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PROGRAM
70th Annual Convention
June 7,8,9,10 1999
Montgomery Civic Center

Monday, June 7

A.M.
9:00
Agricultural Mechanics Career Development Event (Auburn)
10:00
Small Engines Career Development Event (Auburn)
11:00
Livestock Career Development Event (Auburn)
Nursery/Landscape Career Development Event (Civic Center)
Floriculture Career Development Event (Civic Center)

P.M.
12:00
Ag Construction & Maintenance Career Development Event (Civic Center)
1:00
Forestry Career Development Event (Auburn)
Parliamentary Procedure Career Development Event (Civic Center)
6:00
Interviews of State FFA Officer Candidates Begin (Civic Center)

Tuesday, June 8

A.M.
8:00 - 12:00 Noon
Registration (Civic Center)
9:00
Tractor Driving Contest (Montgomery)
Public Speaking Career Development Event Finals (Civic Center)
String Band Contest Finals (Civic Center)
Quartet Contest Finals (Civic Center)
11:30
Courtesy Corps Meeting (Civic Center)
P.M.
1:00
Delegate Business Session (Civic Center, what hall?)
2:00
OPENING SESSION
Opening Ceremony
National Anthem
Invocation
Greetings - Jose Santiago, National FFA Vice President, Camuy, Puerto Rico
Awards - Public Speaking and Parliamentary Procedure
1st Place Public Speaking Winner
Keynote Speaker - Jayme Feary, Motivation Design Group, Tampa, Florida

P.M.
7:30
SECOND SESSION
Chapter Awards
Honor Parents of State FFA Officers

Future Farmer/Agribusinessman of the Year Award
Mindy Stringer Memorial Scholarship Award
Honor Advisors of State Officers
Address - National Vice President, Jose Santiago, Camuy, Puerto Rico
CDE Awards - Nursery and Landscape, Floriculture Forestry, Land
Proficiency Awards - Forest Management, Landscape Management, Fruit and /or Vegetable Production, Nursery Operations, Turf Grass Management, Floriculture Awards - String Band Contest
Entertainment - 1st Place String Band
Closing Ceremony

Wednesday, June 9

P.M.
9:00
THIRD SESSION
Opening Ceremony
Crime Prevention Awards
M.K. Heath
CDE Awards - Livestock, Agricultural Mechanics, Agriculture Construction & Maintenance, Small Engines, Safe Tractor Driving
Proficiency Awards - Agricultural Mechanical Technical Systems, Agricultural Sales and / or Service
The Mayberry Deputy
1:30
FOURTH SESSION
State FFA Degree Ceremony
Leadership Workshops

7:30
FIFTH SESSION
Star Farmer Ceremony
Honorary State FFA Degrees
Miss Alabama Agriculture - Katherine Marsh, Enterprise
Proficiency Awards - Equine Science, Beef Production, Poultry Production, Soil and Water Management, Diversified Crop Production, Dairy Production, Swine Production, Sheep Production, Specialty Animal Production, Home and /or Community Development, Wildlife Management, Special Proficiency Awards
Awards - Quartet Contest
Entertainment - 1st Place Quartet
Closing Ceremony

Thursday, June 10

A.M.
9:00
SIXTH SESSION
Opening Ceremony
State Officer's Report
Election of Officers
Installation of State Officers
Entertainment
Closing Ceremony

practicing with a CDE team, advisors are constantly striving to make their students better. Being an Agricultural Education instructor has many rewarding benefits. The bond of friendship between teacher and student is an encouraging incentive. Advisors make a difference in the lives of students through premier leadership, personal growth, and career success.

AGRICULTURE

The future of Agriculture radiates with the glorious sunlight of a new day. With each day, new ground is broken in an effort to advance today's agriculture. Agriculture's future will exist tomorrow due to the latest technological advancements. America leads the world in agricultural production and technology, biotechnology, global position systems, and the most efficient automation systems in the world. These advancements have placed America at the forefront of the global market. As we continue to lead the world into the future of agriculture, we are simultaneously " Making the Connection" to countries all over the world. The FFA is now preparing its members to explore the limitless possibilities that the future will provide.