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The National FFA Organization National Event Winners - Prepared Public Speaking 2022

INDIANAPOLIS- Winners of the National FFA Prepared Public Speaking Leadership Development Event (LDE) were announced Thursday during the third session of the 95th National FFA Convention & Expo in Indianapolis. Mr. E.L. Caraway of Texas served as superintendent of this year's event.

The top four individuals received cash awards to recognize their success in the event.

The prepared public speaking LDE is designed to recognize outstanding FFA members for their ability to prepare and present a factual speech on a specific agricultural issue in a well thought-out and logical manner in a competitive setting. Members prepare and deliver an eight to ten minute speech from memory and respond to five minutes of questions. The event is just one way FFA members can develop their ability to communicate in a powerful, organized and professional manner.

The event, held at the Indianapolis Marriott Downtown and the Indiana Convention Center in Indianapolis, is one of many educational activities at the National FFA Convention & Expo in which FFA members practice the lessons learned in agricultural education classes.

Top Placing Individuals

1st Place-- Caleb Horne of Morrison FFA, OK
2nd Place-- Remington Hunt of Texico FFA, NM
3rd Place-- Aliza Saunders of Vale FFA, OR
4th Place-- Jaden Maze of Western Boone FFA, IN

Individual Emblems Listed

Gold Emblem Individuals

Jaden Maze of Western Boone FFA, IN
Caleb Horne of Morrison FFA, OK

Remington Hunt of Texico FFA, NM
Aliza Saunders of Vale FFA, OR

Silver Emblem Individuals

Carley Tapley of South Side FFA, AR
Emma Humphreys of Columbus FFA, IA
Weston Schrader of Minneapolis FFA, KS
Brighton Lane of Huntley Project FFA, MT
Faith Geistweidt of Fredericksburg FFA, TX
George Dress of Kamiakin FFA, WA

Abigale Jacobsen of Elk Grove FFA, CA
Elizabeth Blattner of Meridian FFA, ID
Caroline Groth of Locust Trace FFA, KY
Matea Gordon of Sturgis FFA, SD
Katie Stang of Amelia County FFA, VA
Sarah Turner of Cheyenne High Plains FFA, WY

Bronze Emblem Individuals

Gary Cook of Marbury FFA, AL

Grace Mann of Red Mountain FFA, AZ

Maggie Chase of McClave FFA, CO
Anya Nevaeh Phillips of Milford FFA, DE
Carrie Keown of Stephens County FFA, GA
Morgan Mouser of Tri-Valley FFA, IL
Rachel Harrington of Bristol FFA, MA
Jessica Harvey of Hopkins FFA, MI
Owen Neely of Lockwood FFA, MO
Aubrey O'Quinn of Western Harnett FFA, NC
Levi Schiller of West Point FFA, NE
Kennedy Campbell of Cape May Tech FFA, NJ
Holly Niefergold of Springville FFA, NY
Rebecca Lehman of Central Columbia FFA, PA
Porter Hand of Palmetto FFA, SC
Brinley Rhodes of Bear River FFA, UT
Kate Davis of Oregon FFA, WI

Johanna Cuccia of Housatonic Valley FFA, CT
Leah Whitehead of Cottdale FFA, FL
Leila Mae Gonzales of McKinley FFA, HI
Jillian Lantz of Jennings FFA, LA
Lilliana Sonpar of Howard County FFA, MD
Tyler Biss of West Central Area FFA, MN
Lainey Cochran of East Central FFA, MS
Rhea Laib of Turtle Lake Mercer FFA, ND
Victoria Scarbro of Alvirne FFA, NH
Iain McMurray of Moapa Valley FFA, NV
Carter Hellwarth of Parkway FFA, OH
Chelsea Flynn of Chariho FFA, RI
Emily Gibson of Bolivar Central FFA, TN
Lucas Allen of Middlebury Union FFA, VT
Isabella Herrod of Liberty FFA, WV

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