

Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education
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On-Site Assistance –(11 high schools, 1 AITC)

Beardstown
Canton
Cuba
Delavan
Farmington
Gillespie

Hartsburg Emden
Illini West
Northwestern
Spoon River Valley
Warsaw

Sangamon-Menard-Logan AITC

Workshops/In-services/Presentations – 1 Participants – 16

- Section 15 Ag Teacher Meeting, Gillespie - 16 participants
- WLDS Radio Interview regarding National FFA Convention

Meetings/Conferences/Conventions –

- FCAE Staff Meeting, Salem
- FCAE Conference Call
- IAVAT Professional Development Conference Call
- 212/360 Conference & Teacher Professional Development and Tours, Decatur
- IAVAT Legislative Committee Conference Call
- IACCAI Conference, Salem
- National FFA Convention, Indianapolis, IN
- 3 Circle Grant Webinar Conference Call

Other Activities

- 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.
- Reviewed The Council Guidelines for SAE for All
- Outlined ideas for Ag Ed Annual Report
- Assisted FFA Advisors with National FFA Roster/Dues Payment

Miles Traveled - 1542

Commentary

The FCAE Staff is on the road again working with programs on current projects including the competition of the Agriculture Incentive Funding Grant Budgets and FFA Rosters. This year we have also began conversations with programs regarding the 3 Circle Grant. The implementation of this new program has created opportunities to start conversations with stakeholders and administrators while offering support for additional time served outside of the contracted day.