

2018 Fall Northern Area VAAE Meeting

The Northern Area meeting of the VAAE was held on November 1st at Strasburg High School. Area Vice President Mandy Curry called the meeting to order. Andy Seibel gave a VAAE and FFA update.

- National Convention hotel block for Virginia will be the Wyndham close to the airport, 4 person rooms.
- The Winter Ag Teacher Conference will be February 1st and 2nd in the Staunton area. If you have a request or need for PD please share them.
- State VAAE conference will be July 21-25 at the Roanoke Sheraton. We are hosting the Region VI conference this year. If you have requests for PD topics please share them.
- State FFA Convention will be June 17-19t
- FFA Camp will be July 8-12
- Please make sure you fill out your annual report on your chapter profile. Click on annual report and enter the number of students who participate in events at the local level. This is data that the state must compile.
- The department head position has been offered. Hope to have an announcement soon.
- Plan is to review applications for FFA position next week
- A new Youth Livestock Specialist is being hired
- FFA scholarships open up on the 15th. Make sure your rosters are updated before then so applicants are eligible.
- State awards judging will be April 9th

Tarinda Showman reported on the Area Rally. Will be April 9th at Shenandoah. Plans are being made for a community service project.

Members shared ideas for sub plans.

Respectfully submitted,

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