

Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education
Luke Allen, District II Program Advisor
June 2013 Report

On-Site Assistance – (3) High Schools	(0) Community College	(1) AITC Coalition
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John Marshall HS
Lane Tech HS

LaSalle Co. AITC
Minooka HS

Workshops/In-services/Presentations – 5 Participants – 110

- Kane Co. AITC SAI, Kane Co. Farm Bureau, St. Charles – 21
- IL FFA Convention AgSci Fair Projects, Prairie Capital Conv. Center, Springfield – 20
- Cook Co. AITC SAI, Cook Co Farm Bureau, Countryside – 18
- Stephenson Co. AITC SAI, Stephenson Co Farm Bureau, Freeport – 16
- IAVAT Conf. AgSci Grants, IAVAT Conference, Bloomington – 35

Meetings/Conferences/Conventions – 6

- Ford-Iroquois AITC Coalition Mtg – F-I Extension, Onarga
- TREES P&CC Meeting – Hero’s West, Joliet
- Section 6 Hort Program Donation pickup – Alt. Garden Supply, Crystal Lake
- IAVAT Conference, Doubletree Hotel, Bloomington
- FCAE Staff Meeting – IL FFA Center, Springfield
- Midwest Engines Teacher Training, MWE Headquarters, Aurora

Other Activities

- Updated University data report for AgEd report
- Check Red Flag reports
- Prepare for SAI/FFA Convention/IAVAT Conferenc/District Workshops
- Updated the teacher candidate/vacancy pages on the agriculturaleducation.org website.
- Reviewed and made entries in the teacher and program database website.
- Developed and posted listserv messages.
- Email correspondence with various individuals in agricultural education.
- Completed monthly reports and weekly activity log sheets.

Miles Traveled - 1780

Commentary

Yearly closeout has been going slowly, there just isn’t enough time to get all of our projects done in addition to the extra work of the grants and assignments given to us. I only have two schools still looking for a teacher, so I am confident we will find a provisional to fill these positions. I was pleased with the turnout at the FFA AgScience Fair workshop and the IAVAT AgScience Grant workshops. Teachers and students seemed to be less reluctant to apply for the grants or start AgScience projects after the workshops.