



FCCLA E-Adviser

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The *E-Adviser* is the official online newsletter for national FCCLA.
Bringing current FCCLA updates to all chapter and state advisers registered for the Chapter Adviser List serv.

Awards and Recognition

Adult Awards

Adult award applications postmarked to national headquarters are due April 1.

- Integration of Core Academics
- National School Administrator
- FCCLA State Adviser of the Year

Scholarship Applications

The 2010-2011 Scholarship Applications are available on the FCCLA national website. All scholarship applications must be postmarked by April 1, 2011. Please visit the [Scholarship Applications](#) section of the website for more information. Email jgiuffre@fclclainc.org with any questions.

Frank W.H. Fort Scholarship

National FCCLA will award one individual (middle, junior, or senior high member) \$500 to support attendance at the National Leadership Conference (NLC). If the student submitting the proposal or a participant in the project is unable to attend NLC, the award will still be presented but the monetary stipend will not. The FCCLA national scholarship will be given annually at NLC. The financial amount will be presented prior to NLC to support recipient's attendance. [Click here](#) for more information.

Competitive Events

Competitive Events Manager Position Vacant

FCCLA has the Competitive Events Manager position open and applications are welcome. The position description is available [online](#). Please pass along this information and the job description to anyone you feel qualifies. Until the position is filled please email all applications and inquiries to competitiveevents@fclclainc.org or to Michelle Flinton, Director of Programs, mflinton@fclclainc.org.

Contests

The Spring 2011 contests are in full swing. Be sure to check out the opportunities on the contest page of the FCCLA national website and encourage your students to get involved! Be part of the action through the following three contests:

- FCCLA Flag Contest – *FCCLA's recycled or reclaimed flag design*
- FCCLA Leaders to Watch – *the FCCLA version of People's Top 25 People of the Year*
- O-riginals Recipe Contest – *a contest sponsored by Otis Spunkmeyer*

Check out the Contests section of the FCCLA national website for official contest rules and forms. Encourage your students to participate in one or all three of these fun and exciting opportunities.

National STAR Events Lead & Assistant Lead Consultants

FCCLA needs experienced volunteers to help oversee each STAR Event competition at the 2011 National Leadership Conference. If you are interested in this opportunity or would like more information, please send an email to national

headquarters at starevents@fcclainc.org with your contact information and the event(s) with which you may be willing to assist. A small stipend is available, but consultants must attend the 2011 National Leadership Conference at their own expense.

Marketing & Membership

Adviser Academy Applications – Due May 1

The [2011-2012 application](#) for Adviser Academy is now online! Applicants will be accepted into the program on a rolling basis and early applications are appreciated. FCCLA is proud to announce its partnership with Northwest Missouri State University offering advisers in this program up to 16 post-baccalaureate credit hours for their work and completion of Adviser Academy. For more information about the program, please visit the Adviser Academy page of the national website or email Amy Doane at adoane@fcclainc.org.

Membership Achievement Awards! Online Applications for Recognition

Be recognized for all your recruitment success! The online applications for all three membership recognition components are available online under Membership. The submission deadline is April 1.

Membership Cards

Affiliated chapter can access membership cards through their online affiliation account. Once signed in to the online affiliation, click Resources and the 2010-2011 Membership cards are available to download.

Meetings

Call for Youth Workshop Presenters

Does your chapter have an exciting idea for a Youth Workshop? Consider presenting a workshop at the 2011 National Leadership Conference in Anaheim, California. Visit the [National Leadership Conference](#) section of the national website to complete a workshop proposal form by **March 15, 2011**. Please email Bethany S. Kohut at bkohut@fcclainc.org with questions.

March Release

The 2011 National Leadership Conference March Release is posted on the National Leadership Conference page of the FCCLA website. Separate documents are posted related to Conference Information, Election Information, and STAR Events Information. Please read thoroughly as it will be very helpful to help start planning for the 2011 National Leadership Conference. If you have specific questions, please email meetings@fcclainc.org.

Registration and Housing

Registration for the 2011 National Leadership Conference, Tours and Housing is now open! We encourage all to save time and money by registering for the conference online. Conference Tour registration will only be available online as it has been in the past. If you register for the conference online, you will be able to immediately register for tours after completing your conference registration. You may also register directly by going to the tour registration link located on the FCCLA Website on the National Leadership Conference page. Visit the National Leadership Conference page on the FCCLA national website for more information on conference registration and housing.

The following states have notified FCCLA national headquarters that their delegation will registration and/or make housing reservations as a state group. Please contact your state adviser if you have questions related to your state's conference registration or housing. Chapters located in states other than those listed below should register for the conference and make housing reservations individually.

	Housing	Registration
California	X	X
Colorado	X	
Connecticut	X	X
Idaho	X	
Illinois	X	
Kansas	X	X
Louisiana	X	X
Maine	X	X
Massachusetts	X	

Michigan	X	X
Minnesota FCCLA	X	X
Minnesota HERO	X	X
Missouri	X	X
Montana	X	
Nebraska		X
New Hampshire	X	X
New York	X	X
North Dakota	X	
Ohio	X	X
Oklahoma	X	
Oregon	X	
Puerto Rico	X	
Rhode Island	X	
South Dakota		X
Texas	X	X
Utah	X	X
Virginia	X	
Washington	X	X
West Virginia	X	X

State Hotel Assignments

Hotel assignments and Housing Forms are posted on the FCCLA website National Leadership Conference page. Please check with your state adviser to find out how your state will be handling housing reservations. The hotels will be provided with the state assignments and will only accept reservations for states assigned to their property. Reservations received after the hotel cutoff date will be placed in the assigned hotel based on availability.

If you have additional questions, please email meetings@fclclinc.org.

Programs & Youth Training

2010-2011 Program Award Applications Due Today!

The 2010-2011 Program Award Applications are online again this year. Please visit www.fclclinc.org/content/youth-award-applications/ to access the applications. Make sure to visit the **FAQ's** page before beginning your application. A preview copy of the application is available by logging onto the application website. All applications must be submitted electronically to FCCLA national headquarters by March 1. The online award system will automatically close **March 1, 11:59 p.m. EST**.

Lesson Plans and Activities

Share your FCCLA lesson plans and activities with other advisers, and find lessons to use in your classroom. Use the provided template to email FCCLA integrated lessons to bkohut@fclclinc.org (please include attachments). The Lesson Plans and Activities page also includes Power of One and Dynamic Leadership content, previously found on the national program CD.

Miscellaneous

National Nutrition Month

March is National Nutrition Month, a nutrition education and information campaign created by Action for Healthy Kids' national partner, the American Dietetic Association (ADA). To help promote the importance of good nutrition, check out the ADA website for [tips and resources](#) and also [event ideas](#) and bring National Nutrition Month to schools, families or your workplace.

National Sleep Awareness Week

National Sleep Awareness Week (NSAW) is a public education, information, and awareness campaign held the week of **March 7-13, 2011**. NSAW coincides with the return of Daylight Saving Time, the annual "springing forward" of clocks that can cause Americans to lose an hour of sleep. For more information, please visit <http://www.sleepfoundation.org>.

National Youth Violence Prevention Week – March 21-25, 2011

The National Association of Students Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE) is proud to be a founding partner, along with the Guidance Group, of the [National Youth Violence Prevention Campaign](#). The goal of this campaign is to raise awareness and to educate students, teachers, school administrators, counselors, school resource officers, school staff, parents, and the public on effective ways to prevent or reduce youth Violence.

Grants

Visit the [Other Awards/Grants](#) section of the website for an updated list of youth grants that your chapter may be eligible to apply for.

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