



Schedule of Events

98TH OHIO FFA CONVENTION

APRIL 30-MAY 1, 2026 • OHIO EXPO CENTER • COLUMBUS, OHIO

THURSDAY • APRIL 30, 2026

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 – Kasich <i>for State Officer Candidates</i>

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 – TBA

Announcement of the 2026-27 Ohio FFA Officer Ballot
Closing Ceremony

12:00 pm	Delegate Business Session & Luncheon – Kasich
12:00 pm	Workshops – Bricker

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 – TBA

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 – TBA
Proficiency Award Recognition
Fiber and/or Oil Crop through Wildlife Management
Closing Ceremony

FRIDAY • MAY 1, 2026

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 – Kasich

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 FFA Luncheon – Kasich
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 – Carter Boyd, Ohio FFA President

Conferring of the State FFA Degree **Districts 1-5**

Alphabetical by chapter within each district

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
Band and Choir Presentation

Keynote Speaker – Carter Boyd, Ohio FFA President
2026-27 Ohio FFA Officer Announcement

Conferring of the State FFA Degree **Districts 6-10**

Alphabetical by chapter within each district

Officer Installation

Closing Ceremony



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