

Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education
Megan Coy, District IV Program Advisor
June 2018 Report

On-Site Assistance – 3 high schools

Program Visits:

- Warrensburg-Latham
- Decatur Public Schools
(Eisenhower & MacArthur)

Workshops/In-services/Presentations (118 Participants)

- State FFA Convention Teach Ag Workshops (5 Workshops), Springfield
- University of Illinois Meat Science Workshop (35 Participants)

Meetings/Conferences/Conventions

- Farm Credit Scholarship Presentation Lunch, Mahomet
- College & Career Pathway Endorsement Steering Committee Conference Call
- FCAE Staff Meeting Conference Calls
- State FFA Convention, Springfield
- IAVAT Conference, Decatur
- University Council Meetings, Springfield & Decatur
- Teach Ag Subcommittee Conference Call

Other Activities

- State FFA Parliamentary Procedure Scoring Assistance
- Ag Ed CDE Prep
- Ag Ed CDE Follow Up/Survey
- Assisted with State Convention Registration
- Developed and posted listserv messages
- 2nd Year Ag Teacher Workshop Prep
- Assistance with IFG
- STAR Bus Trip Update
- New Teacher Information & Emails
- Ag Ed Family Trees
- 3 Circle Assistance
- RFD Radio Interview
- Email correspondence with various individuals in agricultural education.
- Completed monthly reports and weekly activity log sheets.

Miles Traveled – 883 miles

Commentary

June flew by! The highlights included State FFA Convention & IAVAT Conference. The 2nd Agriculture Education CDE was my favorite event of the month. It was exciting to see the numbers double this year. The 10 students who presented their lessons at State Convention did a fantastic job and I really enjoyed meeting with all of the students who submitted lesson plans during Ag Ed CDE Breakfast. Another highlight was getting to hand out the Ag Ed Family Trees at IAVAT Conference. Anytime we get to do something that celebrates teachers, it is always an enjoyable project! The other major

focuses of June have been working with districts on the 3 Circle Grant Intent, along with assisting those that are completing the FY18 grant, and working with teachers on the FY 19 Incentive Funding Budget. The District IV teachers did a great job getting their applications in before the deadline, big thanks to all of them!