorium	1501 Goldstein Cir
Agronomy Education Center	2200 Kimball Ave

- **College of Agriculture Interactive workshops** will be scheduled Wednesday and Thursday **\*\*Registration Required\*\***
- **Workshops** – Career Exploration, Leadership and Agriculture workshops will be scheduled on Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
- **Service Activities** – Will be scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday **\*\*Registration Required\*\***
- **\*\*NEW\*\* Administrator Experience** – Conversations about Agricultural Education/ FFA model and integration of the experience in the school. Get a behind the scenes tour of how FFA members engage in leadership experiences.
- **\*\*NEW\*\* Blue & Gold Conclave** – Similar to the Showcase experiences at National FFA Convention & Expo, Kansas FFA members will be invited to share about their Agriscience projects, SAEs, and National Chapter activities.

## Tuesday – May 30

8:00 am	State Officer Candidate Process
8:30 am	State Band Check-In, McCain Auditorium
8:30 am	State Chorus Check-In, McCain Auditorium
9:00 am	State Band Rehearsal
9:00 am	State Chorus Rehearsal
12:00 noon	Parliamentary Procedure Leadership Development Event
1:00 pm	State Band Rehearsal
1:00 pm	State Chorus Rehearsal
2:00 pm	Ritual Demonstration Leadership Development Event

## Wednesday – May 31

8:00 am	State Officer Candidate Process
8:00 am	Prepared Public Speaking Leadership Development Event
8:00 am	Extemporaneous Public Speaking Leadership Development Event
8:00 am	Parliamentary Procedure Event Finals
9:00 am	State Band Rehearsal – McCain Auditorium

9:00 am	State Chorus Rehearsal – McCain Auditorium
10:00 am	Leadership Development Workshop: Karstyn Cantrell, Central Region National FFA Vice President
10:30 am	Ag Issues Forum Leadership Development Event
10:45 am	Kansas FFA Opportunity Fair
11:00 am	Convention Registration Opens – McCain Auditorium Lobby
11:00 am	Novice Parliamentary Procedure Event
11:00 am	Employment Skills Leadership Development Event
11:30 am	<i>Growing the Base</i> Advisor (Foundation) Update Meeting
12:00 pm	Convention Delegate Process – K-State Union
	<b>**Dress code for delegate activities is Official Dress.**</b>
1:00 pm	Creed Public Speaking Leadership Development Event
1:00 pm	Leadership Quiz Bowl Event with Finals
2:00 pm	Leadership Workshop: Karstyn Cantrell, Central Region National FFA Vice President
2:00 pm	Deadline to submit scrapbooks for evaluation – McCain Auditorium, Convention Registration Desk
3:00 pm	Leadership Workshop: Karstyn Cantrell, Central Region National FFA Vice President
3:00 pm	Creed Public Speaking Leadership Development Event Finals
3:00 pm	Courtesy Corps Meeting – McCain Auditorium Lobby
5:45 pm	District Officer McCain Preview

We ask all session attendees to please stay seated throughout the entire session and award winners to return to their seats after being on stage.

**Note: Attire in McCain Auditorium will be Official Dress.**

**Members receiving recognition on the auditorium stage must be in proper Official Dress**

## **OPENING SESSION, McCain Auditorium** **\*\*Delegates seated & roll called\*\***

7:00 pm	Posting of Colors National Anthem Opening Ceremony Welcome to Kansas State University Presentation of Chapter Charters Creed Speaking Awards Retiring Address Parliamentary Procedure Awards – Novice & Senior Ritual Demonstration Recognition Presentation of State Officer Candidate Speeches Closing Ceremony
9:30 pm	Convention Concert – The Hat in Aggieville ( <i>1315 Laramie St</i> ) <b>**Ticket Required**</b> <i>Each local chapter advisor will receive one free advisor's ticket (non-transferable) with the purchase of ten (10) tickets.</i>

Dress code for the concert is as follows:

- Jeans of a solid color with no logos, designs, rips, or holes with either unaltered (1) Kansas FFA issued or purchased t-shirt; (2) Chapter FFA issued or purchased shirt; (3) a FFA event issued or purchased t-shirt or (4) button-down/ collared shirt.
- No midriiffs exposed.
- No shorts allowed.

*Members arriving at the concert in clothing that does not meet the above listed code will not be allowed to enter until dressed appropriately.*

## **Thursday – June 1**

7:00 am Convention Registration Reopens – McCain Auditorium  
 7:00-8:30 am State Officer Candidate Breakfast – McCain Auditorium, Loft  
 8:00 am Nominating Committee reports to KDA, works until done

### **SECOND SESSION, McCain Auditorium**

8:30 am Opening Ceremony – Presented by winning chapter of Ritual LDE  
 Innovative Ideas in Building Communities  
 Retiring Address  
 Presentation of the Kansas FFA Foundation Board  
 Leadership Information Recognition  
 Recognition of SAE Grant Recipients – National and State  
 KAAE Essay Awards  
 Recognizing Teacher Service to KAAE and Districts  
 Special Keynote  
 State Proficiency Award Recognition – *Areas included: Agricultural Communications through and including Environmental Science and Natural Resources*  
 Closing Ceremony

9:00 am Marketing Plan Career Development Event  
 10:00 am Discussion Meet Finals  
 11:00 am Extemporaneous Public Speaking Finals  
 12:00 noon Proficiency Award Luncheon – K-State Alumni Center (100 Alumni Center, 1720 Anderson Avenue), Ballroom  
**\*\*Ticket Required\*\***  
 1:00 pm Prepared Public Speaking Finals

### **THIRD SESSION, McCain Auditorium**

2:00 pm Opening Ceremony  
 State Proficiency Award Winners – *Areas included: Equine Science - Entrepreneurship through and including Wildlife Production and Management*  
 Retiring Address  
 Recognition of Kansas FFA Foundation Sponsors  
 Recognition of Chapter Seed Program  
 Scrapbook Awards

Employment Skills Recognition  
 Agriscience Student Recognition  
 Innovative Ideas in Growing Leaders  
 Recognition of Presidential CTE Scholars  
 Special Remarks  
 Scholarships – Alumni and WLC  
 John Deere Gator Finalist Drawing  
 Closing Ceremony

5:30 pm State Convention Band & Chorus Concert – McCain Auditorium

### **FOURTH SESSION, McCain Auditorium**

7:00 pm Opening Ceremony  
 Retiring Address  
 Honorary State FFA Degree Ceremony  
 Distinguished Service Presentations  
 Recognition of Discussion Meet Winners  
 Recognition of Ag Issues Forum  
 Extemporaneous Speaking Recognition  
 Prepared Public Speaking Recognition  
 Innovative Ideas in Strengthening Agriculture  
 Keynote Speaker  
 Closing Ceremony

9:00 pm FFA Alumni Dodgeball – Chester E. Peters Recreation Complex, Kansas State University **\*\*Registration Required\*\***

### **Friday – June 2**

7:15 am Convention Registration Opens – McCain Auditorium

### **FIFTH SESSION, McCain Auditorium**

8:00 am Opening Ceremony  
 Retiring Address  
 Recognition of National Chapter (walkthrough Bronze, Silver, Gold)  
 State of the State Remarks – Mr. Guy Shoulders, State FFA Advisor  
 Leadership Quiz Bowl Awards  
 Recognition of Marketing Plan  
 Recognition of Kansas Chapters Participating in National Career Development Events and High  
 Individuals  
 Recognition of Career Development Events Sweepstakes Winners  
 Scholarships – Ford & National  
 Delegate Committee Reports (If Needed)

New Business (If Needed)

Closing Ceremony

10:00 am Past State Officer Reunion – K-State Alumni Center, Ballroom A&D

## SIXTH SESSION, McCain Auditorium

10:30 am Opening Ceremony

Special Remarks - Kaden and Emily Roush, R Family Farms, Lebanon

State FFA Degree Ceremony

Drawing for Gator Giveaway (must be present and in Official Dress to win)

Closing Ceremonies

State FFA Degree Picture – McCain Auditorium *(Immediately following the close of the session)*

12:00 noon Stars Over Kansas Luncheon – K-State Alumni Center, Ballroom A&D **\*\*Ticket Required\*\***

## SEVENTH SESSION, McCain Auditorium **\*\*Delegates seated & roll called\*\***

2:00 pm Opening Ceremony

State Convention Band

Retiring Address – Karlie Albright, State President

Special Foundation Announcement

Presentation of Triple Crown Awards (top 10 on stage)

Presentation of Garlow Memorial Trophy

State Convention Chorus

“Stars over Kansas” Pageant

Election of 2023-2024 State FFA Officers

Recognition of Past State FFA Officers

Installation of 2023-2024 State FFA Officers

Greetings – New State President

Closing Ceremony

Blue & Gold Celebration – Berney Family Welcome Center, Grand Hall

**\*\*20 minutes following the close of the Final Session\*\***