



## **Tennessee FFA Calendar 2017-2018**

*Regional Events are listed on the Regional Calendars.  
State and regional calendars are available at [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org).  
All dates are subject to change.*

- Aug. 11-12** Regional Officer Preparatory Experience at Camp Clements 12 p.m. registration, 1 p.m. start
- Aug. 15** FFA Annual Report due online
- Deadline for special needs requests to National FFA
- Last day for advisor member approvals in AgCN at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org)
- ILSSO online registration opens.
- Aug. 18** State Fair mail in entry deadline
- Aug. 31** Deadline to let the state office know new affiliation chapters at [Stena.Meadows@tn.gov](mailto:Stena.Meadows@tn.gov)
- Sept. 1** Online registration deadline for state fair entries at [www.tnstatefair.org](http://www.tnstatefair.org) (CDE's including dairy evaluation, dairy handling, milk quality and products, livestock evaluation, food science and technology, and horse evaluation should also register at [www.judgingcard.com](http://www.judgingcard.com))
- Sept. 1** Online CDE/LDE certifications due, Upload deadline for agriculture issues, marketing plan, agriculture communications portfolios, prepared speaking manuscripts, and job interview materials to National FFA by 5PM EDT.
- ILSSO online registration due to National FFA by 5PM EDT
- Sept. 8-17** Tennessee Valley Fair in Knoxville
- Sept. 8-17** Tennessee State Fair in Nashville
- Sept. 11** FFA Day at the Fair  
8:30 a.m. registration, 9 a.m. start for state livestock evaluation and state milk quality and products  
9:30 a.m. registration, 10 a.m. start for 9<sup>th</sup> grade state fair public speaking  
10 a.m. registration, 10:30 a.m. start for state fair open horse evaluation and state fair floral design  
11 a.m. registration, 11:30 a.m. start for 10<sup>th</sup> grade state fair public speaking  
12 p.m. registration, 12:30 p.m. start for 11<sup>th</sup> grade state fair public speaking  
1 p.m. registration, 1:30 p.m. start for state fair 12<sup>th</sup> grade public speaking, state dairy evaluation, state dairy handling, and state fair open dairy evaluation
- Sept. 12** State horse evaluation at MTSU with 12 p.m. registration and 2 p.m. start
- Sept. 15** National FFA deadline for National CDE waivers, Agriscience fair waiver and dietary forms
- Oct. 16** State Land registration due to [www.judgingcard.com](http://www.judgingcard.com)
- Oct. 17** West TN CTSO Fall Leadership Conference in Memphis
- Oct. 18** Middle TN CTSO Fall Leadership Conference in Nashville \*TENTATIVE\*

- Oct. 20** East TN CTSO Fall Leadership Conference in Knoxville
- Oct. 20** Registration deadline for 212 and 360 leadership conferences and Tennessee breakfast on [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org)
- Oct. 24** National CDE add/delete online deadline to National FFA by 12:00 NOON EDT
- Oct. 25-28** National FFA convention in Louisville, KY
- Oct. 27** Tennessee breakfast at national convention
- Oct. 30** State land evaluation, Jackson (Location TBD)
- Nov. 15** Online SAE grant and WLC/Blast Off/NLCSO trainer applications due to National FFA by 5:00 PM EST.  
National FFA Scholarship Application goes live online
- Nov. 17-18** 212 and 360 leadership conferences at Camp Clements starting at 3:30 p.m.
- Dec. 1** Deadline to submit fall rosters to AgCN at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org) and to have membership fees sent to:  
Tennessee FFA  
11<sup>th</sup> Floor, Andrew Johnson Tower  
710 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37243
- Dec. 1** Deadline to submit POA to your Regional Consultant via Dropbox
- Dec. 15** Deadline for state honorary degree, VIP, and distinguished service award applications to state office (Available on the downloads section of [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org))
- Jan. 11** Team Ag Ed/Board of directors meetings in Nashville
- Feb. 1** State and National FFA scholarship applications due online at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org) and [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org)
- Feb. 2** State talent applications due to Windy Willette  
State officer and state officer nominating committee applications due in state office (see [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org) for applications)
- Feb. 9** Deadline to register for state proficiency judging at [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org)
- Feb. 16** Deadline to submit fall rosters to AgCN at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org) and to have membership fees sent to:  
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710 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37243
- Feb. 17** State proficiency judging at Camp Clements at 8:30 a.m.
- Feb. 19-23** Goodwill tour/FFA week
- Feb 19** State Convention CDE paperwork, State Star Battery, and Convention Registration due

Deadline to submit all FFA membership dues to state office with membership submitted in AgCN at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org)

- March 1** Agriscience fair application and reports submitted online with advisor approval by 11:59 P.M. through AgCN at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org)
- March 15** State Convention registration fees due to the state office
- March 24** Registration deadline for State Meats, Food Science, and Milk Quality and Products CDEs
- March 25-28** State FFA convention in Gatlinburg
- April 2-5** Blast Off for state officers at Camp Clements
- April 7** Registration deadline for state poultry evaluation and state vet science on [www.judgingcard.com](http://www.judgingcard.com)
- April 7** State meats evaluation and state food science and technology at UTK.
- April 9** Camp registration opens for affiliate chapters
- April 21** State poultry evaluation and state vet science at UT Martin at 8:30 a.m.
- April 14** Registration deadline for state agriculture mechanics, state floriculture, and state nursery and landscaping on [www.judgingcard.com](http://www.judgingcard.com)
- April 16** Camp registration opens for all chapters
- Deadline for FFA/Ag Ed internship applications and Tennessee national officer candidate materials in state office
- Deadline for Tennessee national officer candidate nominating committee applications to Courtney.Halfacre@tn.gov
- April 27** State Ag Mechanics at TSU at 12:00 p.m.
- April 28** State floriculture and nursery/landscaping at TTU at 9:00 a.m.
- TBD** National officer candidate selection at Camp Clements
- May 14** Deadline for american degrees and star battery applications in state office and national honorary award nominations (See [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org) or [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org) for more information)
- Deadline to register for state forestry and state environmental science CDEs at [www.judgingcard.com](http://www.judgingcard.com) and to sign up for camp lodging and meals for those CDEs at [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org)
- May 14** Deadline for camp money to the state office
- May 18-20** Ropes course facilitation training at Camp Clements
- May 24** Team Ag Ed/FFA board of directors meetings in Nashville
- May 28-Jun 1** FFA Camp Week 1
- June 8** National chapter award judging at Camp Clements starting at 2:30 p.m.
- June 4-8** Forestry camp at Fall Creek Falls

- June 4-8** FFA Camp Week 2
- June 8** National chapter award judging at Camp Clements starting at 1:30 p.m.
- June 8-9** State Forestry CDE at Camp Clements with registration starting at 2:30 p.m. and starting at 4 p.m.
- June 9** State Environmental Science and Agronomy CDE at Camp Clements at 1 p.m.
- June 15:** Deadline to enter state proficiency award winner information at [www.tnffa.org](http://www.tnffa.org)
- June 11-15** FFA Camp Week 3
- June 18-22** FFA Camp Week 4
- June 25-29** FFA Camp Week 5
- July 2** Deadline for **ALL** state-winning proficiency, national chapter, and agriscience fair applications back to state office
- July 10** Deadline for proficiency, national chapter, agriscience fair online certification on AgCN at [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org)
- July 2-6** Camp Week 6
- July 9-13** Institute for CTE Educators **\*TENTATIVE\***
- July 16-20** Camp Week 7 **\*TENTATIVE\***
- Aug. 13-14** ROPE conference at Camp Clements