



HIGHLIGHT SCHEDULE

MAY 28-30 | KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

Wednesday, May 28

11 a.m. - Opportunity Fair
11 a.m. - Convention Registration Opens
11 a.m. - McDonald's Blue & Gold Conclave #1
Noon - Delegate Process Begins
12:30 p.m. - Service Activities

7 p.m. OPENING SESSION

- Chapter Charters Presentation
- Creed Speaking & Spanish Creed Recognition
- Retiring Address: Quinn Browning
- Senior Parliamentary Procedure Awards
- Conduct of Meetings Recognition
- State Officer Candidate Speeches

9 p.m. - FFA Night at LEAP
9:30 p.m. - Concert at The Hat, Aggieville (ticket required)

Thursday, May 29

7 a.m. Convention Registration Opens

8:30 a.m. SECOND GENERAL SESSION

- Conduct of Chapter Meetings: Opening
- Innovative Ideas in Building Communities
- Retiring Address: Hayley Hines
- Leadership & SAE Recognition
- Nationwide Golden Owl Award
- State Proficiency Awards: Agricultural Communications–Environmental Science

Noon - Proficiency Award Luncheon

12:30 p.m. - McDonald's Blue & Gold Conclave #2

2 p.m. THIRD GENERAL SESSION

- State Proficiency Awards: Equine Science–Wildlife Production & Management
- Retiring Address: Mason Springer
- Foundation Sponsor & Chapter Seed Program Recognition
- Scrapbook Awards
- Employability Skills & Agriscience Recognition
- Remarks: Caroline Groth, National FFA VP
- John Deere Gator Finalist Drawing

5:30 p.m. - Band and Chorus Concert

Thursday, May 29 (CONT.)

7 p.m. FOURTH GENERAL SESSION

- Retiring Address: Natalee Bray
- Honorary State FFA Degree Ceremony
- VIP Citation
- Discussion Meet, Ag Issues Recognition
- Extemporaneous & Prepared Speaking Awards
- Innovative Ideas in Strengthening Agriculture
- Keynote Speaker: A'ric Jackson

9 p.m. - IGNITE THE NIGHT at the Rec

Friday, May 30

7 a.m. Convention Registration Opens

8 a.m. FIFTH GENERAL SESSION

- 25th Anniversary Officer Team Opening
- Retiring Address: Zoë Rhodes
- National Chapter Recognition (Bronze–Gold)
- State of the State Address
- Marketing Plan Recognition
- CDE Participants & Sweepstakes Winners
- Scholarships: Ford, State, and National

10:30 a.m. - Hands-On Service Activities

11 a.m. - Past State Officers Reunion

12:30 p.m. - McDonald's Blue & Gold Conclave #3

10:30 a.m. SIXTH GENERAL SESSION

- Special Remarks: Alyssa Walsh
- State FFA Degree Ceremony
- Gator Giveaway

Noon - Stars Over Kansas Award Luncheon

2 p.m. SEVENTH GENERAL SESSION

- State Convention Band Performance
- Retiring Address: Jory Ratzlaff
- Triple Crown & Garlow Trophy
- State Convention Chorus Performance
- Stars Over Kansas Pageant
- Election & Installation of 2025–26 Officers



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SPONSOR AND SPECIAL GUEST INFORMATION

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Kansas FFA empowers students through agricultural education to become leaders in their communities and careers. With over 232 chapters statewide, members gain hands-on experiences that inspire personal growth and lifelong success.

Each year, the Kansas FFA State Convention celebrates these achievements—bringing together thousands of members for competitions, recognition, and leadership development.

We're incredibly grateful for your support as a sponsor and special guest. Your partnership helps us grow the next generation of leaders in agriculture and beyond.

PARKING INFORMATION

Sponsors and special guests attending the Kansas FFA Convention can park on the Kansas State University campus by visiting Parking Services at the K-State Student Union to purchase a daily parking pass.

Alternatively, you may park in the parking garage or designated visitor lots using the [ParkMobile app](#). To use the app, simply download it on your smartphone, create an account, enter the zone number listed on the parking sign, select your desired time, and pay directly through the app. This convenient option allows for quick and flexible parking throughout your visit.



SESSION AND BANQUET LOCATIONS

All Kansas FFA Convention sessions will be held in McCain Auditorium on the Kansas State University campus. Sponsors will have reserved seating during the sessions in which they are presenting awards, and our convention staff will assist with seating upon arrival.

In addition to the sessions, we invite sponsors to attend two special events: the Proficiency Award Luncheon on Thursday, May 29th at noon, and the Stars Over Kansas Award Luncheon on Friday, May 30th at noon—both hosted at the K-State Alumni Center.

CONVENTION ATTIRE

The Kansas FFA Convention is a business casual to business professional event, and we encourage our sponsors and special guests to dress accordingly. Our student members will be proudly wearing their official FFA dress, a symbol of their dedication, professionalism, and pride in representing agricultural education. Your presence alongside them helps set the tone for this meaningful celebration.

MEDIA AND SOCIAL MEDIA

Following the convention, press releases will be distributed to statewide, regional, and local media outlets to highlight key moments and achievements. The Kansas FFA Foundation will also provide these releases directly to your organization, allowing you to share them with your preferred media contacts as appropriate.

To stay connected with all the excitement during convention week, follow the Kansas FFA Association on Facebook and Instagram. We'll be posting highlights, award announcements, and behind-the-scenes content throughout the event. Sponsors are encouraged to join the conversation and share their own experiences using the official hashtag #ksffa2025.

STREAMING PLATFORM

If members of your organization are unable to attend the Kansas FFA Convention in person but want to follow along with the award ceremonies and key moments, they can join us virtually through AcresTV. Be part of the celebration by streaming the sessions live—just create a free account at www.watchacrestv.com and tune in from anywhere!

CONTACT INFORMATION

To stay up to date with the full Kansas FFA Convention schedule, please visit our website at www.ksffa.org/programs/kansas-ffa-convention, where information is continually being updated.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Beth Gaines, Executive Director of the Kansas FFA Foundation at beth@kansasffaoundation.org.

We're honored to have you join us and look forward to celebrating the achievements of our members together.

