



Event Information

97TH OHIO FFA CONVENTION

MAY 1-2, 2025 • OHIO EXPO CENTER • COLUMBUS, OHIO

THURSDAY, MAY 1, 2025

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
8:00 am Industry Welcome Breakfast – Rhodes
for State Officer Candidates
8:30 am Workshops – Bricker

9:45 am PRE-SESSION

10:00 am FIRST SESSION

Opening Ceremony
Teacher/Administrator Recognition
Chapter Trust Awards
FFA Charitable Giving Recognition
FFA Foundation Scholarships
Ohio FFA Works Program Recognition
Recognition of New FFA Chapters
Keynote Speaker – A'ric Jackson
Announcement of the 2025-26 Ohio FFA Officer Ballot
Closing Ceremony

12:00 pm Delegate Business Session & Luncheon – Rhodes

2:15 pm PRE-SESSION

2:30 pm SECOND 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 – John Beede

Proficiency Award Recognition
Accounting through Equine Science
Closing Ceremony

6:30 pm Career Show & Expo Closed – Bricker
6:30 pm Ohio FFA Fashion Place Closed – Bricker

6:15 pm PRE-SESSION

6:30 pm THIRD SESSION

Opening Ceremony
Honorary State FFA Degree Ceremony
National Winners Recognition
Star American FFA Degree Recognition
Star State FFA Degree Recognition
Keynote Speaker – Luke Jennings, National FFA Secretary
Proficiency Award Recognition
Fiber and/or Oil Crop through Wildlife Management
Closing Ceremony

FRIDAY, MAY 2, 2025

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 – Rhodes

9:15 am PRE-SESSION

9:30 am FOURTH SESSION

Opening Ceremony
Greetings – Leah Amstutz, Ohio Department of Education and Workforce
Officer Awards

- Secretary's Award
- Treasurer's Award
- Reporter's Award

Career Development Event Recognition
Agriscience Fair Recognition
Closing Ceremony

12:00 pm Friends of the FFA Luncheon – Rhodes
12:30 pm Talent Showcase – Celeste
1:00 pm Workshops – Bricker
2:00 pm Workshops – Bricker

1:45 pm PRE-SESSION

2:00 pm FIFTH SESSION - A

Opening Ceremony
Band and Choir Presentation
Keynote Speaker – Anna Moeller, Ohio FFA President
Conferring of the State FFA Degree (*M-Z Chapters*)
Closing Ceremony

4:00 pm Workshops – Bricker
4:30 pm Band and Choir Musical Presentation – Celeste
5:30 pm Career Show & Expo Closed – Bricker
5:30 pm Ohio FFA Fashion Place Closed – Bricker

5:45 pm PRE-SESSION

6:00 pm FIFTH SESSION - B

Opening Ceremony
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2025-26 Ohio FFA Officer Announcement
Conferring of the State FFA Degree (*A-L Chapters*)
Officer Installation
Closing Ceremony



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