

95th Maryland FFA State Convention June 27-29, 2023
University of Maryland College Park Tentative Schedule (5_04_2023 NWK)

Monday, June 26, 2023

6-9 pm Dorm housing for early arrivals, w/Breakfast 6/27
 (Drop off at Dorm Entrance)

Tuesday, June 27, 2023

8- 9:30 am Dorm Housing Check in by Advisors only
 (Get dorm rooms and dining cards)

8- 9:30 am Chapter CDE/LDE Check in, Advisors

9:30- 10 am WELCOME SESSION (Hall of Chapters set up)

10:15 am-5 pm Competitions:

- *Agricultural Communications
- *Agricultural Sales

10:15- am-1 pm Competitions:

- * Agricultural Issues
- * Parliamentary Procedure
- * Turf Management

10:30 am -12:30 pm Member/Advisor Workshops

12:45 -1:45 pm LUNCH, dining hall

2 - 5 pm Competitions:

- *Conduct of Chapter Meetings
- *Marketing Plan
- *FFA Knowledge

2 – 5 pm Member Workshops

4 – 5 pm First Delegate Meeting

5 – 6 pm DINNER, dining hall

6:30-8:30 pm **FIRST GENERAL SESSION**

Introduction of Guests & St. Officer Candidates
MD FFA Foundation Partners
State Star Greenhand Awards
New Advisor Recognition
Past State Officer Recognition
Retiring Address: Teagan Flaherty, State Secretary
Results for Single Day CDE's:
Horse Judging, Forestry, Environ. Natural Resources
*Talent Competition (throughout)

9-11 pm Game Night (Billiards, Bowling, Games)

11 pm- 6 am Curfew, quiet in own dorm room

Wednesday, June 28, 2023

8- 9:30 am Chapter CDE/LDE Check in, Advisors

8- 9 am Breakfast, dining hall

10 am- 5 pm Competitions:

- * Employment Skills LDE

10 am- 1 pm Competitions:

- *Ag Knowledge Bowl
- Preliminaries for:
- *Creed Speaking
 - *Jr. Extemporaneous Speaking
 - *Sr. Extemporaneous Speaking
 - *Jr. Prepared Public Speaking
 - *Sr. Prepared Public Speaking

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Wednesday, June 28, 2023, Con'd

10:30 am -12:30 pm Member/Advisor Workshops

12:30 -1:30 pm LUNCH, dining hall

2-5 pm *Horticultural Knowledge Bowl
 FINAL COMPETITIONS: (Top 4)
 *Creed Speaking
 *Jr. Extemporaneous Public Speaking
 *Jr. Prepared Public Speaking
 *Sr. Extemporaneous Public Speaking
 *Sr. Prepared Public Speaking

Wednesday, June 28, 2023, Con'd

2 – 5 pm Member Workshops

4- 5 pm Second Delegate Meeting

5- 6:15 pm Dinner, dining hall

6:30- 8:30 pm **SECOND GENERAL SESSION**

Keynote Speaker: Jessica Herr,
2022-23 National FFA Secretary
State FFA Degrees & Star Awards
Honorary State FFA Degrees
American FFA Degree Candidates
Honorary American Degree Candidates
National FFA Scholarship Recognition
Wiley G & Carrie A Griffith Scholarship
State Officer Scholarships
State Proficiency Awards
Retiring Address: Hannah Haines, State Vice President

SECOND GENERAL SESSION, Con'd

Results: State Conv. Team Events

Ag Communications; Ag Knowledge Bowl; Ag Issues;
Ag Sales; Conduct of Chap. Meetings; FFA Knowledge;
Hort. Knowledge Bowl; Marketing Plan;
Parliamentary Procedure; Turf Management.

9-10:30 pm Evening Activity- Concert

11 pm-6 am Curfew, quiet in own room

Thursday, June 29, 2023

7- 8:00 am Breakfast, dining hall

7:45- 8:45 am Third Delegate Meeting- Business Session

9- 11:30 am **THIRD GENERAL SESSION**

National Chapter Awards
Results: Hall of Chapters
State Officer Supporter Recognition
Results: State Conv. Individual Events
Creed Speaking; Employment Skills; Jr/Sr. Extemp;
Jr/Sr. Prepared Speaking;
Talent with winning performance
Retiring Address: Kendall Abruzzese, State President
MD FFA Alumni & Supporter Honors
Year in Review
Nominating Committee Report
Installation of 2023-2024 MD FFA State Officer Team

11:30am-1:30pm Check out of Dorms, Advisors

Lunch on your own

2-4 pm Optional UMD Research Farm Tour