

Kentucky FFA State Winners

Congratulations to Caryl Lyn Akers and Jensen McMurry on winning state titles at the Kentucky FFA State Convention in June.

Caryl Lyn Akers won first place in the Equine Placement Proficiency contest at the Kentucky FFA Association Convention held in June. Caryl Lyn works with Blue Willow Farms in Versailles and competed against other students with an equine interest from across the Commonwealth. The proficiency contests is scored on number of hours worked, written responses, progression of responsibilities, and overall student experience within the equine sector. Caryl Lyn will now represent the state of Kentucky at the National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, IN in October where she will compete against other FFA members from all 50 states, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

Jensen McMurry won first place in the American Institute of Cooperatives Contest at the Kentucky FFA Convention held in June. The contest is comprised of five oral questions and a written assessment on the American Private Enterprise System. Jensen won a monetary scholarship and a free trip to the American Institute of Cooperatives National Conference.