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**FFA AMBASSADORS RECOGNIZED AT THE 90th GEORGIA FFA STATE CONVENTION**

MACON, Ga. – Foundation ambassadors were selected, served, and were recognized at the 90th State FFA Convention held at the Macon Centreplex on April 26-28, 2018.

Ambassadors were chosen through an application submitted to the Georgia FFA Association. During convention, they served as the face of the Georgia FFA Association to important guests and sponsors. Their duties included escorting sponsors to events and dinners and ensuring they were recognized for their outstanding support of the Georgia FFA Association.

The 2018 FFA State Ambassadors were Mackenzie Blair of Colquitt County, Ivey Cook of Tift County, Mattie Anne Davis of Brantley County, Harrison Faulk of Golden Isles, Kaitlyn Hart of Colquitt County, Sarah Grace Hunter of Southeast Bulloch, Tyler Hunter of Southeast Bulloch, Jansen Killian of Montgomery County, Logan Moore of Colquitt County, Emma Newberry of Oconee County, Lizzy Parks of Bleckley County, Mallory Parrott of Harris County, Noel Plunkett of Jackson County, Dawson Simmons of Heritage, Olivia Spooner of Seminole County, Jordan Stevenson of Islands, Meagan Taylor of Tift County, Logan Williams of Newton CCA, Case Winkler of North Murray, and Cory Yarbrough of Madison County.

The Foundation Ambassador program was sponsored by the Farm Credit Associations of Georgia.

The National FFA Organization, formerly known as the Future Farmers of America, changed its name in 1988 to reflect the growth and diversity of agriculture. There are more than 600,000 FFA members nationwide. The Georgia Association has more than 40,000 members, making it the third largest Association in the nation. The FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth, and career success, through agricultural education.

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