

# 94<sup>th</sup> Ohio FFA State Convention

May 5-6, 2022 • Ohio Expo Center • Columbus, Ohio



## THURSDAY, MAY 5, 2022

8:00 am Set Up: Agriscience Fair, Proficiencies,  
& National Chapter Displays – Bricker  
8:00 am Convention Registration Open – Celeste  
8:00 am Ag Mechanics Engineering CDE – Bricker  
8:00 am Career Show & Expo Open – Bricker  
8:00 am Ohio FFA Fashion Place Open – Bricker  
9:00 am Workshop – Bricker  
11:00 am Workshop – Bricker

12:00 pm Industry Welcome Luncheon – ODOT  
*for State Officer Candidates*

### 1:45 pm PRE-SESSION

### 2:00 pm FIRST SESSION

Opening Ceremony  
Teacher/Administrator Recognition  
Chapter Trust Awards  
FFA Charitable Giving Recognition  
FFA Foundation Scholarships  
RISE FFA Program Recognition  
Recognition of New FFA Chapters  
Keynote Speaker – **TBD**  
Delegate Business Meeting & Officer Elections  
Closing Ceremony

**Immediately following business session**  
Delegate Reception with National Officer – ODOT

5:00 pm Delegate Dinner – ODOT  
6:30 pm Career Show & Expo Closed – Bricker  
6:30 pm Ohio FFA Fashion Place Closed – Bricker

### 6:45 pm PRE-SESSION

### 7:00 pm SECOND SESSION

Opening Ceremony  
Honorary State FFA Degree Ceremony  
National Winners Recognition  
Star American FFA Degree Recognition  
Star State FFA Degree Recognition  
Proficiency Award Recognition  
*Accounting through Equine Science*  
Keynote Speaker – **TBD**  
Closing Ceremony

## FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2022

8:00 am Convention Registration Open – Celeste  
8:00 am Career Show & Expo Open – Bricker  
8:00 am Ohio FFA Fashion Place Open – Bricker  
9:00 am Choir Practice – Bricker  
9:00 am Band Practice – ODOT

### 9:15 am PRE-SESSION

### 9:30 am THIRD SESSION

Opening Ceremony  
Chapter Awards  
• Ohio FFA Gold Medal Chapters  
• Top 10 Growing Leaders Chapters  
• Top 10 Building Communities Chapters  
• Top 10 Strengthening Agriculture Chapters  
• Top 10 Chapters  
Keynote Speaker – **TBD**  
Proficiency Award Recognition  
*Fiber and/or Oil Crop through Wildlife Management*  
Closing Ceremony

12:00 pm Talent Showcase – Celeste

### 1:45 pm PRE-SESSION

### 2:00 pm FOURTH SESSION

Opening Ceremony  
Officer Awards  
• Secretary's Award  
• Treasurer's Award  
• Reporter's Award  
National FFA Officer Keynote – **TBD**  
State CDE Recognition  
Agriscience Fair Recognition  
Ohio FFA Officers' Parent Recognition  
Closing Ceremony

4:00 pm Past Officer Reception – FFA Center  
4:45 pm Band and Chorus Musical Presentation  
6:00 pm Career Show & Expo Closed – Bricker  
6:00 pm Ohio FFA Fashion Place Closed – Bricker

### 6:15 pm PRE-SESSION

### 6:30 pm FIFTH SESSION

Opening Ceremony  
Band and Chorus Presentation  
Retiring Address – **Jacob Zajkowski, State FFA President**  
2022-23 Ohio FFA Officer Announcement  
Conferring of the State FFA Degree (A-Z Chapters)  
Officer Installation  
Closing Ceremony

March 10, 2022

FFA Member and Parents:

If you would like to attend this year's State FFA Convention, at the Ohio State Fairgrounds in Columbus Ohio, Then this letter is for you. The Convention is only a few weeks away and plans are already being made to show you a great time. You can be a part of the largest youth convention in the world, see motivational speakers, entertainers, state officers and some of the most exciting attractions in Columbus. You will also see local chapters receive awards and have the chance to see State/ National FFA members.

This year's Convention will be held from May 5 & 6, 2022 in Columbus Ohio at the Ohio State Fairgrounds. Please look over the attached itinerary for details. We will be taking a bus. The Cost of the trip is \$75.00 per person. This will include the following: Bus Rental, Hotel, Registration, Tours, and Breakfast each morning, a night at Rodizio Brizillian Grill. This application and the \$75.00 deposit are due to Mrs Guthrie by Friday March 10th, 2022 by 3:00pm. All checks are to be made out to The Ridgedale FFA. Because of limitations on the bus and Hotel rooms, Ridgedale is only allowed to take 25 students. If not selected to attend, all deposits will be returned immediately.

Please look over the itinerary and convention schedule and the rest of the application. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at school (740-383-2167 ext. 415) or on my cell phone (740-251-7991)

Sincerely:

Mrs. Guthrie

Ridgedale FFA Advisor.

**\*\*\*\*Attach GRADE Sheet with Teachers Initials**

## COMPLETE ITINERARY

### FOR THE STATE FFA CONVENTION 2019

### FOR COLUMBUS, OHIO

#### May 2nd (Thursday)

- Leave School at 8am
- Fortmeyer and Sons Tour 11 am
- Select Sires Tour 11 am
- Lunch Rodizio Grill Areana District
- Arrive at Convention Career Show / Agri Science Fair / Proficiency Awards
- 1pm Convention Opening session begins at 2pm
  - Ridgedale Recognition for Charitable Contributions
- 5 pm Urban Adventures and Trampoline Park, Dublin Ohio
- 7 pm Dinner
- 9 pm Hotel Swimming til 10:30 pm
- 11:30 pm Room Checks

#### May 3rd(Friday)

- Breakfast at Hotel in the morning. We will leave the hotel by 8:30am.
- Convention 9am - Noon
- Lunch Canes then head home
- Back to Ridgedale by 3:00pm.

Name:

1. Describe the main three reasons you are interested in attending the convention and what you expect to gain from the trip., goals, and Ridgedale FFA Activities you have been involved in since you join as a member.

2. What are your top 5 Activities that you have participated in FFA

(Use a separate sheet if necessary.)

2. Each of your teachers must sign the following form, stating your eligibility to miss their class from May 5th and 6th.

	Teacher	Class	Teacher's Signature
Period 1			
Period 2			
Period 3			
Period 4			
Period 5			
Period 6/7			
Period 9			
Period 10			
Period 11			

How much have you sold in the Fruit Sale and Flower Sale and how much have you SOLD??

Fruit Sale \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Flower Sale \_\_\_\_\_  
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Why do you want to attend Convention?

What are your GOALS in Ag and FFA for this coming Year?

## SELECTION PROCESS

- 1) STUDENTS NEED TO HAVE THE APPLICATION COMPLETED AND TURNED IN ON TIME.
- 2) DEPOSIT MONEY MUST BE TURNED IN WITH THE APPLICATION.
- 3) YOU MUST NOT BE FAILING OR FAILING ANY CLASS THE FIRST SIX WEEKS OF THE SCHOOL YEAR. IN OTHER WORDS, YOU MUST HAVE A 'C' AVERAGE OR ABOVE IN ALL CLASSES
- 4) CHAPTER INVOLVEMENT. THE MORE YOU DO, THE MORE YOU GET OUT OF IT.
- 5) ATTENDANCE TO SCHOOL AND TARDIES TO CLASS.
- 6) COMPLETENESS OF APPLICATION.
- 7) ATTITUDE AND RESPECT FOR THE FFA PROGRAM AND MRS. GUTHRIE
- 8) STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT ATTENDED THE CONVENTION BEFORE WILL BE GIVEN THE FIRST CHOICE. STUDENTS WHO HAVE ATTENDED STATE CONVENTIONS WILL ALSO BE GIVEN A CHOICE BEFORE THOSE WHO DID NOT ATTEND.
- 9) SELECTION PROCESS – OFFICERS, THEN SOPHOMORES WHO HAVE NOT ATTENDED, FRESHMAN, JUNIORS .....

## OTHER THINGS TO CONSIDER:

- 1) IN ADDITION TO THE \$75, EACH STUDENT NEEDS TO HAVE AT LEAST \$50 FOR OTHER MEALS AND EXTRAS THAT MIGHT OCCUR THAT THEY TAKE WITH THEM.
- 2) HAVE YOU BEEN IN ANY TROUBLE ON PREVIOUS TRIPS?
- 3) REMEMBER THIS IS A PRIVILEGE AND ONE SHOULD TREAT IT AS SUCH. NOTHING IS A SURE TICKET
- 4) INCLUDED IN THE \$100.00 IS THE HOTEL W / BREAKFAST, LUNCH, TOURS and 3 MEALS and Convention Registration

**State Convention Packing List:**

- 1) Hotel Comfort Inn, Lyra Drive, Columbus (Polaris) 614-791-9700
- 2) Bring an Insurance Card - (JUST IN CASE)
- 3) Extra Money - Some meals are paid for. ?????? \$50-75. There is a Shopping mall and food court at the convention.
- 4) Bring your **School Assignments**
- 5) Packing List

A) MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR OFFICIAL DRESS

-2 WHITE, COLLARED SHIRTS, AND 2 BLACK DRESS PANTS OR 2 BLACK DRESS SKIRTS ARE SUGGESTED ALONG WITH BLACK SHOES, BLACK SOCKS OR HOSE, AND AN FFA TIE OR SCARF

B) CASUAL CLOTHES FOR 2 DAYS

C) SWIMMING SUITS

D) DRESS SHOES

E) TOILETRIES

F) LIGHT JACKET

- 6) No Breaking School Rules: Smoking, curfew, dress code ETC.....

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

\*\*\*\*\*CELL PHONES WILL NOT BE PERMITTED DURING THE CONVENTION AND TOURS IF YOU NEED TO GET A HOLD OF YOUR CHILD IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY PLEASE CALL MY CELL AT 740-251-7991.

THANK YOU FOR ALLOWING ME TO TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE STATE FFA CONVENTION

SINCERELY,

MRS. KRIS GUTHRIE