

2024-2025 Eastern Region and Tennessee FFA Calendar

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DUE DATE	APPLICATION, FORM, OR EVENT	CONTACT	EMAIL	
July				
31	Online Appalachian Fair entries close at www.appalachianfair.com	Stena Meadows	stena.meadows@tn.gov	
August				
2-3	Regional Officer Preparatory Experience (ROPE) at Camp Clements	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
13	East TN Top Crop Dinner	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
15	Deadline to Register for State Dairy Judging & Dairy Handler CDEs	Summer Major	summer.major@tn.gov	
	Deadline to Register for State Fair Open Contests	Summer Major	summer.major@tn.gov	
15	National Dual Participation Notification Due			
15-24	Tennessee State Fair (Wilson County Fair), Lebanon, TN			
18	Appalachian Fair Entries (1:00-4:00) Judging at 4:30PM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
19-24	Appalachian Fair	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
16	Deadline to register for East TN Regional Dairy Evaluation CDE on Google Docs	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
17	State Goat Expo, Wilson County Fairgrounds	Aaron Fisher	afisher3@tennessee.edu	
19	Appalachian Fair FFA Beef Judging Contest	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
19	TN FFA Foundation Ham Breakfast at State Fair	Chelsea Rose	chelsearose@tnffa.org	
	State Fair Open Contests	Summer Major	summer.major@tn.gov	
22	State Dairy Judging & Dairy Handlers CDE at State Fair	Summer Major	summer.major@tn.gov	
23	East Tennessee Regional Dairy Evaluation CDE 9:00 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
23	Appalachian Fair FFA Invitational Dairy Handlers Event 9:30 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
23	Appalachian Fair FFA Prepared Speaking Contest 11:00 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
23	Online TN Valley Fair Entries Close on www.tnvalleyfair.org	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
25	Appalachian Fair FFA Entry Removal 1:00-4:00	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
September				
1	Online CDE/LDE Certification Closes	Carol Herl	cherl@ffa.org	
1	National CDE/LDE Manuscripts Due	Carol Herl	cherl@ffa.org	
3-6	Future Farmer Conference, Camp Clements	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
4	Last Day to Cancel National Convention Rooms without Penalty		registrationsupport@ffa.org	
5	FFA entries accepted at TN Valley Fair 3:30-7:30 PM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	

6	FFA entries accepted at TN Valley Fair 3:30-6:30 PM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
7	East TN Regional Dairy Expo at TN Valley Fair			
7	FFA entries accepted at TN Valley Fair 7:00-10:00 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
7	FFA exhibit judging at TN Valley Fair 11:00 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
9	FFA Day at the Tennessee Valley Fair	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
9	TN Valley Fair FFA Public Speaking Contest 10:00 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
11	State Livestock Judging CDE, MTSU	Josh Eason	joshua.eason@tn.gov	
11	National Convention & Expo Registration opens at 6 pm EDT		registrationsupport@ffa.org	
14	Chapter Presidents' Conference (CPC) 9:00 AM	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
19	North East AFNR Cluster PD @ Appalachian Fairgrounds	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
19-20	East TN Regional Sheep Expo (Appalachian Fairgrounds)			
23	South West AFNR Cluster PD @ Helena - Memphis	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
25	North West AFNR Cluster PD	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
27	East AFNR Cluster PD @ UTK	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
24	TTU Fall Clinics	Dennis Fennewald	dfennewald@tntech.edu	
24	State winners prep (Parli & CCM)	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	
25	National Convention Housing Closes		registrationsupport@ffa.org	
26	Deadline to register for East TN FFA Land Evaluation on Google Docs	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
28	East TN FFA Greenhand/Chapter Officer Leadership Training (COLT)	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
30	State Winners Prep Day, Ellington Agricultural Center (Ag Issues, Ag Marketing Plan, Ag Communications, Prepared Public Speaking, Extemporaneous Speaking, Creed Speaking, Employment Skills)	Terra Davis	terradaavis@tnffa.org	
October				
2	National Convention Early Bird Registration Closes at 8 PM EST		registrationsupport@ffa.org	
3	East TN FFA Regional Land Evaluation CDE (Knoxville)	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
3	Upper Cumberland AFNR PD @ TTU Oakley STEM Center - RMH139	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
7	Deadline to register for State Soil/ Land Judging	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
4	Mid-Cumberland AFNR PD @ Wilson Co. Fairgrounds Veterans Building	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
11-12	State Dairy Expo, Wilson County Fairgrounds	Aaron Fisher	afisher3@utk.edu	
14	State Soil/ Land Judging	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
21	Cultivate/Emerge Conference Registration Opens	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
23-26	National FFA Convention			
29	CTSO Fall Leadership Conference, Lebanon	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
17-19	State Sheep Expo at Hyder Burks, Cookeville	Aaron Fisher	afisher3@utk.edu	
November				
1	CTSO Fall Leadership Conference, Knoxville	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
	National FFA Scholarship Goes Live		scholarship@ffa.org	
5	Deadline to register for State Horse Evaluation CDE	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
7	Deadline to register for Cultivate/Emerge	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
7	South East AFNR PD @ PIE Center, Cleveland	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
7	Deadline to register for East TN AG Sales CDE on Google Docs	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
11	South Central AFNR PD @ Farm Bureau, Columbia	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
14	CTSO Fall Leadership Conference, Jackson	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
15	CTSO Fall Leadership Conference, Memphis	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
12	State Horse Judging CDE, MTSU	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
14	East TN AG Sales CDE	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
22-23	Cultivate/Emerge Conference, Camp Clements	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
28	Registration deadline for State Meats	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	
December				
1	Deadline to submit fall rosters on ffa.org	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
	Deadline to submit Chapter POA on ffa.org	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
1	Tennessee Delegation for Washington Leadership Conference Registration Opens	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	

3	Deadline to register for East TN Parliamentary Procedure & Conduct of Chapter Meetings LDEs on Google Form	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
5	Deadline to register for State Meats CDE	Terra Davis	Terra.davis@tn.gov	
10	East TN Parliamentary Procedure & Conduct of Chapter Meetings LDEs	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
12	State Meats CDE, Wilson County Fairgrounds	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	
JANUARY				
1	State FFA Scholarship Application Opens	Chelsea Rose	chelsearose@tnffa.org	
8-11	State Swine Expo at Hyder Burks, Cookeville	Aaron Fisher	afisher3@utk.edu	
14-15	New Teacher Retreat @ Camp Clements	Stuart Watson	stuart.watson@tn.gov	
16	FFA Board of Directors Meeting, Camp Clements	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
15	Sugregional Manuscripts due and registration due via Google Forms	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
22	Smoky Mountain and Tennessee Valley Subregional Speaking LDEs (Creed, Prepared, Extemp, Employment Skills)	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
23	State FFA Convention registration opens	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
24	Regional STAR Applications due in PDF form to Stena. Meadows@tn.gov	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
FEBRUARY				
1	State FFA Scholarships due	Chelsea Rose	chelsearose@tnffa.org	
	Deadline to submit FFA State Officer Applications	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
	Deadline to submit spring rosters at www.ffa.org	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
1	SUPER SATURDAY - East TN State Degree Judging, Regional Speaking LDEs, Ag Issues, Marketing Plan	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
4	TTU Spring Clinics, Hyder Burks	Dennis Fennewald	dfennewald@tntech.edu	
1	Deadline to register as judge for State Proficiency judging	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
8	East TN FFA PLOW Applications Due vid Google Forms	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
8	State Proficiency judging at Camp Clements, 8:30 A.M. start	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
14	ASF Manuscripts Due on Judging Card	Stena Meadows		
17	TFBF State Officer Prep Course	Amy Beckham	abeckham@tbf.com	
14-15	TN FFA Alumni Convention, Montgomery Bell State Park	Aaron Walls	aaron.walls@pcsstn.com	
15-22	National FFA Week			
	TN FFA Goodwill Tour	Chelsea Rose	chelsearose@tnffa.org	
TBA	East TN Ag Communications LDE	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
20	FFA Legislative Breakfast at Music City Hall of Fame	Chelsea Rose	chelsearose@tnffa.org	
22	Deadline to register for East TN FFA Livestock Evaluation CDE via Google Forms	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
24	State talent applications due			
	State FFA Convention registration closes	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
	Deadline to register for all open State Convention CDEs/LDEs	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
MARCH				
1	Deadline to submit State Convention CDE/LDE paperwork on judgingcard (employment skills materials, prepared manuscripts, agricultural communications media plans, agricultural issues portfolios, marketing plans, cooperative development plans), State Star degree and Star Applications	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
	Tennessee Delegation to Washington Leadership Conference Registration Deadline	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	
1	East Tennessee Regional Livestock Evaluationa CDE in conjunction with UT Block & Bridle Round Up, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Brehm Arena	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
1	East TN FFA Ag Mechanics Registration due via Google Forms	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
5	East TN FFA Floriculture and Nursery Landscape CDE Registration Due via Google Forms	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
8	East TN FFA Ag Mechanics CDE	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
12	East TN FFA Floriculture and Nursery/Landscape CDEs	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	

15	American FFA Degree Early Submission Deadline - OPTIONAL	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
23-26	State FFA Convention, Gatlinburg	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
	State Convention CDEs/LDEs during Convention: Ag Education, Quiz Bowl, Ag Communications, Ag Marketing, Ag Issues, Ag Sales, Conduct of Chapter Meeting, Food Science, Agronomy, ENR, Milk Quality & Products, Creed, Employment Skills, Extemporaneous Public Speaking, Farm Business Mgmt, Parliamentary Procedure, Prepared Public Speaking, Agriscience Fair	Summer Major	summer.major@tn.gov	
APRIL				
1	East Tennessee FFA Regional Officer Applications Due to Stena.Meadows@tn.gov in PDF Form	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
7-11	Base Camp Training for newly elected TN FFA State Officers, Camp Clements	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
7	Camp Clements Registration Opens	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
10	East TN FFA Regional Officer Selection	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
16	Deadline to register for State Poultry Evaluation CDE on google form	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
19-20	Knoxville Spring Junior Cattle Show	Aaron Fisher	afisher3@utk.edu	
TBD	East TN FFA Awards Banquet	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
30	Tennessee National Officer Candidate materials due	Amy Beckham	abeckham@tbf.com	
30	Tennessee National Officer Candidate Nominating Committee applications due	Amy Beckham	abeckham@tbf.com	
23	State Floriculture CDE at TTU	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
23	State Nursery/Landscaping CDE at TTU	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
23	State Poultry Evaluation CDE at TTU	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
13	Deadline to Register for State Vet Science			
12	State Vet Science at UTM	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
24	State Ag Mechanics CDE	Dr. Thomas Broyles	tbroyle1@Tnstate.edu	
25-26	Ropes Training for State Officers at Camp Clements	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
MAY				
15	National FFA Honorary Award applications must be completed on ffa.org	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
15	American FFA Degree applications must be completed on ffa.org by 11:59 P.M. and student names submitted on Google Forms by 11:59 P.M.	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
15	Star Battery applications must be completed on ffa.org by 11:59 P.M. and student names submitted on Google Forms by 11:59 P.M.	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
22	Tennessee FFA Board of Directors Meeting	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
23	Deadline to register for State Forestry CDE on google forms	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
26-30	FFA Camp Week 1	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
JUNE				
1-6	Tennessee FFA Forestry Camp, Fall Creek Falls State Park	Steve Stephens	steve.stephens@sumnerschools.org	
6	National Chapter Award judging at Camp Clements. Applications must be at Camp by 3:00 pm CST	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	
6-7	State Forestry CDE, Camp Clements 2:30 P.M. registration, 4:00 P.M. start	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
2-6	FFA Camp Week 2	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
9-13	FFA Camp Week 3	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
16-20	FFA Camp Week 4	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
23-27	FFA Camp Week 5	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
30	Revised state winning Agricultural Proficiency Award applications must be completed ffa.org	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
30	Revised state winning Agriscience Fair applications/manuscripts must be completed on ffa.org	Stena Meadows	Stena.Meadows@tn.gov	
JULY				
June 30-July 4	FFA Camp Week 6	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
7-11	FFA Camp Week 7	Shannon Turner	shannon@campclements.org	
7-13	Tennessee Delegation - WLC	Terra Davis	terra.davis@tn.gov	
20-23	TAAE Conference			

TBD	State Beef Expo	Aaron Fisher	afisher3@utk.edu	
31	FFA Annual Report Due	Ryan Inman	ryan.inman2@tn.gov	
31	SAE report is due on tnffa.org			

