

# 95TH SOUTH DAKOTA FFA CONVENTION



BROOKINGS, SD  
APRIL 16-18, 2023



# South Dakota FFA Association 2022-2023 State FFA Officers



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## WELCOME

Welcome to the 95th South Dakota State FFA Convention!

Join us, the 2022-2023 State FFA Officer Team, as we celebrate the accomplishments of South Dakota's 5,500 FFA members and 109 FFA chapters. Throughout this busy and exciting year, we have seen South Dakota's FFA members excel. These three days will be filled with achievement, inspiration and a passion for agriculture.



### 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 agriculture education.

### THE AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION MISSION

Agriculture education prepares students for successful careers and a lifetime of informed choices in global agriculture, food, fiber and natural resource systems.

# Career Development Events (CDE)

## Sunday, April 16th, 2023

### Natural Resources

The Barn ..... 4:00 pm

### Poultry Evaluation

Animal Science Arena ..... 4:00 pm

### Veterinary Science

USU Volstorff Ballroom ..... 4:00 pm

### Ag Business Management

Rotunda D ..... 4:00 pm

### Ag Mechanics Team Problems

Raven Precision Ag 176 ..... 5:00 pm

### Food Science and Technology (Individual Events)

Raven Precision Ag 290, 293, 296 ..... 5:00 pm

## Monday, April 17th, 2023

### Ag Mechanics

Raven Precision Ag 171 ..... 7:45 am

### Livestock Evaluation

Animal Science Arena ..... 7:45 am

### Dairy Cattle Evaluation

Dairy Science Unit ..... 8:00 am

### Food Science Team Presentations

Raven Precision Ag ..... 8:00 am

*Schedule will be released to competing teams*

### Milk Quality and Products (Team Problems & Mastitis Test)

The Barn ..... 8:00 am

### Meats Evaluation & Technology (Test)

Club 71 Dana J. Dkyhouse Stadium ..... 8:00 am

*Use Premier Bank Entrance on west side of stadium*

### Floriculture

McCrary Gardens ..... Sessions at 8:00 am & 12:00 pm

### Food Science Product Development

Raven Precision Ag 288 ..... 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

### Milk Quality and Products (Hands-on Portion)

Dairy Science 116 & 122 ..... Sessions at 9:15 am, 10:45 am, & 2:15 pm

### Meats Evaluation & Technology (ID and grading)

Animal Science Meat Lab ..... 10:00 am

### Agronomy

Club 71 Dana J. Dkyhouse Stadium ..... 10:00 am

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### Nursery Landscape

Club 71 Dana J. Dkyhouse Stadium ..... 10:00 am

*Use Premier Bank Entrance on west side of stadium*

### Range Plant ID

Raven Precision Ag 232 ..... Sessions at 11:00 am, 1:30 pm, & 2:30 pm

### Horse Judging (Test)

Club 71 Dana J. Dkyhouse Stadium ..... 12:30 pm

*Use Premier Bank Entrance on west side of stadium*

### Horse Judging

Animal Science Complex ..... 2:00 pm

# CONVENTION

## Friday, April 14, 2023

### State FFA Officer Candidate Interviews

Raven Precision Ag ..... 9:30 am - 10:00 pm

## Saturday, April 15, 2023

### State FFA Officer Candidate Interviews

Raven Precision Ag ..... 9:30 am - 10:00 pm

## Sunday, April 16, 2023

### State FFA Officer Candidate Interviews

Raven Precision Ag ..... 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

### State FFA Ambassador Interviews

Raven Precision Ag ..... 3:00 pm

### SD FFA Foundation Board Meeting

Swiftel Center Room C ..... 4:00 pm

### Committee Meetings

Swiftel Center Arena ..... 5:00 pm

### Past State Officer Reception

Swiftel Center Room D ..... 5:00 pm

### District Officer Gathering

Swiftel Center, SE Corner of Arena ..... 5:30 - 6:45 pm

### Sponsor & VIP Reception

Swiftel Center Room C ..... 6:15 pm

6:30 pm

### PRE-SESSION

7:00 pm

### FIRST GENERAL SESSION

Reflections ..... 2022-2023 State Officers

National Anthem

Opening Ceremonies

Greetings ..... Dean of CAFES, Dr. Joseph Cassady

SD FFA Foundation Presentation

Retiring Address ..... Megan Sanders

*Good Enough?*

Past State Officer Recognition

Proficiency Awards - Part 1

SD FFA Family of the Year Recognition

Retiring Address ..... Caleb McGregor

*Cultivate Your Future*

Proficiency Awards - Part 2

Closing Ceremonies





# CONVENTION

**Monday, April 17, 2022**

## **SD Farmers Union Farm Safety Quiz Bowl**

USU State Room (260) ..... 9:00 am

## **Career Carnival**

USU Volstorff Ballroom and Lobby ..... 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

## **Workshops**

Schedule on Page 14-15 ..... 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

## **Living to Serve Project**

MAC, Miller Wellness Center ..... 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

*Use East Entrance, follow signage*

## **Instructors Luncheon**

USU 169 Campanile & Hobo Gallery ..... 11:30 am

*(Invitation only) Sponsored by SDSU College of Agriculture, Food and Environmental Sciences*

## **Lunch Options** - Avoid the lunch crowd at the Student Union!

Hamburger Meal ..... Club 71 Dana J. Dykhouse Stadium

*Open during lunch hours- ask your advisor for details (FFA members only)*

Chick-fil-A Pop Up Concession ..... Raven Precision Ag

*Opens after livestock evaluation concludes*

2:00 pm

**BUSINESS SESSION** ..... Swiftel Center  
**Opening Ceremonies** ..... Ella Stiefvater, Presiding  
**Roll Call of Delegates**  
**Previous Meeting Minutes**  
**Committee Reports**  
**National Convention Report**  
**New Business**  
**Closing Ceremonies**

## **State FFA Degree Reception**

Swiftel Center Room A and B ..... 5:00 - 6:30 pm

*5:45 pm State FFA Degree Reception Presentation by State Officers*

## **State Star Banquet**

Swiftel Center Room D ..... 5:15 pm

6:15 pm

6:30 pm

7:00 pm

**PRE-SESSION**  
**FIFTH ANNUAL TEACH AG SIGNING DAY**  
**SECOND GENERAL SESSION**  
**National Anthem**  
**Opening Ceremonies**  
**Greetings** ..... SDSU President, Barry Dunn  
**Star Agriscience Announcement**  
**Retiring Address** ..... Kathryn Rausch  
*What If?*  
**Star Agribusiness Announcement**  
**Introduction of State Officer Candidates**  
**Retiring Address** ..... Jacob Olson  
*Be Uncomfortable*  
**Star Agriculture Placement Announcement**  
**Distinguished Service Award Presentation**  
**Honorary State Degree Ceremony**  
**National Officer** ..... Gracie Murphy  
**Year in Review**  
**Star Farmer Announcement**  
**State Degree Ceremony - Part 1**  
**District Greenhand Recognition**  
**State Degree Ceremony - Part 2**  
**Closing Ceremonies**



## **FFA Entertainment Night**

Swiftel Center Room A, B, C, and D

*Entertainment Night will begin 45 minutes after Session 2 concludes and will end at 11:30 pm*

# CONVENTION

**Tuesday, April 18, 2023**

8:00 am

## PRE-SESSION

8:30 am

## THIRD GENERAL SESSION



National Anthem

Opening Ceremony

Agriscience Fair Recognition

Retiring Address ..... Sidney Peterson  
*The Cards You're Dealt*

National Chapter Awards

New Chapter Charter Recognition

Retiring Address ..... Ella Stiefvater  
*Blue Clear Sky*



Scholarship Recognition

Service Project Report

Golden Owl Awards

Career Development Event Results

Ambassador Recognition ..... Ella Monroe  
Christina Zoellner

2023-2024 Ambassador Announcement

2023-2024 State Officer Election

2022-2023 State Officer Recognition

Closing Ceremonies

## State FFA Officer and Parent Luncheon

Swiftel Center Room D ..... 12:30 pm  
*(Invitation Only)*

## How to Watch the Convention Session Livestream:

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## All Sessions are Central Time

Sunday, 7:00 - 9:30 pm

Monday, 7:00 - 10:00 pm

Tuesday, 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

*Please be respectful and turn off all electronic devices during all sessions, workshops and CDEs.*



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## Featured Speaker

### Gracie Murphy

Eastern Region Vice President



Gracie is from Macomb, Illinois, where she was introduced to agriculture by her grandparents who own row crop farms. While not from a farm herself, Murphy grew a passion for the industry through FFA. She served as the 2021-2022 Illinois FFA State Secretary, and now serves as the National FFA Eastern Region Vice President, representing over 850,000 members.

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## Honorary State Degrees

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Kevin Blagg  
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## Distinguished Service Awards

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## ATTEND A WORKSHOP

(Pages 14-15)

and receive a chance

at a **\$50 Drawing!**

Two prizes will be drawn  
at Monday night's session.



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# 2023 State Degree Recipients

## Alcester-Hudson

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Caden Winquist  
Hazel Renken  
Lucy Osterkamp  
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Peyton Meyer

## Arlington

Ava Bunker  
Carly Spilde  
Dani Carlson  
Erica Mohr  
Morgan Larsen  
Natalie Burns  
Tanaya Weiss

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Dustin Kolb  
Izzabella Ramos  
Morgan Mackaben  
Nicole Kraft  
Olivia Furrow  
Shaylee Pickett

## Beresford

Alex Jensen  
Chloe Hazel  
Jackson Hofer  
Jayden Carlson  
Josie Delay  
Macy Quartier  
Michael Kjose  
Sylar Carlson

## Bon Homme

Landon Smith  
Nate Meyer  
Skye Kotalik

## Bridgewater-Emery

Cadin Cullison  
Jaden Eddy  
Kylee Pollman  
Mara Zorr  
Mary Duerksen  
Rylee Terveen  
Stella Postma

## Brookings

Paige Foster  
Raesa Zelinsky  
Tess Pantzke

## Canton

Alyvia Trumm  
Jackie Kreber

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Lane Johnson  
Ruby Kirk  
Shane Rist

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Swade Reis

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Kennedy Foster  
Lexis Siemonsma

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Brady Jordan  
Kayla Jordan  
Summer Seefeldt

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Katelynn Schreff  
Josie Baumberger

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Gannon Jerald  
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John Jassen  
Tucker Jacob Anderson

## Deubrook

Catherine Klein  
Ellie Olsen  
Liberty Wedinger

## Doland

Avery Miles  
Julian Remily  
Teagan Mason

## Elkton

Emily Robbins  
Garrett Alexander Neill  
Jadyn Seiler  
Sydney Boersma

## Flandreau

Carter Schoeberl  
Ty Kontz

## Garretson

Drew Pederson

## Gettysburg

Alex Tanner  
Owen Rausch

## Groton

Caleb Hanten  
Cole Bisbee  
Ethan Gengerke  
Kaleb Antonsen  
Kamryn Fliehs  
Porter Johnson

## Harrisburg

Ainsley Hansen  
Carter Ractliffe  
Chase Whitlock  
Emily Watson  
Kaitlynn Bell  
Halle Swenson  
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Raina Johnson

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Alex Wipf  
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Carter Binger  
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Harry Lukas Brok  
Kade Moschell  
Kade Schumaker  
Karsten Matthew  
Hamilton  
Zachary Jacobson

## Huron

Colt Dunkleberger  
Kaden Scheibe  
Kelby Dickson  
Noah Beck  
Tate Meyer  
Tori Buffington

## Kimball

Ryann Grussing  
Swayze Ness  
Taya Chelmo

## Lake Preston

Gretta Larson

## Lemmon

Alyssa Dix  
Dara Bauer  
Kristopher Maher  
Pearl Storm

## Lennox-Sundstrom

Nathaniel Collette  
Olivia Newell  
Shyla Schipper

## McCook Central

Alex Huls  
Aubree Kranz  
Austin Hoiten  
Brandy Pulse  
Brianna Even  
Brode Dennis  
Brock Nordlund  
Cody Zapp  
Isaak Pulse  
Jackson Grady  
Jake VanHout

# 2023 State Degree Recipients

## McCook Central

(CONT.)

Jayden Doane  
Joren Peterson  
Jonathon Schock  
Landon Roling  
Mason Pulse  
Mathew Kremppes  
Nathan Krier  
Samara Wolf  
Tayah McGregor

## Madison Central

Blake Lee Johnson  
Cooper Craig Hoffman  
Nicholas Ryan  
Kappenman

## Menno

Allison Lehr  
Madelyn Kludt  
Layne Schmidt

## Milbank

Cassidy Schwagel  
Harley Davis  
Keara Van Hoorn  
Luis Berrones  
Tice Mursu

## Miller

Briggs Runge  
Trevor Werdel  
Tyra Gates

## Montrose

Avery Weber  
Elizabeth Sechser  
Riley Graff

## Northwestern Area

Brooke Heim  
Ella Haven  
Ethan Boekelheide  
Gage Ratigan  
Reilly Schmitt  
Rian Gehring  
Tanner Ewalt

## Parker

Aspen Rand  
Jack Even  
Janae Olson  
Maddie Pankratz  
Zaul Centeno

## Parkston

Ashlyn Tapio  
Cade Thuringer  
Kacy Goehring  
Preston Mattheis  
Reid Leischner  
Wesley Bigge

## Philip

Adam Amiotte  
Colby Fosheim  
Daniel Finn  
Ember Gabriel  
Gage Ravellete  
Gracie Fitzgerald  
Levi Williams  
Taylor Ross  
Wyatt Schiever

## Pierre

Jenna Kruger

## Platte-Geddes

Avery DeVries  
Blair Olson  
Brooklyn Nepodal  
Callie Slaba  
Dawson Hoffman  
Jamie Nelson  
Luanna Kuipers  
Natalie Severson  
Oakley Kott  
Teigan VanderPol  
Trevor Rolland

## Rapid City Central

Destiny Palmer  
Madalynn Fairchild

## Rapid City Stevens

Jessica Joens  
Madison Hoffman

## Redfield

Brigette Lambert  
Elliot Komraus  
Gradyn Binger  
Kyle Woodring  
Riley Brabant  
Seth Siebrecht  
Tegan Marzahn  
Tyler Esser  
Zach Akin

## Scotland

Tori Dvorak

## Sioux Valley

Ashley Bjerke  
Elizabeth Shultz  
Gabrielle Grace Rebelein  
Merick Olson  
Preston VanderWal

## Sisseton

Alexis Ceroll  
Dean Shultz  
Ethan Skarnagel  
Tyan Johnson

## Sturgis

Abbie Culver

## Tri-Valley

Aidan Heitkamp  
Ava Pearson  
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Derek Van Asselt  
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## Wessington Springs

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Braydin LaBore  
Harlee Heim  
Kirstie Munsen  
Riley Roduner

## West Central

Addison Bahrenfuss  
Alison Zacharias  
Chase Olson  
Connor Siemonsma  
Dalton Mulder  
Dylan "Duece" Sherard  
Dylan Stromer  
Jesse Kline  
Madison DeMent  
Shayne Luzmoor

## Willow Lake

Alicia Yvonne Vig  
Braeden Michael  
Johnson  
Cole James Brenden  
Mitchell Emery Larson

## Wilmot

Alyssa Feather

## Winner

Clay Sell  
Maggie DeMers

## Wolsey-Wessington

Blaze Herdman  
Chris Wuestewald  
Kaitlyn Kahre  
Mya Boosma  
Sterlin Bonin  
Summer Stahl

# 2023 STAR Award Finalists

## **STAR Farmer Finalists**

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Morgan Mackaben .....	Belle Fourche
Teagan Mason .....	Doland
Zachary Jacobson .....	Howard
Landon Roling .....	McCook Central

## **STAR in Ag Placement Finalists**

Sponsored by The Dan Streff Family, Salem

Jackson Hofer .....	Beresford
Ella Haven .....	Northwestern Area
Austin Schimke .....	Wessington Springs
Ali Zacharias .....	West Central

## **STAR in AgriBusiness Finalists**

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Rylee Terveen .....	Bridgewater-Emery
Karsten Hamilton .....	Howard
Aubree Kranz .....	McCook Central
Ashley Bjerke .....	Sioux Valley

## **STAR in Agriscience Finalists**

Sponsored by Glacial Lakes Energy, LLC

Mason Pulse .....	McCook Central
Ethan Boekelheide .....	Northwestern Area
Shayne Luzmoori .....	West Central
Ali Zacharias .....	West Central

## **District Star Greenhands**

Sponsored by Central Farmers Cooperative

Emma Schneider .....	Doland (I)
Mason Jacobson .....	Howard (II)
Allie Westra .....	Beresford (III)
Maddy Lauck .....	McCook Central (IV)
Taya Kirstine .....	Belle Fourche (V)
Ridge Roduner .....	Wessington Springs (VI)
Ireland McAreavey .....	Tri-Valley (VII)



## **FFA Members...**

### **Attend the 2023 SD FFA Career Carnival & Workshops**

*in the Volstorff Ballroom and on 2nd floor  
of the SDSU Student Union*

Talk to exhibitors to earn prizes.



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Adult Farm Business Management

# Convention Workshops

## Monday, April 17, 2023

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### **Precision Ag of the Past, Present, and Future**

Agtegra Innovation Center

**USU Pasque Room (255)** ..... 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 1:30pm

*An insight into where Precision Ag started and has progressed over the years, also see what the future may look like for growers. The way farming is accomplished will look significantly different in the future.*

### **Pipelines, candy, and 12 million tons of carbon**

Summit Carbon Solutions

**USU Herold Crest Room (253 C)** ..... 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 1:00 pm

*Summit Carbon Solutions is a proposed carbon capture pipeline. We will eventually store 12 million tons of CO2 a year. But how much CO2 is that? And how does it stay there forever? We will explore the capture process, show you how it all moves through a pipeline (candy is involved) and try to demonstrate just how much 12 million tons really is.*

### **Finding Your Role in Ag**

Jennifer Henrie, South Dakota Ag and Rural Leadership (SDARL)

**USU Dakota Room (250)** ..... 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm

*Interested in an ag career, but know you don't want or can't have a traditional role - like ranching, or farming full time? We'll look outside the box at careers that have you staying engaged in an agriculture and are a crucial part of sustaining the agricultural industry.*

### **First Dakota Poker**

First Dakota National Bank

**USU Pheasant Room (253 A & B)** ..... 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 1:30 pm

*Don't leave your financial health to a game of chance! Learn about responsible financial management as you and your team try to develop the best poker hand. The stakes are high when your luck turns. Put on your best poker face and join us!*

# Living to Serve

## FFA Day of Service - **Meals of Hope**

During the convention, give back. Live to serve. Dedicate your free time to making a difference in the lives of those in need.



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Monday, April 17 • 9:00 am - 3:00 pm  
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# Convention Workshops Monday, April 17, 2023

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## ***Agriculture; it all starts with the Soil***

USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

**USU Lewis & Clark Room (262)** ..... 10:00 am, 11:30 am, 1:30 pm  
*In this session, representatives of the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service will discuss how their organization assists farmers and ranchers in SD to improve their profitability and protect the natural resources that make agriculture possible. Learn about careers, conservation issues and solutions with some interactive discussion and demonstrations. You will leave with resources that will assist you during the rest of your FFA career and beyond.*

## ***Let's ROCK this world***

Gracie Murphy, National Eastern Region VP

**USU Walder Room (065)** ..... 10:00 am, 11:30 am, 2:00 pm  
*Students will learn how to add value to their lives and others, and will be reminded of the ROCKstars they already are.*

## ***Teach Ag at SD State***

SDSU Ag-Ed Ambassadors

**USU Pioneer Room (265)** ..... 9:00 am, 10:30 am  
*Being a teacher is a great career. Come explore through interactive activities what it is like to be an Ag teacher. Hear from current SDSU students on why they are tagged to Teach Ag.*

## **Monday Lunch Options**

*Avoid the lunch crowd at the Student Union!*



**Club 71 Dana J. Dkyhouse Stadium**

**HAMBURGER MEAL**

*Open during lunch hours - ask your advisor for details*

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**Raven Precision Ag**

**CHICK-FIL-A POP UP CONCESSION**

*Opens after Livestock Evaluation concludes*

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# Career Carnival Exhibits

## Monday, April 17, 2023

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9:00 am - 3:00 pm

SDSU Student Union - Volstorff Ballroom

### ***Fun & Interactive Games!***

Agtegra Cooperative  
Avera Health  
BIG Idea Competition  
Black Hills Special Services Cooperative  
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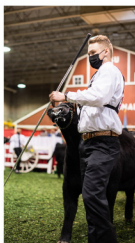
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Brandon Valley

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Bridgewater-Emery

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Brookings

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Buffalo Christian

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Canton

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Centerville

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Chamberlain

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Chester

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Cheyenne Eagle Butte

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Clark

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Colman-Egan

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Colome

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Custer

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De Smet

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Dell Rapids

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Deubrook

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Deuel

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Doland

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Dupree

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Edgemont

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Edmunds Central

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Elkton

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Estelline

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Ethan

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Faith

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Faulkton

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Flandreau

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Florence

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Freeman

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Garretson

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Gettysburg

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Gregory County

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Groton

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Harding County

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Harrisburg

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Henry

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Herreid

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Highmore

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Hitchcock-Tulare

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Hot Springs

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Hoven

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Howard

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Huron

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Iroquois
Jones County
Kadoka
Kimball
Lake Preston
Langford
Lead-Deadwood
Lemmon
Lennox-Sundstrom
Leola
Lyman
Madison Central
McCook Central
McIntosh
Menno
Milbank
Miller
Mitchell
Montrose
New Underwood
Newell
Northwestern Area
Parker
Parkston
Philip
Pierre
Platte-Geddes
Rapid City Central
Rapid City Stevens
Redfield
Rutland
Sanborn Central/Woonsocket
Scotland
Selby Area
Sioux Falls CTE Academy
Sioux Valley
Sisseton
Stanley County
Sturgis
Sully Buttes
Sunshine Bible Academy
Tea Area
Timber Lake
Tri-Valley
Viborg-Hurley
Wagner
Wall
Watertown Area
Webster/Waubay
Wessington Springs
West Central
Willow Lake
Wilmot
Winner
Wolsey-Wessington
Yankton

# STATE OFFICER ANNIVERSARYS

## 10 Years Ago | 2012-2013

Taylor Leonhardt, Groton  
Andy Rausch, Hoven  
Ashley Tonak, Willow Lake  
Tyler Swan, Newell  
Kelli Garry, Lake Preston  
Savanna Sperle, Lemmon



## 20 Years Ago | 2002-2003

Jamie Swan, Newell  
Jared Knock, Willow Lake  
Kelly O'Donnell, Lemmon  
Ryan Brunner, Newell  
Sarah Stratmeyer, Lennox-Sundstrom  
Mary Kurtz, Elkton



## 30 Years Ago | 1992-1993

Corey Langerock, Marion  
Brian Bramstedt, Harrisburg  
Scott Westerhuis, Platte  
Laura Alderson, West Central  
Ginger Airheart, Sturgis  
Jason Story, Parker



## 40 Years Ago | 1982-1983

Larry Nielson, Tulare  
Bob Murphy, Arlington  
Alan Neitzel, Tulare  
Joe Davis, Elkton  
Sheree Dean, Miller  
Doug Entringer, Colman



## 50 Years Ago | 1972-1973

Kendal Thompson, Willow Lake  
Craig Johannsen, Madison  
Jon F. Wehde, Brandon Valley  
Kim Wallum, DeSmet  
Eugene Moeller, Miller  
Harley Hansen, Doland



## 60 Years Ago | 1962-1963

Larry Headrick, Flandreau  
Darrell Vik, Centerville  
Gary Overberg, Wilmont  
Eugene Kocmich, Scotland  
Roger Strom, Beresford  
Gale Shellito, Rapid City



## In Memory Of

**Lowell Gisselback**  
2/8/1934 - 12/25/2022  
National FFA Vice  
President 1954-1955

**Kendal Thompson**  
9/10/1954 - 6/5/2022  
State President  
1972-1973