

2021 North Dakota State Fair (NDSF) – FFA Advisor Assignments

ND FFA State Leadership

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| FFA State Advisor | Aaron Anderson, Bismarck |
| FFA Executive Secretary | Craig Kleven, Bismarck |
| FFA Administrative Assistant | Suzie Weigel, Bismarck |
| FFA Foundation Executive Director | Beth Allen, Bismarck |
| FFA Foundation Administrative Assistant/Program Coordinator | Kayla Hart, Bismarck |
| ND Association of Agricultural Educators (NDAAE) Intern | Olivia Buckeye, Fargo |

FFA State Fair Leadership

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| General Manager | Cameron Young, Edgeley/Kulm |
| Assistant Manager | Glen Huettl, Garrison |
| Livestock Superintendent | Mitchel Becker, Kindred |
| Assistant Livestock Superintendent | Missy Hansen, Carrington |
| Agricultural Mechanics Superintendent | Mike Kamrath, Washburn |
| Assistant Agricultural Mechanics Superintendent | Shawn Feiring, New Salem & JoDee Free, Harvey |
| Crops Superintendent | Michael Axt, McClusky |
| Assistant Crops Superintendent | Desi Severance, Wyndmere |
| Floriculture Superintendent | Carissa Steinert, Wilton |
| Horticulture Superintendent | Brandon Quam, Des Lacs Burlington |
| Assistant Horticulture Superintendent | Tony Boehm, Richland 44 |
| Agriculture Produce Superintendent | Dan Spellerberg, Oakes/SC |
| Assistant Agriculture Produce Superintendent | Lance VanBerkom, Minot |
| Educational Exhibits Superintendent | David Leier, Killdeer |
| Assistant Educational | Breanna Bregel, Wahpeton |
| Small Animal Superintendent | Johnna Varty, Berthold |
| Assistant Small Animal Superintendent | Ben Curdy, Kenmare; Ashley Miller, Granville |
| Competitive Events Superintendent | Travis Fritel, Leeds |
| Assistant Competitive Events Superintendent | Troy Enga, Minot |
| Public Relations | FFA State Officers |

Livestock Division

See “Schedule of FFA Events” on page two and three of the FFA Activities and Premium List for entry, check-in times, and judging. Find NDSF FFA details on www.ndffa.org/state-fair. The webpage contains the FFA Livestock Superintendent Duties, Herdsman Guidelines, and Herdsman Rubric.

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| Superintendent | Mitchel Becker, Kindred |
| Assistant Superintendent | Missy Hansen, Carrington |
| Beef | Audra Montgomery, Lisbon & Christine Fannik, Velva |
| Sheep | Whitney Landman, Larimore & Deb Hatlewick, Gackle/Streeter |
| Goats | Bailey Hawbaker, Stanley, Tanasha Wanner, Mandan, & Jason Mongeon, Towner |
| Swine | Amanda Huettl, Max & Sara Hatlewick, Grant County |
| Dairy | Kristi Tonnessen, Rugby |
| Showmanship | Audra Montgomery, Lisbon; Whitney Landman, Larimore; Kristi Tonnessen, Rugby; Amanda Huettl, Max; Bailey Hawbaker, Stanley |
| Small Animal | Johnna Varty, Berthold |
| Assistant Small Animal | Ben Curdy, Kenmare; Ashley Miller, Granville |

FFA Static Exhibits: Entry, Judging & Expectations

See “Schedule of FFA Events” on page two and three of the FFA Activities and Premium List for entry procedures, entry times, and judging. Find NDSF FFA details on www.ndffa.org/state-fair. The webpage contains the FFA Static Exhibit and Horticulture Superintendent Duties.

Entry of Static Exhibits at the NDSF is Wednesday from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm and Thursday from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. Judging of static exhibits will begin at 1:00 pm on Thursday.

Entry of Horticulture exhibits at the NDSF is Wednesday from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm and Thursday from 8:00 am to 11:00 am. Judging of Horticulture exhibits begin at 8:00 am on Thursday.

Ribbon & Point appeals must be made to the Division Superintendent within 24 hours of Judging of the Exhibit.

Division superintendents and assistant superintendents are required to be at the NDSF during the scheduled times on Wednesday and Thursday.

Division Assistants attendance is required on Thursday and maybe required on Wednesday (dependent upon Superintendents Expectations/Needs based upon specific division needs).

Everyone in each division area are required to assist with organizing the display of exhibits upon entry, during and after judging, the recording of results/tabulations, and final paperwork.

Assistants must be in contact with your superintendent prior to the NDSF for duties and details.

Agriculture Mechanics Division

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| Superintendent | Mike Kamrath, Washburn | |
| Assistant Superintendent | Shawn Feiring, New Salem | JoDee Free, Harvey |
| Small/Medium Projects | Pete Martin (Chairman) | |
| Large & Jumbo Projects | Jeff Ball (Chairman) | |
| Restored & Re-conditioned Tractors | Jeff Ball (Chairman) | |
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| Division Assistants: | | |
| Joel Brandvold, Bottineau | Lane Moellenkamp, Fess/Bow | Kay Poland, Dickinson |
| Daniel Deck, Harvey | Matthew Mootz, Jamestown | Ronda Schauer, Hettinger |
| Evan Mellmer, Wishek | Riston Zielke, Hebron | Larry Lueck, Beulah |

Educational Displays Division

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| Superintendent | David Leier, Killdeer | |
| Assistant Superintendent | Breanna Bregel, Wahpeton | |
| Division Assistants: | | |
| Marty Campbell, Beach | Shonda Gasmann, Nedrose | Heather Riemer, Garrison |
| Cheyenne Ketterling, Ashley | Sarah Wendt, Hope-Page | Samantha Doneen, Watford City |
| Mary Fischer, Bowman County | Marita Rau, Finely/Sharon | |

Field Crops Division

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| Superintendent | Michael Axt, McClusky |
| Assistant Superintendent | Desi Severance, Wyndmere |
| Division Assistants: | |
| Benjamin Seidler, South Prairie | Tanner Zetocha, North Sargent |
| Gary Wald, Maddock | Scott Wisness, Watford City |

Horticulture Division

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| Superintendent | Brandon Quam, DLB | |
| Assistant Superintendents | Tony Boehm, Richland 44 | |
| Coordinate Quality Inspection: | Steve Wharton, Minot | |
| Division Assistants: | | |
| Nikki Fideldy-Doll, Center | Caitlin Schilke, Ray | Casey Muscha, Mohall |
| William Fritz, Rolla | Cora Huss, Beulah | Jenny Vandehoven, Medina |
| Darin Spelhaug, Wahpeton | James Jansen, LaMoure | Levi Reese, Hillsboro |
| Jeremy Carkuff, Tioga | Leah Kessler, Mandan | Melaree Lee, Kindred |
| Gabes Kieffer, May-Port CG FFA | Colbey Steeke, Divide County | Erik Johnson, Killdeer |
| Misty Steeke, Scranton | Macey Kleinjan, Flasher | Angie Leier, Edgeley/Kulm |

Entry of Horticulture exhibits at the NDSF is Wednesday from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm and Thursday from 8:00 am to 11:00 am. Judging of Horticulture exhibits begin at 8:00 am on Thursday.

All exhibits will go through a quality check point following the criteria in the “FFA Activities & Premium List” before being placed on tables by their designated classes. If the plants do not meet the quality standards, they will not be allowed in the Atrium and must be taken home or disposed of in the dumpster. ND FFA does not want volunteers to arrive on Thursday morning to judge plants that are not free of weeds, diseases, insects, and insect damage or exhibits not meeting the entry requirements.

Superintendent and Assistant Superintendents are required to work on Wednesday with display, organization, and quality checking of plants. Some Division Assistants will need to arrive on Wednesday based upon Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent directions to assist with quality check and entry.

All Horticulture Division Assistants must be at the NDSF before 8:00 am on Thursday to assist with organization of exhibits and judging process. This includes arranging of plants upon entry, judging, scanning, tabulations, and ribbon placement.

Floriculture Division

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| Superintendent | Carissa Steinert, Wilton |
| Division Assistants | |
| Paul Buchholz, Turtle Lake-Mercer | |

Agriculture Produce Division

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| Superintendent | Dan Spellerberg, Oakes/SC |
| Assistant Superintendent | Lance VanBerkom, Minot |
| Division Assistants: | |
| Alan Geiger, Belfield | Anna Kemmer, Oakes/SC |
| Jeff Bjugstad, Lidgerwood | |
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| Second Show: | |
| Lance VanBerkom, Minot | Jeff Ball, Minot |
| Brandon Quam, Des Lacs Burlington | |

Competitive Events: Tractor Operator Contest

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| Superintendent | Travis Fritel, Leeds |
| Assistant Superintendent | Troy Enga, Minot |
| Advisor Assistants: | |
| Kasey Okke, Rugby (Tabulations) | Brian Schneider, Napoleon |
| Glen Huettl, Garrison | Lucas Schmaltz, Mandan |
| | Colby Hennessy, Beulah |

This is your event to operate. Written Test, Securing Tractors and Trailers for each division, Practice, Setting Up the Course, Prepping the Judges, Registration, Announcements, Prepping the Participants, Procedures, Tabulations, and everything else required to run the event. Provide electronic results to be entered into the awards script. The State Officers will present awards upon completion of tabulations.