Put on your best cowboy boots! We are going to Tennessee!

2017 National Leadership Conference, Nashville, Tennessee

Everyone put on their cowboy boots and started boot scootin’ to Nashville. This Past July members from across the nation went to Nashville to attend the National Leadership Conference. Members arrived and instantly started trading state pins and connecting with friends. While the members attended they went to general meetings, workshops, went on excursions, and attended a business meeting. FCCLA members met and connected with friends from across the nation.

Florida FCCLA Song

We have tall palm trees
We have dark tans
We have big oranges
Beaches and sand
We’re from Florida man oh man
Future leaders of America HOORAH!

“Leadership is not a title. It is a behavior. Live it”

Theme: Ignite Your Potential with Florida FCCLA

- Spark the Importance of Family Values
- Blast into your Career with Career Preparation
- Energize the Leaders within your Community
- Awaken your Skills with Successful Leadership
STATE COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS
We challenged you last year to take part in our state community service project that was in memory of Mrs. Debbie. We were able to collect and donate over 800 care packages across the state of Florida. This year we are continuing with the Debbie packs. We want you to take the challenge and participate in creating your own Debbie packs.

What you need in your Debbie’s Pack:

- Mints
- Entertainment books
- Unscented Vaseline
- Fuzzy socks
- Unscented lotion
- Tissues
- Unscented lip balm
- Unscented hand sanitizer
- A get-well card with a personal message on the inside

No sleepless nights November
We will be doing another community service project just for the month of November where we will be collecting bags for children in need with items such as a stuffed animal and a book. Information will be sent out to all advisors when and how to get this project started.

Meet Your Florida FCCLA State Officers

Name: Taylor Trevithick
State Officer Position: President
District: 7
School: Lakewood Ranch High School
Grade: 12

What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer?
One of my major goals as a Florida FCCLA State Officer is to connect with as many members as possible and inspire them to run for state office!

What is your favorite thing about your officer position?
My favorite aspect about my position is my ability to assess each officers’ strengths and delegate tasks. However, regardless of my title, I simply love being a part of the State Executive Council with seven of my best friends!

What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?
It is so difficult for me to choose! I love competing, meeting new people, and traveling
around the state to meet with my fellow officers, but my favorite memories involve all the officers and I just relaxing and talking about our lives!

Two facts that someone may not know about you:
One specific fact is I am heavily involved in my high school's yearbook staff and love to design/edit pictures and designs on Photoshop! In general, I am 5 feet tall, love ketchup, and enjoy being extremely busy!

Hobbies:
Outside of FCCLA, I devote my time to tutoring in spanish and math, babysitting, reading, spending time with family and friends, and of course, eating!

Favorite quote: “Get better, not bitter.” – Lilly Singh

Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.)
I plan to attend the University of Central Florida to major in Biomedical Sciences and minor in International Business. Afterwards, I would love to go to dental and orthodontic school to eventually open my own practice!

Name: Lazaro Quintana
State Officer Position: State President-Elect
District: 10
School: John A Ferguson Sr. High
Grade: 10

What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer?
This year, I hope to learn the most that I can to fulfill the office of State President to the best of my ability! As the "Mission 2100" Campaign Chair, I also want to see us not only meet, but exceed our goal of 2,100 members in Florida!

What is your favorite thing about your officer position?
My favorite thing about being State President-Elect would have to be all of the learning that comes with it! From making meeting agendas, to parliamentary procedure and new leadership techniques, there's an endless amount of information to learn!

What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?
My favorite FCCLA memory would have to be during the 2017 State Leadership Conference! It was amazing being able to walk on stage with the Red Blazer and know that I am making an impact on members out in the audience!
I also enjoyed the beginning of the First Session, where I was holding the District 10 sign and dancing on a chair! It would almost bring tears to my eyes seeing all of the members pouring into the room with smiles on their face.

Two facts that someone may not know about you:

Many people may not know that I am a medical geek! I love everything that relates to emergency medicine. I'm currently taking an EKG technician class at my school, and next year I am taking an Emergency Medical Responder and 911 Operator course, where I leave with an industry certification in all three!

You might also be surprised to know that I am a sports photographer for 2 little league baseball teams, and I also shoot events with my mom and her event planning business!

Hobbies:

I love photography, specifically sports and event photography! I run a small photo business on my spare time!

Favorite quote:

"It’s not about being the best, It's about being better than you were yesterday” -Unknown

Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.)

I plan to attend FIU to get my bachelors, and then transfer out of state to go to medical school! After that, I want to focus on emergency medicine, more specifically trauma surgery!

Name: Levi Kimbrell  
State Officer Position: VP of Junior Relations  
District: 1  
School: Altha High School  
Grade: 9

What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer? 
To promote the power of one project.

What is your favorite thing about your officer position?
My favorite thing about being an FCCLA State officer is i am able to interact with officers from different state I also love that I can become closer with my state members

What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?
My favorite FCCLA moment is spending every moment I can with my fellow state officers.

Two facts that someone may not know about you:
Some facts that you may not know about me: my favorite animals are otters and I love taco bell.

**Hobbies:**
Some of my hobbies are sleeping and watching Netflix.

**Favorite quote:** “. My favorite quote is from the lion king "look inside yourself, you are much more than what you've become" -Mufasa

**Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.)**
My plans for the future are to attend FAU and get my degrees in consumer sciences and neonatology.

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**Name:** Allyson Elizabeth Mears  
**State Officer Position:** VP of Careers and Alumni  
**District:** 1  
**School:** Altha Public School  
**Grade:** 10

**What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer?**
My goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer is to better myself in my public speaking skills as well as helping the state grow in membership. Another goal I would like to achieve is to get more of the FCCLA alumni to get more involved at SLC and to prepare seniors to look forward to becoming alumni in this great organization.

**What is your favorite thing about your officer position?**
My favorite thing about my position is getting to interact with all the members and alumni at NLC and at SLC.

**What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?**
My favorite memory with FCCLA Is going to nationals for the first time there's nothing like walking into the giant convention hall where the best conference ever is being held.

**Two facts that someone may not know about you:**
1. My favorite food is sushi
2. I’ve been going to State and National FCCLA conferences since I was 4

**Hobbies:**
Some of my hobbies include hunting, fishing, drawing, pageants, kayaking, hanging out with friends, and going to the river.

**Favorite quote:** Everything you ever wanted is on the other side of your fear.

**Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.)**
My plans for my future is to go to Chipola College to get a degree in business and management and then I will transfer to keiser university to attend their culinary and pastry school in Tallahassee.
Name: Angie Poole
State Officer Position: VP of Community Service
District: 4
School: Spruce Creek High
Grade: 12

Name: Veronica Holzhausen
State Officer Position: VP of Management
District: 5
School: Saint Cloud High School
Grade: 12th

What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer?
To grow closer with my fellow officers, and learn skills that I can use in my future to set me above all of the others.

What is your favorite thing about your officer position?
That I can be the resource and relay person for information for others because I have it all written down. Also that it involves organization, and I love organizing things.

What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?
My favorite FCCLA moment would have to be the Florida meeting at Nationals this past July.

Two facts that someone may not know about you:
I can cross my eyes, and that I have hiccups constantly.
Hobbies: Listening to music, coloring, and helping little kids.

Favorite quote: "My can't's turn into cans. My dreams turn into plans"

Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.) I would like to attend FSU and obtain a Degree in Psychology, as well as courses in Mental health and Early Childhood.

Name: SkyLee Miller
State Officer Position: VP of Public Relations
District: 7
School: Lakewood Ranch High School
Grade: 12

What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer? A goal that I've always have had as a state officer is being able to inspire and make at least one person go for their dreams or become a better person.

What is your favorite thing about your officer position?
My favorite thing about my position is that I am able to express my craziness by doing fun games and activities and pumping up the crowd.

What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?
I have many memories that I love deeply but my favorite one is probably being on stage for the first time and seeing all the hard work pay off.

Two facts that someone may not know about you:
1. I love sloths
2. I have an interest in makeup

Hobbies:
Journalism and doing my makeup are my two main hobbies if it's not FCCLA.

Favorite quote: “Everyone dies but not everyone lives”

Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.)
I plan to attend the University of Central Florida to do a double major in Business and Communications.
Name: Sheyanne Myrie
State Officer Position: VP of Parliamentary Law
District: 9
School: Fort Lauderdale High School
Grade: 12

What is your goal as a Florida FCCLA State Officer?
My goal as an officer is to introduce FCCLA to as many of my peers as possible. I also want to expose my chapter members to the steps of conducting a formal meeting using the parliamentary procedures necessary.

What is your favorite thing about your officer position?
I feel like a judge. I’m in charge of making sure everyone follows the rules and speaks in the correct manner. If not, I get to call them out. It doesn’t get better than that.

What is your favorite FCCLA memory/moment?
This question is so hard because there’s not a moment I haven’t enjoyed. I would have to say it’s meeting everyone from all over the state at SLC. I get to communicate with you guys through social media but I love the face to face contact I get to have with everyone.

Two facts that someone may not know about you:
I really love cats. (But not as much as dogs)
I took two years of Chinese.

Hobbies: Doing homework then going to sleep.

Favorite quote: "I am amazing, I am a masterpiece" - Gucci Mane
Plans for your future (college, majors, career, etc.)

I reeeaaaally want to get into FSU and study computer science. Hopefully I figure out what I want to do with that degree later on. I’m thinking software development but I might change my mind. Who knows. I’m ready for what life has in store for me. The universe bends to my flame; I am infinite.

**Be sure to check out our website, our mission 2100 packet, and our social medias about all things you need to know about Florida FCCLA!**

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