

Maryland FFA Association



Annual Report 2018-2019

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Maryland FFA Chapters- 43 Active

Region 1	Region 2	Region 3
Boonsboro Boonsboro Middle Clear Spring Hancock North Garrett Oakland Smithsburg	Brunswick Catoctin Frederick Frederick CTC Linganore Middletown Oakdale Tuscarora Urbana Walkersville	Calvert CAT North * Damascus Fairmont Heights Forrest Center Gwynn Park High Point Phoenix Academy * Southern Sherwood * Springbrook *
Region 4		Region 5
Ben Franklin * Century Francis Scott Key Green Street Academy* Harford Tech Hereford Hereford Middle Liberty Manchester Valley North Harford Reginald F. Lewis * South Carroll Westminster Winters Mill		Caroline County Cecil CST Dorchester CTC Easton Kent County Parkside CTC Queen Anne's County Worcester Tech
* No members 2018-19		
Maryland FFA Membership 2018-19		
	1 Year Members	2,313
	3 Year Members	29
	4 Year Members	14
	Total Membership	2,488



102nd Eastern States Exposition

Springfield, MA

September 14-15, 2018

Maryland FFA Delegation:

Participants in 16 Events

44 members from 12 Chapters

20 Advisors/Adults

Highlights

- * Grant Zimmerman, Walkersville FFA Eastern Regional Winner
Star Agribusiness earning \$750
- * Henry Brunnett, Westminster FFA MD State Farmer \$250

Results:

Brunswick- Milk Quality & Products
Caroline County- Dairy Handling, Natalie Youse 6th
Catoctin- Dairy Evaluation
Clear Spring- Safe Tractor Operators, Tanner Harshman 6th
Francis Scott Key- Employment Skills, Tessie Weant
Frederick CTC- Forestry
Hereford- Nursery/Landscape
Linganore- Livestock Evaluation
Man. Valley- Extemporaneous Public Speaking, Joshlyn Robertson 6th
Middletown- Dairy Handling, Floriculture
North Garrett- Environmental & Natural Resources, Poultry
North Harford- Food Science, Horse Evaluation,
North Harford- Prepared Public Speaking, Lynne Thomas 7th
Oakland- Agronomy 3rd, Parliamentary Procedure 5th
Oakland- Creed Speaking, Renee Winegardner 8th
Parkside CTC- Marketing Plan
South Carroll- Dairy Handling, Rylee McConville 3rd
Urbana- Veterinary Science
Walkersville- Agricultural Technology & Mechanics

Chapter Officer Leadership Training



October 12-14, 2018

River Valley Ranch

Manchester, Maryland

91 members, 21 Advisors/Adults from 13 Chapters

Boonsboro

Damascus

Easton

Francis Scott Key

Hereford

Linganore

Manchester Valley

North Harford

Oakdale

South Carroll

Southern

Tuscarora

Urbana

91st National FFA Convention
Indianapolis, Indiana
October 24-27, 2018

Maryland FFA Delegation:
Participants in 26 Events
94 members, 42 Advisors/Adults from 15 Chapters

Highlights

*National Officer Candidate- Nicole Michol, Manchester Valley

Degree and Proficiency Results:

American FFA Degree Recipients:

Brunswick- Mikayla Stockman
Catocin- Hannah Barth
Clear Spring- Hunter Harshman, Jessica Kirby
Francis Scott Key- Autumn Lippy
Middletown- Ava Brenengen
Southern- Caylin Stevens
Walkersville- Chelsea Dinterman

Honorary American FFA Degree Recipients:

Brunswick, Michael Harrington
Frederick County- Daniel Felice

Proficiency Silver Award Recipients:

South Carroll- Haley Snuffer, Diversified Crop Production Placement
Walkersville- Grant Zimmerman, Landscape Management
Westminster- Henry Brunnett, Ag. Mechanics Design Ent./Placement

National Chapter Awards:

Two Stars- Catocin, Parkside, Winters Mill
One Star- North Garrett, Oakdale

91st National FFA Convention

Career & Leadership Development Events

Results:

Brunswick- Dairy Handling, Ryan Allen, Silver
Brunswick- Poultry Evaluation, Bronze

Catoctin- Ag. Communications, Silver; Ag Issues, Bronze;
Catoctin- Env. Nat. Resources, Bronze; Marketing Plan, Bronze

Clear Spring- Ag. Business Management, Bronze

Francis Scott Key- Dairy Evaluation, Bronze
Francis Scott Key- Employment Skills, Terrie Weant, Bronze

Frederick- Food Science, Bronze

Liberty- Veterinary Science, Gold 9th Team

Linganore- Ag. Sales, Bronze; Conduct Chap. Mtgs, Bronze; Forestry, Bronze;

Manchester Valley- Floriculture, Bronze; Meats Evaluation, Bronze

Middletown- Milk Quality/Products, Silver

North Garrett- Livestock Evaluation, Silver

North Harford- Nursery/Landscape, Bronze
North Harford- Senior Prepared Public Speaking, Lynne Thomas, Bronze

Oakland- Parliamentary Procedure, Bronze

Urbana- Horse Evaluation, Silver

Walkersville- Agronomy, Silver

Westminster- Agricultural Technology & Mechanics

MD FFA Regional Leadership Conferences 2018-19

**Participation: Total- 676, 626 Students, 50 Adults,
36 Chapters**

Each conference is facilitated by the State Officer Team enhancing student performance in leadership, cooperation and teamwork. The officers work to bring hands on activities for students to learn more about the FFA and opportunities within the organization.

	Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4	Region 5
Host	Allegany College	Frederick Fairgrounds	College of Southern Maryland	Carroll Comm. College	Chesapeake College
Total	199	103	49	158	167
Students	188	93	46	146	153
Adults	11	10	3	12	14
Chapters	7	8	3	9	9
Chapters Represented	Boonsboro	Catoctin	Calvert	FSK	Caroline County
	Boons. Middle	Frederick	Fairmont Heights	Hereford	Cecil CST
	Clear Spring	Linganore	Gwynn Park	Howard	Dorchester CTC
	Hancock	Middletown		Liberty	Easton
	North Garrett	Oakdale		Man. Valley	Kent County
	Oakland	Tuscarora		North Harford	Parkside CTC
	Smithsburg	Urbana		South Carroll	Queen Anne's Co.
		Walkersville		Westminster	Southern
				Winters Mill	Worcester Tech

**FFA Legislative Day
Maryland General Assembly
Annapolis, Maryland
February 21, 2019**



Registration totaled- 174

144 members, 30 Advisors/Adults from 21 Chapters

The group tour the Maryland State House, Government House, and the legislative Services Building. The event includes sitting in the general session and witnessing the signing of the Proclamation for National FFA Week.

Reg	FFA Chapters	Total
1	Boonsboro	9
1	Boonsboro Middle	8
1	Clear Spring	9
1	North Garrett	7
1	Oakland	8
1	Smithsburg	7
2	Frederick	8
2	Oakdale	9
2	Urbana	7
3	Calvert	8
3	Damascus	8
3	Gwynn Park	9
3	Howard County	9
3	Southern	6
4	Francis Scott Key	8
4	Manchester Valley	5
4	North Harford	7
4	South Carroll	6
4	Westminster	8
5	Caroline County	10
5	Worcester Tech	11

Maryland FFA State Spring Judging Event

Westminster High & Carroll County Technical Center

April 6, 2019

Registration totaled- 414

360 members, 69 Advisors/Adults from 35 Chapters

Highlights

*The Maryland FFA Foundation sponsored Official FFA Jackets with matching Tie/Scarf to 100 deserving members representing 34 chapters.

Results:

CDE and Event	Chapters	Participants	Winning Team
Ag Challenge	1	13	Boonsboro Middle
Ag Mechanics	11/11 T	44	Catoctin
Agronomy	9/9 T	39	Walkersville
Agriscience Fair	6	13	N/A
Farm Bus. Manage.	5/3 T	14	Catoctin
Food Science	5/3 T	16	Linganore
Floriculture	12/12T	48	Middletown
Meats Evaluation	4/4T	12	South Carroll
Milk Quality	12/10T	46	Catoctin
Nursery/Landscape	6/6T	31	North Harford
Veterinary Science	21/21T	84	Urbana
Total	90	360	35 Chapters

Chapters represented:

Boonsboro, Boonsboro Middle, Brunswick, Catoctin, Cecil School Of Technology, Century, Clear Spring, Damascus, Easton, Francis Scott Key, Frederick, Frederick CTC, Hancock, Harford Tech, Hereford, Kent County, Liberty, Linganore, Manchester Valley, Middletown, North Garrett, North Harford, Oakdale, Oakland, Parkside CTC, Queen Anne's County, Smithsburg, South Carroll, Southern, Tuscarora, Urbana, Walkersville, Westminster, Winters Mill, Worcester Tech.

91st Maryland FFA State Convention

University of Maryland Eastern Shore

Princess Anne, Maryland

June 23-26, 2019

250 members, 42 Advisors/Adults from 29 Chapters

Over 100 volunteers to serve as judges and guests

Highlights

* State Star Greenhand Award: Mariah Klotz, Oakland FFA

Results:

CDE and Event	Chapters	Participants	Winning Chapter/Member
Creed Speaking	11	15	Middletown/ Brianna Bongard
Employment Skills	13	13	North Harford/ Lynne Thomas
Jr. Prepared PS	4	4	Walkersville/ Haley Welty
Jr. Extemp PS	7	12	Middletown/ Zachary Spurrier
Sr. Prepared PS	10	13	Middletown/ Madison Spurrier
Sr. Extemp PS	10	13	South Carroll/ Michelle Coleman
Talent	4	6	Oakdale/ Jacob Abate
Ag. Communications	1	4	Walkersville
Agricultural Issues	3	18	Catoctin
Ag Knowledge Bowl	9	33	North Garrett
Agricultural Sales	11	43	Linganore
Conduct Chap Meetings	1	7	Hancock
FFA Knowledge	13	49	North Harford
Hall of Chapters	14		Tuscarora
Hort Knowledge Bowl	4	12	Urbana
Marketing Plan	3	9	Century
Parliamentary Pro.	2	12	Linganore
Poultry Evaluation	7	27	Tuscarora
WKSP A- D	21	96	
WKSP E-G	14	48	
WKSP H-J	18	208	
Service Learning	7	62	
Total		704	29 Chapters

91st Maryland FFA State Convention

2019 MD FFA State Degree Recipients- 34

Region 1	Clear Spring	Hailey Booth	
	North Garrett	*Anthony Glotfelty *Ally Kisner	Ashley Hetz Sadie Powell
Region 2	Catoctin	Robert Hahn Carley Mc Ghee	Hannah Hartness Alexis Morgan
	Frederick	Courtney Grove	
	Linganore	Ryan Mondonedo	
	Middletown	Jessica Duley Caroline Kishimoto Madison Spurrier	Luke Grossnickle Brandon Kreh
	Oakdale	Katie Lopez-Ortez Brian Tu	Justine Strzelczy Christine Walsky
	Urbana	Laura Antizzo Mackenzie Ward	Jaclyn Bryant
Region 3	Damascus	Mallory Anderson	
Region 4	Francis Scott Key	Sierra Wean	
	Manchester Valley	Danielle Rhoten	
	North Harford	Lynne Thomas	
	South Carroll	Rylee McConville	Kyle Schulze
	Westminster	Rebecca Ellers	*Lesia Ramsburg
Region 5	Caroline County	*Elizabeth Ross	*Larissa Springer
	Queen Anne's Cty	Peter Arnold	

* State Star Winners

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2019 State Proficiency Recipients- 14

Agricultural Education	Walkersville	Sydney Grossnickle	Bronze
Agri. Mech. Repair & Maint. Placement	Walkersville	Luke Gladhill	Silver
Agriscience Research- Animal Systems	Caroline County	Larissa Springer	Bronze
Boof Production- Entrepreneurship	Oakland	Trenton Evans	Bronze
Dairy Production- Placement	South Carroll	Rylee McConville	Silver
	Brunswick	Ryan Allen	
Diversified Horticulture	Frederick CTC	Molly Harbaugh	N/A
Diversified Livestock Prod. - Placement	Caroline County	Elizabeth Ross	Bronze
Equine Science- Entrepreneurship	Frederick	Courtney Grove	Bronze
Equine Science- Placement	Westminster	Lesia Ramsburg	Bronze
	Walkersville	Devon Griffin	N/A
Sheep Production- Placement	Westminster	Rebecca Eilers	Bronze
Swine Production- Entrepreneurship	Frederick	Ryan Bollinger	Bronze
Veterinary Science	Caroline County	Larissa Springer	N/A

2019-2020 MD FFA Scholarship Recipients

Recipient	Chapter	Sponsor	Amount
Connor Mann	Hereford	Edgar & Ann Duskin Southern Crop Production	\$2500
Lynne Thomas	North Harford	Food Truck/Built Ford Tough/Plaza Ford America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders	\$1000 \$1500
Sadie Powell	North Garrett	Ford Truck/Built Ford Tough/Diehl's Ford	\$1000
Cahlen Cheatham	Oakdale	Farmers Mutual Hail Insurance Company Iowa	\$1500