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Welcome to the 95th annual Montana FFA State Convention! We are so excited to be back here in Bozeman on the beautiful MSU campus where we will be ***Treasuring the Tradition*** of 95 years of FFA in the Big Sky.

Because of all of our wonderful sponsors, this year's convention is going to be bigger and better than ever!

On behalf of the Montana FFA Association, we wish the best of luck to all competitors and hope everyone has an enjoyable experience at convention.

### ***2024-2025 State Officer Team***

## 2024-2025 STATE OFFICERS



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# Convention Schedule

## Tuesday, April 1

<b>Employment Skills LDE</b> <i>SUB - Rooms 223 &amp; 235</i>	<b>12:00 - 3:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Ag Issues LDE</b> <i>SUB - Ballroom B</i>	<b>12:00 - 3:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Meats CDE</b> <i>Fairgrounds</i>	<b>12:00 - 4:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Ag Communications CDE</b> <i>SUB - Legacy Lounge &amp; Fireplace Room</i>	<b>2:00 - 5:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Environmental &amp; Natural Resources CDE</b> <i>Fairgrounds</i>	<b>3:00 - 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>JAAM project drop off</b> <i>Fieldhouse</i>	<b>3:00 - 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Agricultural Sales CDE</b> <i>Fairgrounds</i>	<b>3:00 - 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>MSU Sponsored Ag Olympics</b> <i>SUB Ballrooms A,B,C,D</i>	<b>7:30 p.m.</b>

## Convention Resources

<b>Association Office</b> <i>SUB 234/236</i>	<b>Alumni Store</b> <i>Fireplace Room</i>
<b>Hospitality Room</b> <i>SUB 230</i>	<b>Alumni Silent Auction</b> <i>Fireplace Room</i>

# Wednesday, April 2

<b>Parli Pro &amp; Conduct of Meetings TEST</b> <i>Procrastinator Theater</i>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Star Candidate Interviews</b> <i>SUB Room 230 &amp; 232</i>	<b>4:00 - 5:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Conduct of Meetings LDE</b> <i>SUB Rooms 233 &amp; 235</i>	<b>8:00 - 9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Jr. Creed Speaking LDE Preliminary Round</b> <i>SUB 223, 235, Ballrooms C &amp; D</i>	<b>4:15 - 5:15 p.m.</b>
<b>JAAM Project drop off</b> <i>Field House - South Side</i>	<b>8:00 - 9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Alumni &amp; Supporters Meeting</b> <i>Fireplace Room</i>	<b>4:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Marketing Plan CDE</b> <i>Ballroom B</i>	<b>8:00 - 11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>State Officer Candidate Test</b> <i>Ballroom B</i>	<b>4:30 - 5:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Employment Skills Finals</b> <i>SUB Room 232</i>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Parliamentary Procedure LDE Semi-Final Round</b> <i>Ballroom D &amp; Alumni Legacy Lounge</i> <b>Holding Room: Procrastinator Theater</b>	<b>5:00 - 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>JAAM Show &amp; Awards</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>10:00 - 1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Agriscience Fair Judging</b> <i>Ballroom A</i>	<b>5:00 - 6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Convention Registration</b> <i>SUB Lobby</i>	<b>12:00 - 5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Extemporaneous Prep</b> <i>Pro Lounge</i>	<b>5:00 - 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Hall of Chapters Setup</b> <i>Ballroom A &amp; Hallway between Ballrooms and Rooms 233/235</i>	<b>12:00 - 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Extemporaneous Speaking LDE Preliminary Round</b> <i>Alumni Lounge, 233, 235, Ballroom D</i>	<b>5:30 - 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Forestry CDE</b> <i>Meet in front of Romney Gym</i>	<b>12:00 - 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Talent Contestant Meeting</b> <i>Ballroom C</i>	<b>5:30 - 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Farm &amp; Agribusiness Management CDE</b> <i>Inspiration Hall - Norm Asbjornson Building</i>	<b>12:15 - 2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Tech Corps Meeting</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>5:30 - 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>FFA Career and Trade Show</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>1:00 - 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Courtesy Corps Meeting</b> <i>Ballroom B</i>	<b>6:00 - 6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Nominating Committee Orientation</b> <i>Hall of Fame Room - Field House Lobby</i>	<b>1:00 - 5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Pre-Session Activities</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Prepared Speaking LDE</b> <i>Procrastinator, SUB 233/235, Ballroom C&amp;D</i>	<b>1:30 - 2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>State Officer Candidate Interviews</b> <i>Hall of Fame Room - Field House Lobby</i> <b>Hot Box: Hall of Fame Room - Field House Lobby</b>	<b>7:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Agriscience Fair Setup</b> <i>Ballroom A</i>	<b>2:30 - 4:30 p.m.</b>	<b>1st General Session</b> <i>Field House</i> <b>Sponsored by: Farmers Union Insurance and MT Army National Guard</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Parliamentary Procedure LDE Preliminary Round</b> <i>Alumni &amp; Fireplace Room, Ballroom B, SUB 236</i> <b>Holding Room: Procrastinator Theater</b>	<b>2:30 - 4:30 p.m.</b>		
<b>Creed Speaking LDE Preliminary Round</b> <i>SUB 233, 235, Ballroom C &amp; D</i>	<b>3:00 - 4:00 p.m.</b>		
<b>Poultry CDE</b> <i>Inspiration Hall - Norm Asbjornson Building</i>	<b>3:00 - 6:00 p.m.</b>		

# Thursday, April 3

<b>Hot Box for State Officer Candidates</b> <i>Hall of Fame Room/Field House Lobby</i>	<b>7:00 - 11:30 p.m.</b>	<b>MAAE Meeting</b> <i>SUB Room 233/235</i>	<b>9:30 -10:45 a.m.</b>
<b>State Officer Candidate Interviews</b> <i>Hall of Fame Room/Field House Lobby</i>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Student Success Workshop</b> <i>Montana Farmers Union Ballroom C</i>	<b>10:00-10:45 a.m.</b>
<b>Livestock Evaluation Check In</b> <i>Fairgrounds</i>	<b>7:15 - 8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>FFA Career and Trade Show</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>10:00 - 5:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Food Science CDE</b> <i>Inspiration Hall - Norm Asbjornson Building</i>	<b>7:30 - 11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>FFA Advisor &amp; Delegate Luncheon</b> <i>Ballrooms AD</i>	<b>11:00 - 1:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Courtesy Corp Meeting</b> <i>SUB Ballroom A</i>	<b>7:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Tours - Bozeman Area</b> <i>Museum of Rockies (Free)</i>	<b>1:00 - 3:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Livestock Evaluation CDE</b> <i>Fairgrounds</i>	<b>8:00 - 1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Second Delegate Session</b> <i>Grace McPherson, Presiding Field House</i>	<b>1:15 - 2:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Press Corp Meeting</b> <i>SUB Room 236</i>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Student Success Workshop</b> <i>"Farm Finance: A Game Plan for Success" Procrastinator Theater</i>	<b>1:30 - 2:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Talent Judges Meeting</b> <i>SUB Room 234</i>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Advisor Workshop</b> <i>Montana Farmers Union Ballroom C</i>	<b>1:30 - 2:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Farm Bureau Jr Speaking Contest</b> <i>SUB Room 232</i>	<b>8:00 - 10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Agronomy CDE</b> <i>North Mezzanine - Field House</i>	<b>1:30 - 5:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Tours - Bozeman Area</b> <i>Meet at SUB Ballroom Foyer</i>	<b>8:30 - 10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Vet Science CDE</b> <i>Inspiration Hall - Norm Asbjornson Building</i>	<b>1:30 - 5:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Delegate Orientation &amp; First Session</b> <i>Grace McPherson, Presiding Field House</i>	<b>8:30 - 10:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Greenhand Workshop</b> <i>Caroline Groth, National Eastern Region VP Ballroom B</i>	<b>2:00 - 2:45 p.m.</b>
<b>Prepared Speaking LDE Finals</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>8:30 - 9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Agriscience Fair Setup</b> <i>Ballantine &amp; Worden Rooms</i>	<b>2:30 - 4:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Talent Auditions</b> <i>Procrastinator Theater</i>	<b>9:00 - 11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Brian Imbus, Hypnotist</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>3:00 - 4:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Day of Service Activities</b> <i>Conducted by Forsyth &amp; Gardner FFA Meet at Field House</i>	<b>10:00-12:00 p.m. &amp; 1:00-3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>State Officer Candidate Interviews</b> <i>Hall of Fame Room - Field House Lobby</i>	<b>6:30 - 11:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Student Success Workshop</b> <i>Caroline Groth, National Vice President Ballroom C</i>	<b>9:00 - 9:45 a.m.</b>	<b>Pre-Session Activities</b> <i>Field House</i>	<b>6:30 - 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Horse Evaluation CDE Team Problem</b> <i>SUB 168 (Lower Floor)</i>	<b>9:00 - 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>2nd General Session</b> <i>Field House</i> <b>Sponsored by: Pioneer Meats</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>

# Friday, April 4

## Hot Box for State Officer Candidates

Hall of Fame Room/Field House Lobby

7:00 - 11:00 a.m.

## State Officer Candidate Interviews

Hall of Fame Room/Field House Lobby

7:00 a.m.

## Floriculture CDE

North Mezzanine - Field House

7:00 - 11:00 a.m.

## Agricultural Mechanics CDE

Cheever 110 & 111

7:30 - Noon

## MAAE Meeting

Ballroom D

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

## State Star Greenhand Contest

Holding Room: Pro Lounge

Interviews: SUB 232

8:00 - 12:00 p.m.

## Third Delegate Session

Grace McPherson, Presiding

Field House

8:00 - 10:00 a.m.

## Extemporaneous Prep

Field House Room 124

8:30 - 9:45 p.m.

## Extemporaneous Speaking LDE Finals

Field House (Delegate Session)

9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

## Student Success Workshop

Caroline Groth, National Eastern Region VP

Ballroom C

9:00 - 9:45 a.m.

## Ag Teacher Workshop

Ben Meyer, AET

Ballroom D

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.

## FFA Career & Trade Show

Field House

9:00 - 4:00 p.m.

## Tours - Bozeman Area

Meet at Ballroom Foyer

10:00 - Noon

## Chapter Officer Workshop

Caroline Groth, National Eastern Region VP

Ballroom B

11:00-11:45 a.m.

## Parliamentary Procedure LDE Finals

Field House

Holding Room: Field House Room 124

11:00 - 1:00 p.m.

## Alumni Executive Meeting

11:00 - Noon

## Dance Workshop

North Mezzanine - Field House

11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

## Foundation Board Meeting

12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

## Horse Evaluation CDE

Miller Pavilion

12:45 - 4:00 p.m.

## Ag Teacher Workshop

J.R. Pierce, Ag Ambassador

Procrastinator Theater

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

## Student Success Workshop

Soil - Northern Plains Resource Council

Procrastinator Theater

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

## Fourth Delegate Session

Grace McPherson, Presiding

Field House

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

## FFA/American Indian Program Presentations

## Creed Speaking & Jr Creed Speaking LDE

Final Round

Field House

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

## State Degree Dinner

Emma Lou Slivka, Presiding

Ballrooms A, B, C, D

4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

## Pre-Session Activities

Field House

6:15 - 6:45 p.m.

## 3rd General Session

Field House

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6:45 p.m.

## Dance

Ballroom A

9:00 - 11:30 p.m.

# Saturday, April 5

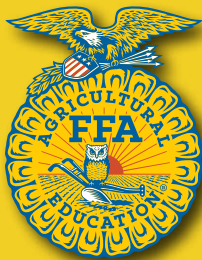
**Pre-Session Activities** 7:30 - 8:00 a.m.  
*Field House*

**4th General Session** 8:00 a.m.  
*Field House*

Sponsored by: *Opportunity Bank*

**New State Officer Lunch/  
Orientation** 12:15 - 2:00 p.m.

Parents & Advisors of new and retiring state officers are invited to attend.  
*SUB Room 233/235*



## Caroline Groth

2024-25 National Eastern Region Vice President  
Kentucky



Caroline Groth joined FFA because of the community it provided. "Throughout middle school, I really struggled to find my people," Groth shared. "FFA finally provided a home."

One of her favorite memories was competing in the Conduct of Chapter Meetings Leadership Development Event during her freshman year. "FFA was totally new

to me, and this was my fast introduction to the world of FFA. I was quickly a parli nerd and was introduced to the vast opportunities that FFA provides."

Her agriculture program at Locust Trace was unique, as many students did not live or work on farms. "Throughout my time in high school, I was able to learn from and serve on teams with individuals from a multitude of backgrounds, races, ethnicities and religions.

I feel that this gave me the skills that can help develop and grow diverse relationships. Through my experiences in FFA, I have come to understand the profound importance of community."

In the year ahead, Groth wants to be the cheerleader for members across the U.S. "One of my favorite quotes comes from Theodore Roosevelt, 'Believe you can, and you're halfway there,' but I think there is something that comes before believing in yourself, and that's having someone who believes in you. I want to be the person who believes in all members and encourages them to share and work toward achieving their goals."

# 2025 State Officer Candidates

**Addison Allen,** *Custer*  
**Autumn Benson,** *Corvallis*  
**Morgan Bisel,** *Corvallis*  
**Tangia Bumgarner,** *Corvallis*  
**Kinzey Clark,** *Missoula*  
**Kaycee Corbin,** *Deer Lodge*  
**Ashton Cornelius,** *Miles City*  
**Johanna DeMars,** *Winifred*  
**Kyra Des Jarlais,** *Stevensville*  
**Elizabeth DeVries,** *Roberts*  
**Kylee Finn,** *Cascade*  
**Nicholas Fletcher,** *Kalispell*  
**Maisie Ford,** *Havre*  
**Savanna Freitas,** *Beaverhead*  
**Grace Fritz,** *Missoula*  
**Eric Garofalo,** *Ruby Valley*  
**Finn Graveley,** *Deer Lodge*  
**Severin Heimbigner,** *Big Sandy*  
**Alizae Howard,** *Roy*  
**Aubrey Kirschten,** *Baker*  
**Kennedy Lyson,** *Baker*  
**Raylee Mariscal,** *Corvallis*  
**Claire Murnin,** *Shepherd*  
**Mary Catherine Nagel,** *Missoula*  
**Kaylee Reid,** *Belgrade*  
**Echo Saunders,** *Gardiner*  
**Travis Schallenberger,** *Carter County*  
**Coleton Sherman,** *Mission Valley*  
**Hailey Snyder,** *Victor*  
**Weston Sondeno,** *Big Timber*  
**Cole Waldusky,** *Conrad*  
**Kyona Yeager,** *Fairfield*  
**Collin Yoshimura,** *Missoula*

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# Cultivating Tradition

**Wednesday**  
*First General Session*

**Presiding:**  
*Jordan Leach*

**Sponsored by:**  
*Farmers Union Insurance*  
*MT Army National Guard*

6:30 p.m. Pre-Session Activities / 7 p.m. Opening Ceremonies

## Vespers Program

### Flag Ceremony

Conrad FFA

### Opening Ceremonies

#### Greetings

Bozeman Mayor

Walter Schweitzer, President  
Montana Farmers Union

#### Introduction of State Officer Candidates

#### Session Sponsor Greeting

Farmers Union Insurance  
Montana Army National Guard

#### Retiring Address

Grace Mosher, State Reporter  
*"Reflection is Yours"*



Grace Mosher  
State Reporter

#### CDE/LDE Awards

#### Montana FFA Alumni

Special Pin Recognition

#### Comments

Caroline Groth  
National Vice President  
Eastern Region



Romulus Hiner  
State 2nd Vice President

#### Retiring Address

Romulus Hiner, 2nd Vice President  
*"Complacency Kills Potential"*

#### State Talent

#### Announcement of "Final Four"

Extemporaneous Speaking  
Prepared Public Speaking  
Parliamentary Procedure  
Creed Speaking  
Junior Creed Speaking

#### Closing Ceremonies

# Treasuring Legacy

**Thursday**  
*Second General Session*

**Presiding:**

**Ryan Bal**

**Sierra Mauland**

**Sponsored by:**

**Pioneer Meats**

## Flag Ceremony

Park City FFA & Big Timber FFA

## Daily Highlights

## Opening Ceremonies

## Greetings

Montana Governor, Greg Gianforte

## Retiring Address

Grace McPherson, State Parliamentarian  
*"The Light Within"*



Grace McPherson  
State Parliamentarian

## Session Sponsor Greetings

Pioneer Meats

## State Officer Advisor Recognition

## Greetings

Alpha Gamma Rho President

## Foundation Introduction and Awards

## Living to Serve/Day of Service Presentations

## Building our Montana Communities Awards

Montana Dept. of Agriculture

## Retiring Address

Reagan Long, State 1st Vice President  
*"Cultivate Your Community"*



Reagan Long  
State 1st Vice President

## TAG Celebration

MSU Ag-Ed Department

## Awards

Chapter Secretary, Treasurer, Reporter & Scrapbook  
Hall of Chapter Awards

## Closing Ceremonies

# Treasuring SUCCESS

**Friday**  
*Third General Session*

**Presiding:**  
**Reagan Long**  
**Grace Mosher**

**Sponsored by:**  
**Stockman Bank**

6:15 p.m. Pre-Session Activities / 6:45 p.m. Opening Ceremonies

## Daily Highlights

### Flag Ceremony

Shields Valley FFA & Shepherd FFA Chapters

## Opening Ceremonies

### Session Sponsor Greetings

Stockman Bank

### Retiring Address

**Sierra Mauland**, State Treasurer  
*"The Selfishness of Wasted Potential"*



**Sierra Mauland**  
State Treasurer

### State Talent Awards & Performance

### Awards Program

Chase Rose & Lane Nordlund, Emcees  
FFA/American Indian Program Awards  
Junior & Senior Creed  
Star Greenhand  
Extemporaneous & Prepared Public Speaking  
Proficiency Awards

### FFA Creed Presentation

State Creed Speaking Winner

### Retiring Address

**Ryan Bal**, State Sentinel  
*"The Strength in My Secrets"*



**Ryan Bal**  
State Sentinel

### State FFA Degree Presentation

### Stars over Montana Pageant

### Closing Ceremonies

# Our Tradition

**Saturday**  
*Fourth General Session*

**Presiding:**  
**Romulus Hiner**

**Sponsored by:**  
**Opportunity Bank**

## Convention Highlights

**Flag Ceremony**  
*Wheatland FFA Chapter*

## Opening Ceremonies

**Delegate Business Report**  
**Grace McPherson**

**Session Sponsor Greetings**  
**Opportunity Bank**

## Recognition of Past State Officer Teams

**Retiring Address**  
**Emma Lou Slivka**, State Secretary  
*"Are You Unloved"*



**Emma Lou Slivka**  
State Secretary

## American Degree Recognition

## State Officer Parent Recognition

## Honorary State Degree Ceremony

**Retiring Address**  
**Jordan Leach**, State President  
*"Life's a Dance"*



**Jordan Leach**  
State President

**CDE Awards**  
**State Officers**

## Nominating Committee Report

## State Talent Presentation

## Installation of New Officers

## 2024-2025 State Officer Review

## Closing Ceremonies



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Corvallis

**Brady Foos**  
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**Hailey Goroski**  
Dawson

**Connley Hoagland**  
Dawson

**Sylvia Hoffman**  
Fromberg

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Missoula

**Nick McAllister**  
Hot Springs

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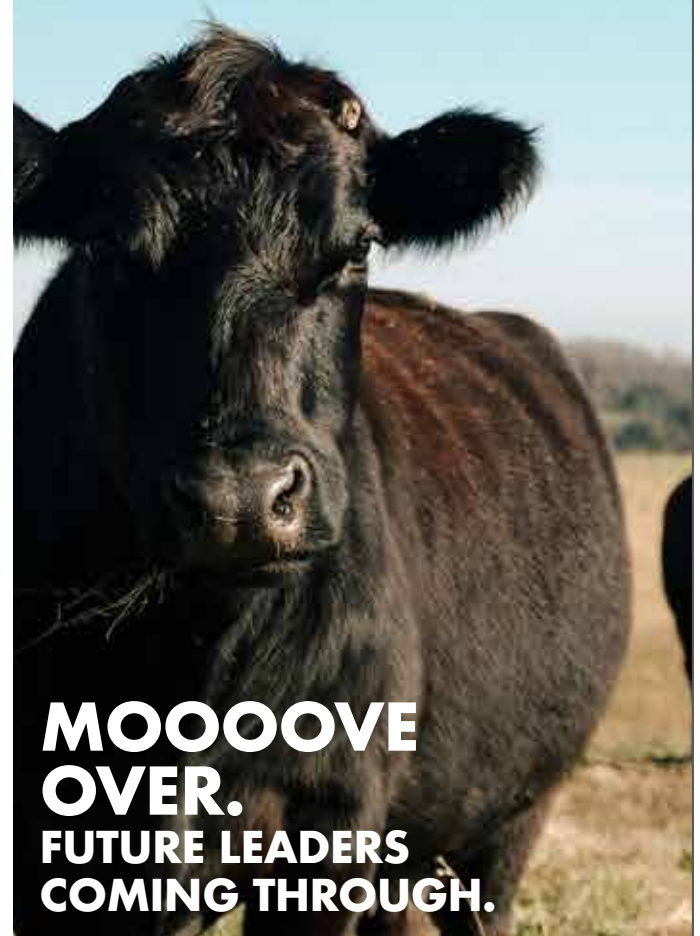
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Shepherd

## Star in Ag Placement

**Kylee Finn**

Cascade

**Autumn Benson**

Corvallis

**Gabe Squires**

Denton

**Haylee Summers**

Stevensville

## Star in Ag Business

**Paige Wertheimer**

Big Timber

**Grace Thorson**

Dawson

## State Star Greenhands

**Felix Baker**

Big Muddy District - Culbertson

**Jessina Kleinsasser**

Eastern District - Miles City

**Janae Roberts**

Glacier District - Sweet Grass Hills

**Chelsie Stone**

Judith Basin District - Geraldine

**Bryce Elliot**

Milk River District - Chinook

**Mallory Pelton**

Southern District - Stillwater Valley

**Maci Miller**

Southeastern District - Big Horn

**Leneva Miller**

Southwestern District - Beaverhead

**Brecken Bishop**

Western District - Corvallis

**Greeley Kleinsasser**

Yellowstone District - Big Timber

# 2025 Proficiency Candidates

## Agricultural Communications

**Claire Murnin**

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## Agricultural Processing

**Haylee Summers**

Stevensville

## Agriculture Sales

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## Service Learning

**Morgan Bisel**

Corvallis

## Beef Production

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Beaverhead

**Coleton Sherman**

Mission Valley

**Tucker Sitz**

Beaverhead

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**Piper Ward**

Wheatland

**Taylor Yecny**

Beaverhead

## Diversified

## Agricultural Production

**Violet Herzog**

Rapelje

## Diversified

## Livestock Production

**Tally Berwick**

Bainville

**Teah Vennes**

Shields Valley

## Equine Science

## Entrepreneurship

**Connley Hoagland**

Dawson

**Addison Sant**

Frenchtown

**Paige Wertheimer**

Big Timber

## Equine Science Placement

**Kassidie Rock**

Shields Valley

**Addison Sant**

Frenchtown

## Outdoor Recreation

**Echo Saunders**

Gardiner

## Sheep Production

**Addison Allen**

Custer

## Specialty Animal Production

**Sujatha Bay**

Frenchtown

## Swine Production

## Entrepreneurship

**Asher Burch**

Beaverhead

**Alexa Smieja**

Belgrade

## Swine Production Placement

**Collin Yoshimura**

Missoula

## Turf & Landscape Management

**Russell Lang**

Roundup



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Nashua  
Opheim  
Plentywood  
Poplar  
Richey  
Scobey  
Sidney  
Wolf Point

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Baker  
Broadus  
Dawson  
Ekalaka  
Forsyth  
Jordan  
Miles City  
Plevna  
Rosebud  
Terry  
Wibaux

### GLACIER DISTRICT

Augusta  
Browning  
Cascade  
Choteau  
Conrad  
Dutton  
Fairfield  
Shelby  
Simms  
Sunburst  
Valier

### JUDITH BASIN

Belt  
Denton  
Geraldine  
Grass Range  
Highwood  
Hobson  
Lewistown  
Moore  
Roy  
Stanford  
Winifred  
Winnett

### MILK RIVER

Big Sandy  
Chinook  
CJI  
Dodson  
Fort Benton  
Harlem  
Havre  
Malta  
Turner

### SOUTHEASTERN

Colstrip  
Custer  
Hardin  
Huntley Project  
Hysham  
Lame Deer  
Lockwood  
Lodge Grass  
Melstone  
Roundup  
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Broadview  
Columbus  
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Park City  
Rapelje  
Red Lodge  
Roberts

### SOUTHWESTERN

Deer Lodge  
Dillon  
Drummond  
East Helena  
Harrison  
Lima  
Sheridan  
Three Forks  
Townsend  
Twin Bridges  
Whitehall

### WESTERN DISTRICT

Corvallis  
Flathead  
Florence  
Frenchtown  
Hot Springs  
Missoula  
Ronan  
St. Regis  
Stevensville  
Victor

### YELLOWSTONE

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