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Florida FFA is excited to announce the **2018 Chapter Presidents Conference (CPC)**! This conference is the first phase of the Florida FFA leadership continuum.

The conference will be held at the **Caribe Royale Orlando Resort, August 24-25, 2018 (Friday/Saturday)**. This conference is open to two representatives from each chapter and all District, Sub-District and Federation Officers. Please note that you can have two chapter representatives in addition to any District, Sub-District or Federation officers that might also be members of your chapter. This conference is crucial for the leadership development of your officers at all levels.

Chapter Presidents' Conference (CPC) is first in a series of training conferences for chapter FFA officers. The conference helps newly elected chapter officers identify their strengths, develop growth plans, and better prepare them to lead your chapter officer team.

Please note that the schedule differs from previous year. The conference is Friday/Saturday and students will not check into their rooms until after dinner. This means that students will need to **ARRIVE IN OFFICIAL DRESS**.

CONFERENCE FACTS

Location

Caribe Royale Orlando Resort
8101 World Center Drive
Orlando, Florida

Eligibility

Open to two representatives from each chapter in addition to all District, Sub-

District and Federation Officers.

Register Online

Registration should be completed by the FFA Chapter Advisor at:

<https://floridaffa.formstack.com/forms/2018cpc>

Costs

Student \$100

Adult Double \$125

Adult Single \$175

Price includes meals, lodging, conference materials, shirt, etc. Adult Single

Occupancy is based on limited availability and may not be available.

Chaperones

Please remember that the advisor attendance policy is in effect and all students must be accompanied by a designated school district representative. In the event that the designated representative is not the FFA advisor, a chaperone designation letter from the school principal is required at the time of check-in. It is imperative that the letter specify the name of the chaperone and include the principal's signature. If your designated school district representative is another FFA advisor from your county, it is imperative that all parties are aware before arriving at the conference.

Dress Code

Students should be in official dress for the opening of the conference. Students will need business casual clothing for the remainder of the conference. Students should arrive in official dress as we will not check into rooms until dinner.

Registration

Registration should be completed using the online registration form link above.

Registration must be completed for each attendee attending the conference, including advisors and chaperones. Once we have your registration we will reserve your spot. We anticipate this conference to fill up quickly.

Required Forms

Florida FFA requires that each student complete and submit the Florida FFA Permission and Emergency Medical Form, including notary signature, for each overnight event. This form is attached to this email and can be found on the Florida FFA website at <http://www.flaffa.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/permissionform.pdf>. Please bring completed form with you to the conference.

Please do not fax or send permission forms prior to the event.

Cancellation Policy

Fees are non-refundable unless cancellations are made 48 hours in advance to check-in. All payments are due at time of check in. If payment is not received at check-in, a credit card will be necessary to secure conference attendance.

CPC TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Friday

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM - Chapter Presidents' Conference Registration
2:00 PM - 2:30 PM - Opening Session
2:30 PM - 3:00 PM - Teacher Welcome
2:45 PM - 4:00 PM - Student Workshop Rotation 1
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM - Teacher Workshop 1
4:15 PM - 6:00 PM - Student Workshop Rotation 2
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM - Room Key Pick-up (Advisors Only)
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM - Banquet
7:00 PM - 7:30 PM - Room Check-in
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM - Teacher Workshop 2
7:30 PM - 8:45 PM - Student Learning Labs
8:45 PM - 9:45 PM - Teacher Workshop 3
9:00 PM - 10:30 PM - Social Activity
10:30 PM - 10:45 PM - Reflections
11:00 PM - Curfew

Saturday

7:00 - 9:00 AM - Breakfast
9:00 - 9:30 AM - FFA Member Update
9:00 - 10:00 AM - Teacher Workshop 4
9:45 - 11:00 AM - Student Workshop Rotation 3
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM - Teacher Workshop 5
11:15 AM - 12:30 PM - Student Workshop Rotation 4
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM - Teacher Workshop 6
12:30 PM - 12:45 PM - Closing Session

Teacher Professional Development

In partnership with UF/AEC teacher education program, CPC will be a great opportunity for teacher professional development. Please note that there will be two tracks of teacher professional development, including a New FFA Advisor training offered for those ranging from 1-3 years of service and a track for those (veteran) teachers that have been teaching longer than three years. More details and a professional development agenda will be forthcoming.

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2018-2019 EVENTS CALENDAR DRAFT

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Event registration opens approximately 30 days prior to the event. Registration deadlines and final due dates are listed in the "Register/Receive By" column (this date includes any grace period applicable). Any team or individual that does not register prior to this deadline will not be eligible for participation. Teams that qualify at a preliminary event do not need to register for state finals events.

*** Please note that this symbol represents those activities that are not official activities of the Florida FFA Association. These activities are included for informational purposes only.

The Florida FFA Association is a resource and support organization that does not select, control, supervise or approve local chapter or individual member activities except as expressly provided for in the Florida FFA Calendar, Constitution and Bylaws.



DATE	EVENT/APPLICATION	REGISTER/RECEIVE BY	LOCATION
JULY			
July 31	Quarterly Board Meeting		Florida FFA HQ
AUGUST			
August 11 - 12	FL FFA Alumni Development Conference	Contact FL FFA Alumni	LTC
August 24-25	E New FFA Advisor Workshop (1-3 year advisors only)	August 11	Caribe Royale Orlando
August 24-25	L Chapter Presidents' Conference	August 11	Caribe Royale Orlando
SEPTEMBER			
September 17-21	E American Agriculture Experience (State FFA Officers)		Iowa
September 24	E FFA Hall of Fame Induction Banquet***	Contact FFA Foundation	LTC
September 25	L Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Area 3	September 11	LTC
September 26	L Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Area 4	September 11	LTC
September 27	L Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Area 5	September 11	LTC
September 28	L Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Area 6	September 11	LTC
OCTOBER			
October 1	A Quality Chapter Plan, Roster, Dues	October 8	Florida FFA HQ / MyFFA
October 2	L Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Area 1	September 11	Marianna
October 4	L Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Area 2	September 11	Camp Kulaqua (High Springs)
October 9	C District Forestry CDE Preliminary (MS/HS)	September 25	Specific Districts TBA
October 11	C District Forestry CDE Preliminary (MS/HS)	September 25	Specific Districts TBA
October 24-27	L National FFA Convention	Contact National FFA	Indianapolis, IN
NOVEMBER			
November 1	Quarterly Board Meeting		Florida FFA HQ
November 1	C Agricultural Education CDE Lesson Plans Due	November 1	Online Submission
November 8-9	C State Forestry CDE (MS/HS)	Qualified Teams	Perry
November 13	C Fall Preliminary Testing Day Food Science CDE (MS/HS), Environmental Science CDE (HS), Dairy Evaluation CDE (MS/HS), Agricultural Education CDE (HS)	October 30	School Hosts
November TBA	C State Horse Evaluation CDE (MS Only)	TBA	TBA
November 29	C State Citrus CDE (MS/HS) State Tool ID CDE (MS)	November 15	LTC
November 30	A Alumni Membership Roster Due	November 30	Florida FFA Alumni
November 30	L Middle School Leadership Conference (MS) A	November 16	LTC
DECEMBER			
December 1	L Middle School Leadership Conference (MS) A	November 16	LTC
December 1-2	L Middle School Leadership Conference (MS) B	November 16	LTC
December 1	C Agricultural Education CDE Prelims & Finals	Qualified Participants Only	Gainesville
TBA	E FFA Horse Judging School***	Contact UF Animal Sciences	UF Horse Unit (Gainesville)

Sub-District CDE/LDE Preliminaries

December 11	C	Creed Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Extemporaneous Public Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Opening and Closing Ceremonies LDE (MS), Parliamentary Procedure LDE (MS/HS), Prepared Public Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Tractor Operations CDE (HS)	November 27	Sub-District Hosts
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December 17 - January 2 Florida FFA Headquarters Closed (Holiday Break)

JANUARY

January 3	E	FAAE Pre-Conference***	Contact FAAE	LTC
January 4-6	E	FAAE Mid-Winter Conference***	Contact FAAE	LTC
TBA	F	FFA Meats & Livestock Judging Clinic***	Contact UF Animal Sciences	UF (Gainesville)
January 10	C	State Environmental Science CDE (HS)	Qualified Teams	LTC
District CDE/LDE Preliminaries				
January 18	C	Creed Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Extemporaneous Public Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Opening and Closing Ceremonies LDE (MS), Parliamentary Procedure LDE (MS/HS), Prepared Public Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Tractor Operations CDE (HS)	Qualified Teams	District Hosts
January 24		Quarterly Board Meeting		LTC
January 25	L	State Officer Candidate Workshop (HS Seniors Only)	January 11	LTC
January 25-26	L	212° High School Leadership Conference	January 11	LTC
January 26-27	L	360° High School Leadership Conference	January 11	LTC

FEBRUARY

February 2	C	State Food Science CDE (MS/HS)	Qualified Teams	UF (Gainesville)
February 9	C	State Horse Evaluation CDE Preliminary (HS) State Livestock Evaluation CDE Preliminary (HS)	January 25	Florida State Fair
February 16	C	State Dairy Evaluation CDE (MS/HS)	Qualified Teams	Florida State Fair
February 16	C	State Fair Poultry Evaluation Event (MS/HS)	February 1	Florida State Fair
February 16-23	L	National FFA Week		Nationwide
February 21	C	State Floriculture CDE (MS/HS) State Nursery and Landscape CDE (MS/HS)	February 7	LTC
February 26	C	Spring Preliminary Testing Day Agricultural Communications CDE (HS), Agricultural Mechanics CDE (HS), Aquaculture CDE (MS/HS), Conduct of Chapter Meetings LDE (MS/HS), Vegetable Identification & Evaluation (MS/HS), Vet Science CDE (HS)	February 12	School Hosts

MARCH

March 1	A	Membership Roster Update	March 1	MyFFA
March 1	A	State Officer Application	March 1	Florida FFA HQ
March 1	A	American FFA Degree Application, State FFA Degree Application, Star Award Applications	March 8	Florida FFA HQ
March 6	L	FFA Capitol Day		Tallahassee
March 8	C	State Livestock Evaluation CDE (MS)	February 22	Florida Strawberry Festival
March 15	A	Ag. Communications CDE Portfolio	March 15	Online Submission
March 15	A	National Chapter Award Applications, Proficiency Award Applications	March 22	Florida FFA HQ
March 15-16	L	State Leadership Summit	March 1	LTC
March 22	C	State Land Evaluation CDE (MS/HS)	March 8	TBA
March 23		Florida FFA Beast Feast***	Contact FFA Foundation	LTC
March 11-22	C	District OH Demonstration CDEs (MS/HS)	February 26	District Hosts

APRIL

April TBA	C	State Poultry Evaluation CDE (MS/HS)	TBA	Gainesville
April 1	A	Award Applications Due: Alumni Awards, Gary Lee Alumni Scholarship, Chapter Co-Op, Chapter Advocacy Award, Outstanding District Officer, FFA Advisor of the Year, Alumni Essay, Feeder Steer & Feeder Swine Proficiency Applications	April 8	Florida FFA HQ
April 6	C	State Horse Evaluation CDE (HS)	Qualified Teams	UF Horse Unit Gainesville)
April 7-8	A	Award Application Judging	By Invitation	LTC

April 8		Quarterly Board Meeting		LTC
April 9-10	L	State Officer Candidate Screening	March 26	LTC
April 12	C	State Aquaculture CDE (MS/HS)	Qualified Teams	UF Trop. Aqua. Lab (Ruskin)
April 13	C	State Livestock Evaluation CDE (HS)	Qualified Teams	UF Horse Unit (Gainesville)
April 15	A	Applications Due: State Convention Talent, State Convention Courtesy Corps	April 15	Online Submission
April 15	C	LDE Materials Due: Employment Skills LDE	April 15	Online Submission
April 20	C	State Meats CDE (MS/HS)	April 5	UF Meats Lab (Gainesville)
April 20	C	State Tractor Operations CDE (HS)	Qualified Participants	Plant City
April 26	C	State Agribusiness Management CDE (HS), Preliminary (HS), State Agricultural Sales and Service CDE (HS), State Agricultural Communications CDE (HS), State OH Demonstration CDE (MS/HS), State Vegetable Judging CDE (MS/HS)	April 12	UF (Gainesville)
April 27	C	State Agricultural Mechanics CDE (HS)	Qualified Teams	Taylor Technical Institute (Perry)
April 27	C	State Veterinary Science CDE (HS)	Qualified Teams	HCC (Plant City)

May 1	A	Application Due: Agriscience Fair	May 8	Florida FFA HQ
May 1	C	LDE Materials Due: Prepared Public Speaking Manuscripts, Agricultural Issues Portfolios	May 1	Online Submission
May 1	A	Quality Chapter Report (Submit Online), District Officer Application	May 8	Florida FFA HQ
May 6-10		State Convention Planning Retreat		
May 13-17		Florida FFA Star Tour	Finalists Only	Statewide

JUNE

June 10-14	L	91st Florida FFA State Convention & Expo Agricultural Issues LDE (HS), Agriscience Fair (MS/HS), Conduct of Chapter Meetings (HS) LDE, Creed Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Employment Skills LDE (HS), Extemporaneous Public Speaking LDE (MS/HS), Opening and Closing Ceremonies LDE (MS), Parliamentary Procedure LDE (MS/HS), Prepared Public Speaking LDE (MS/HS)	May 15 (LDE: Qualified Participants Only)	Caribe Royale Orlando
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July 7-12	E	High School Forestry Camp	May 15	O'Leno State Park
July 15-19	E	Middle School Forestry Camp	May 15	O'Leno State Park

FUTURE DATES

June 15-19, 2020	L	92nd Florida FFA State Convention & Expo		Caribe Royale Orlando
June 14-18, 2021	L	93rd Florida FFA State Convention & Expo		Caribe Royale Orlando
June 13-17, 2022	L	94th Florida FFA State Convention & Expo		Caribe Royale Orlando