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97TH SOUTH DAKOTA FFA STATE CONVENTION

**April 3-5, 2025
Brookings, SD**

THE FFA MISSION

FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.

South Dakota FFA Association 2024-2025 State FFA Officers



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Keynote Speakers

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Melvin Adams



Melvin Adams was born in 1971 and raised in a rough neighborhood of Houston, Texas, where he overcame adversity through his passion for basketball. After losing his father at 13, he turned to sports to escape the financial hardship. Despite being only 5'8", relentless dedication led him to a professional basketball career. Now, he lives in Houston with his wife and two sons, inspiring others with his journey of perseverance.

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Jack Lingenfelter



Jack Lingenfelter joins us from Douglas, Georgia. Jack joined FFA for the community and admired the deep tradition and belonging in the blue corduroy jacket. He is currently attending the University of Georgia studying agribusiness. Serving as the National FFA Southern Region Vice President allows him to travel the country serving as a connection to agriculture for students. For Jack,

FFA helped him find his purpose: Serving others.

Career Development Events (CDE)

FFA members meet at Dacotah Bank Center
to load busses to event sites

Thursday, April 3rd, 2025

Food Science: Team

TBD 8:00 am - 5:30 pm
(Start times based upon distance to Brookings)

Floriculture: Session 1

McCrary Gardens 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Poultry Evaluation

Animal Science Arena 10:30 am - 1:00 pm
*If possible, start at 9:00 am

Milk Q&P: Hands-on

Dairy Science 116 & 122 10:15 am - 11:55 am

Ag Business Management: Session 1

First Lutheran Church: 337 8th St. 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Milk Q&P: Hands-on

Dairy Science 116 & 122 12:00 pm - 1:40 pm

Floriculture: Session 2

McCrary Gardens 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Natural Resources

Student Union: Volstorff Ballroom 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Veterinary Science

The Barn 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Ag Business Management: Session 2

First Lutheran Church: 337 8th St. 2:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Horse Judging: Test

Animal Science Complex 126 2:30 pm - 2:50 pm

Horse Judging: Evaluation

Animal Science Arena 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Ag Mechanics: Team Problem

Raven Precision Ag 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Milk Q&P: Team & Mastitis

The Barn 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Spanish Creed Speaking

Student Union 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Friday, April 4th, 2025

Livestock Evaluation

Animal Science Arena 7:45 am - 2:00 pm
On-site lunch from 11:30-12:00

Ag Mechanics: Individual

Raven 7:45 am - 10:00 am

Dairy Cattle Evaluation

Dacotah Bank Center 7:15 am - 11:30 am

Meats: Test (All participants)

TBD 7:30 am - 9:00 am

Meats: ID & Grading Session 1

Meats Lab, Animal Science Complex 8:30 am - 11:00 am

Agronomy

Student Union: Volstorff Ballroom 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Nursery Landscape

The Barn 10:00 am - 12:45 pm

Range Plant ID: Session 1

Biostress 181 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Meats: ID & Grading Session 2

Meats Lab, Animal Science Complex 12:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Food Science: Individual

The Barn 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Range Plant ID: Session 2

Biostress 181 1:30 pm - 2:30 p.m

Range Plant ID: Session 3

Biostress 181 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

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Thursday, April 3, 2025

Living to Serve Project

Dacotah Bank Center, Concourse 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Workshops

Schedule on Page 12 10:00 am - 3:30 pm

Star Partner Banquet

Dacotah Bank Center C 5:30pm

State FFA Degree Banquet

Dacotah Bank Center A and B 5:30 pm

6:30 pm **Pre-Session**

7:00 pm **First General Session**

Reflections



National Anthem

Opening Ceremonies

Welcome

SD FFA Foundation Presentation

SD FFA Family of the Year Recognition

Retiring Address..... Bailey Weegar,
2024-2025 SD FFA Treasurer



Star Greenhand Recognition

Star Partner Recognition

State Officer Candidate Intros

Keynote Speakers..... Melvin Adams

Closing Ceremonies

Watch Convention Live:

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Thursday, 7:00 pm CST

Friday, 7:30 pm CST

Saturday, 8:00 am CST



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CONVENTION

Friday, April 4, 2025

Career Carnival

Dacotah Bank Center, Rooms A & B & Concourse 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Workshops

Schedule on Page 13 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

SD Farmers Union Farm Safety Quiz Bowl

Dacotah Bank Center, Mezzanine Board room 9:00 am

Pot Holder Community Service Event

Dacotah Bank Center 10:00 am - 4:00 pm or until supplies last

2:00 pm **Business Session**
Opening Ceremonies
Roll Call of Delegates
Previous Meeting Minutes
Committee Reports
National Convention Report
New Business
Closing Ceremonies

3:30 pm **Pre-Session**
4:00 pm **Second General Session**
National Anthem



Opening Ceremonies
Welcome
Scholarship Presentation
Keynote Speaker Jack Lingenfelter,
National FFA Southern
Region Vice President
State Degree Recipients
Delegate Reports
Closing Ceremonies

Past State Officer Reception

Dacotah Bank Center Room D 5:00 pm

Star Pageant Finalist & Sponsor Meet & Greet

Dacotah Bank Center Room C 5:30 pm

VIP Banquet

Dacotah Bank Center Room A & B 6:00 pm

Advisor Hospitality Room

Daktronics Conference Room 7:00 pm



GOLDEN OWL AWARD DISTRICT HONOREES

District 1 Sara Colombe, Milbank
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District 5 Austin Bishop, Belle Fourche
District 6 Sarah McClure, Gettysburg
District 7 Josh Christiansen, Harrisburg
District 8 Reed Johnson, Philip

Friday, April 4, 2025 - continued

7:20 **Teach Ag signing day**

7:30 pm **Third General Session**



National Anthem
Opening Ceremonies
Welcome
Past State Officer Recognition
Proficiencies Part 1
Retiring Address Hailey Kizer,
2024-2025 SD FFA Reporter



Proficiencies Part 2
Distinguished Service Awards
Honorary State Degrees
Retiring Address Ethan Hendrix,
2024-2025 SD FFA Secretary
Star Pageant
Closing Ceremonies

Saturday, April 5th

8:00 am **Fourth General Session**



National Anthem
Opening Ceremonies
Welcome
Retiring Address..... Raul Berrones Pedraza,
2024-2025 SD FFA Vice President
Service Project Announcement
National Chapter Recognition
Golden Owl Announcement



Retiring Address Maya Howard,
2024-2025 SD FFA President
New Chapter Recognition
CDE Results
State Ambassador Announcement
FFA Jacket Announcement
Election of 2025-2026 State Officers
2024-2025 State Officer Retirement
Closing Ceremonies

State FFA Officer and Parent Luncheon

Dacotah Bank Center Room D..... 30 minutes after the conclusion of the session
(Invitation Only)

Career Carnival

Friday, April 4th | 8:30am-2:30pm
Dacotah Bank Center Breezeway & Rooms A & B

Fun & Interactive Games!

Over 50 colleges & industry leaders looking to connect with students
Don't miss it!

2025 STAR Award Finalists

STAR in AgriBusiness Finalists

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Isaac Boden	Beresford
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Talen Hazel.....	Beresford
Skyler Plucker.....	Lennox Sundstrom

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Colton Stiefvater	McCook Central
Karlie Stiefvater	McCook Central

STAR in Ag Placement Finalists

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Dylan McGregor	McCook Central
Ridge Roduner	Wessington Springs
Brody Stenger	Sioux Falls CTE Academy

STAR Farmer Finalists

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Josie Nold	Brookings
Colton Stiefvater	McCook Central
Jason Zeeb.....	Bridgewater-Emerly

District Star Greenhands

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Keaton Zubke	Florence (I)
Korbin Shumaker	Howard (II)
Clayton Pankratz.....	Parker (III)
Tucker Peterson.....	McCook Central (IV)
Ray Sanders.....	Hot Springs (V)
Rylee Knock	Hitchcock-Tulare (VI)
Kendall McAreavey	Tri-Valley (VII)
Ayla Bauer.....	Lemmon (VIII)

SD FFA Family of the Year

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| 2013 - AJ and Mary Vander Wal family | 2021 - Brad & Kathy Sanderson family |
| 2014 - Craig & Bonnie Dybedahl family | 2022 - Jason & Alicia Knutson family |
| 2015 - Tom & Karen Swan family | 2023 - Stella & the late Eugene Nagel family |
| 2016 - Wally & Kathy Knock family | 2024 - Elizabeth & the late John Stiefvater family |
| 2017 - Kent & Faye Frerichs family | 2025 - Mary & the late Myron Williams family |
| 2018 - John Rist family | |
| 2019 - Dan & Karen Streff family | |
| 2020 - Tonak family | |

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2025 State Degree Recipients

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Joseph Grady

2025 State Degree Recipients

Blake Klitzke
Madison Lauck
Dylan McGregor
Lauren Roling
Ava Sieverding
Colton Stiefvater
Karlie Stiefvater

Milbank

Veronica Fonder

Miller

Eli Batin
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Thursday Workshops

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Farming is Risky Business

USDA Risk Management

Room D..... 9:30am, 11:00am, 1:00pm

Through an interactive and highly competitive simulation game, participants will discover the challenges of managing the various risks faced by farmers and ranchers. Participants will compete against other students to win great prizes and learn valuable skills that are needed to succeed in the real world of production agriculture!

Crafting Your Elevator Pitch

Jennifer Henrie, South Dakota Ag and Rural Leadership

Daktronics Board Room 10:00am, 11:30am, 1:30pm

What do you say when you meet someone and have less than 30 seconds to make an impression? Join SDARL and learn how to construct a memorable introduction you can use in any networking situation.

Leadership Opportunities, Communication & Teambuilding

Army ROTC

Room C.....10:00am

Daktronics Board Room 2:30pm

Stop by to learn about leadership and communication techniques. Utilize what you have learned while having fun with a teambuilding exercise.

National FFA - Local Alumni Development

Joanne Sergi, Alumni Relations Specialist at National FFA

Mezzanine conference room.....10:30am

What's Your Dollar Do?

SD Beef Industry Council

Room C..... 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:00pm

Join the South Dakota Beef Industry to learn about the \$1 Beef Checkoff, and learn how its promoting Beef in South Dakota and throughout the United States.

Growing Your Future: Tips for Applying for your 1st Loan

Farm Credit Services of America

Mezzanine Conference Room..... 11:30am, 1:30pm, 2:30pm

Discover key components of a successful loan application! We'll dive into why record keeping is crucial, what information you'll need to apply for a loan, and breakdown the payment options. Plus, we'll showcase how our loan calculator can help you personalize your loan to fit your goals.

National FFA History Challenge

Room C..... Thursday 9am **Room D** 2:00pm

Daktronics Board RoomFriday 3:00pm

Friday Workshops

How to Build a Home

Jack Lingenfelter, National FFA Officer

Room D..... Thursday, 3:00pm, Friday, 9am

Home isn't just a place, it's a group of people. Understand the importance of community through value and encouragement.

First Dakota FARM-OPOLY

First Dakota National Bank

Room C.....9:00am, 10:00am, 11:00am

Learn about responsible financial management as you and your team try to grow your farm or ranch while playing Farm-Opoly. Understand how unexpected events can affect your game plan and your financial position, and how a good lender can help you survive the game.

Viaflex FeedFresh® & The Future of Farming: Protecting Silage for Success

Viaflex

Daktronics Board Room 9:30am, 11:30am, 12:30pm

Learn how FeedFresh silage covers help farmers preserve feed quality, reduce waste and improve livestock nutrition.

Maximizing Ag Literacy

Performing Arts Center (PAC).....10:15am

Opportunities beyond the local level

Joanne Sergi, Alumni Relations Specialist

Daktronics board room10:30am

Precision Ag of the Past, Present, and Future

Agtegra Innovation Center

Room D..... 10:30am, 11:30am, 1:00pm

Take a look at where we started with Precision Ag and where that lead us to today, and what does the future have in store for Precision Ag.

Precision Ag Technology: Optimizing Inputs & Improving Efficiency

Field Reveal

Room C..... 1:00pm, 2:00pm, 3:00pm

Learn how ag technology and zone management empower growers and ag retailers to optimize inputs, improve efficiency, and enhance profitability in modern agriculture.

FFA Today, Teach Ag Tomorrow

Teach Ag Ambassador, Sarah McClure

Daktronics Board Room 1:30pm

Put your skills to the test in our Ag Ed Escape Room, where you'll tackle fun, hands-on challenges inspired by real-life ag teachers!

Learn Tricks To Better Public & Extemp Speaking

Caleb Weiland

Room D..... 2:30pm

Workshops at a Glance

THURSDAY	9:00-10:00	<i>National FFA History Challenge</i>
	9:30-10:30	<i>USDA Risk Management</i>
	10:00-11:00	<i>US Army ROTC</i>
	10:00-11:00	<i>SDARL</i>
	10:30-11:30	<i>National FFA Alumni Local Chapter Development</i>
	11:00-12:00	<i>USDA Risk Management</i>
	11:00-12:00	<i>SD Beef Industry Council</i>
	11:30-12:30	<i>SDARL</i>
	11:30-12:30	<i>Farm Credit Services of America</i>
	12:30-1:30	<i>USDA Risk Management</i>
	1:00-2:00	<i>SD Beef Industry Council</i>
	1:00-2:00	<i>USDA Risk Management</i>
	1:30-2:30	<i>SDARL</i>
	1:30-2:30	<i>Farm Credit Services of America</i>
	2:00-3:00	<i>SD Beef Industry Council</i>
	2:00-3:00	<i>National FFA History Challenge</i>
	2:30-3:30	<i>Farm Credit Services of America</i>
	2:30-3:30	<i>US Army ROTC</i>
	3:00	<i>National Officer-Jack Lingenfelter</i>
FRIDAY	9:00-10:00	<i>First Dakota National Bank</i>
	9:00-10:00	<i>National Officer-Jack Lingenfelter</i>
	9:30-10:30	<i>Viaflex</i>
	10:00-11:00	<i>First Dakota National Bank</i>
	10:15-11:15	<i>Maximizing Ag Literacy - Performing Arts Center</i>
	10:30-11:30	<i>Agtegra Innovation Center</i>
	10:30-11:30	<i>Viaflex</i>
	10:30-11:30	<i>National FFA Alumni Opportunities</i>
	11:00-12:00	<i>First Dakota National Bank</i>
	11:30-12:30	<i>Agtegra Innovation Center</i>
	11:45-12:45	<i>Faith-based workshop with Melvin Adams - PAC</i>
	12:30-1:30	<i>Viaflex</i>
	1:00-2:00	<i>Agtegra Innovation Center</i>
	1:00-2:00	<i>Field Reveal</i>
	1:30-2:30	<i>Farm Credit Services of America</i>
	1:30-2:30	<i>Teach Ag</i>
	2:00-3:00	<i>Field Reveal</i>
	2:30-3:30	<i>Caleb Weiland - Extemp Speaking tips</i>
	2:30-3:30	<i>District Officer Workshop Session</i>
	3:00-4:00	<i>Field Reveal</i>
	3:00-4:00	<i>National FFA History Challenge</i>

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FFA Day of Service – Meals of Hope

*During the convention, give back. Live to serve.
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Thursday, April 3

10 am - 4 pm

Dacotah Bank Center - Breezeway

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