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Veterans High School Wins Two National FFA Awards

HOUSTON COUNTY, GA - Two Veterans High School FFA teams won national awards at the 92nd Annual National FFA Convention and Expo held in Indianapolis, Indiana Oct. 30 – Nov. 2, 2019. The Agricultural Sales Team won fourth place and one student scored the highest in the nation. The Meats Evaluation Team won seventh place. The FFA advisers are Jeff Wilson and Dr. Clay Walker.



Congratulations to the Ag Sales team (pictured from left): Bryce Wood, Makayla Bembry, Hannah Sieg and Sydney Smith. Sieg also won national highest individual scorer in this category; previously she was the highest scorer in 2019 for the state of Georgia.

The Agricultural Sales team had to research agricultural products, sell products to a judge, build a sales presentation as a team and take a general knowledge test.

Congratulations, also, to the Meats Evaluation team members: Cassidy Horton, Olivia Clary and Darby Masters. During this competitive event, students evaluate beef for quality and yield grade; identify various meat cuts; and identify wholesale and/or retail cuts. Check your own knowledge by taking an online quiz to [identify cuts of beef](#) and [cuts of pork](#).

The students and their advisers will be recognized at the Nov. 12 Board of Education monthly meeting. Veterans High School is located at 340 Piney Grove Road in Kathleen. Dr. Amy Barbour serves as principal. For more information, please contact Wilson or Dr. Walker at 478-218-7537.



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