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Important Dates

- August 1--Affiliation opens
- October 11--Fall Leadership Rally Registration Deadline
- October 16--Postmark deadline for Fall Rally Payments
- October 29--Fall Leadership Rally

Directory

Please find the list of state officers, advisers, and their contact information linked below.

[State Executive Council Directory](#)

Board of Directors

Please find the name and contact information for our current Board of Directors linked below:

[Board of Directors](#)

National Leadership Conference in Review



Louisiana FCCLA received the Go for the Red Membership Increase Award

Louisiana FCCLA was well represented at the National Leadership Conference in Seattle, Washington June 28-July 3, 2024. The conference offered members an amazing experience, including inspiring speaker sessions, engaging in youth workshops, competing nationally, and networking with fellow youth leaders. Centered around "The Ultimate Journey," this conference highlighted how FCCLA offers exceptional prospects to its members and advisers through Family and Consumer Sciences education. By exploring career opportunities and instilling real-world skills, advocacy, and service, FCCLA empowers its members to make an impact that will guide them on their ultimate journey.

Competitive Events Recognition:



Entrepreneurship, Level 2

Silver-Kimberlynn Short & Isabella Wood, Castor High School

Job Interview, Level 3

Silver--Maggie Hargrave, Kaplan High School

Sports Nutrition, Level 2

Silver--Marlee Shamsie, Olivia Crain, and Camri Primeaux
Midland High School

Sports Nutrition, Level 3

Bronze--Destini Broussard, Central Lafourche High School
Silver--Madeline Bolyer, Malina Warren, and Krista Young,
Castor High School

Interior Design, Level 3

1st Place-- Malaya Broussard, Kaplan High School.

Challenge Test

Membership Recruitment Campaign



Themes:

"Dare to Lead" challenges students to step into leadership roles with confidence, resilience, and a commitment to positive change. This theme empowers them to take bold actions, fostering a culture of leadership within FCCLA. It can be hard to push beyond the status quo. Let's equip our members with the tools needed to have the confidence to step out of their comfort zones and become the Ultimate Leader in FCCLA. "Dare to Dream" in FCCLA while exploring a future of possibilities where passion meets purpose and dreams become reality.



Be sure to check out the activities and resources on the FCCLA website

[Click here for more membership activities and ideas](#)

"Dare to Lead" Wall of Achievements

Inspire others by showcasing your FCCLA members' achievements, leadership, and projects. Use this Canva template to customize a poster for your own chapter's Hall of Fame. Use the photo label template to identify the member and their achievements. Just add a 4x6 photo and the labels to a half sheet of cardstock!



KAPLAN HIGH SCHOOL FCCLA

Hall of Fame

Celebrate

LEADERSHIP

TEMPLATE FOR
PHOTO LABELS



Fall Leadership Rally

Acadiana Baptist Center

Eunice, LA

October 29, 2024



Join us for a day of leadership development and FCCLA exploration at our annual Fall Leadership Rally at the beautiful Acadiana Baptist Center in Eunice. Our State Officers have developed fun and interactive sessions to help your students dream up all they can achieve this year in FCCLA.

CONFERENCE INFO **& REGISTRATION**

Competitions:

Creed Speaking:

Members will be evaluated on their ability to recite the FCCLA Creed and interpret its meaning

Sweet Dreams Cupcake Challenge

Teams will create an original cupcake recipe and a display that supports the conference theme

Breakout Sessions:

Dream Catchers: Members will create vision boards to help make their dreams become reality!

Counting Sheep: Get to know your herd! Members will enjoy high energy networking activities.

Talking in Your Sleep: Members will be challenged to participate in Red Talks and practice their impromptu speaking skills.

Bad Dreams: Members will learn all about FCCLA programs while trying to break out of an Escape Room.

Dream Teams: Members will show off their teamwork skills as they work through a series of obstacles.

Officer Updates



President
Anthony Plaisance

Louisiana FCCLA is excited to announce our official outreach project for 2024-2045. Keep Louisiana Beautiful is focused on promoting best practices for litter prevention and reduction, beautification, recycling, waste reduction, and sustainability.

Throughout the year we will be working with KLB to bring chapters the resources necessary to organize clean up efforts for your own communities. Stay tuned for more information! In the mean time, be sure to check out the Keep Louisiana Beautiful website!



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KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL AFFILIATE



1st Vice President
Malaya Broussard

Do you know that The Ultimate Leadership Fund supports chapter affiliation grants? Chapter advisers can submit a simple application in the portal to request funds for cover affiliation costs. Additionally, The Ultimate Leadership Fund awards individual and chapter grants to help fund projects that impact your schools and communities. This is a great way to earn money to impact your cause or get the materials you need for a STAR Event project. Read more about these amazing opportunities on the FCCLA Website.



**THE ULTIMATE
LEADERSHIP
FUND**



Officer Updates



VP of Finance
Ashton Armfield

FCCLA has three amazing fundraising partners to help your chapters bring in extra funds this year! Click each of the flyers below to find out more!



VP of Membership and PR
Brooklyn Doucet

One of the amazing benefits of FCCLA membership is the scholarship opportunities. Through a partnership with the Louisiana Community and Technical Colleges System, all FCCLA members graduating in good standing will receive a one-time \$500 scholarship at any of the schools within the LCTCS system. A member who has also qualified for National Leadership Conference in a competitive event will receive an additional \$1000. We are very proud to announce that **forty-eight** 2024 graduates were awarded LCTCS Scholarships for the Fall semester!

FCCLA Member Scholarship

\$500 for all members graduating in good standing
\$1000 additional for members who qualifies for NLC



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Officer Updates



VP of Competitive Events
Angie Meana



For the first time, Louisiana FCCLA members will be able to choose any of the 30+ STAR Events offered nationally. We want to make sure that our members are able to choose events they love based on their skills and interests. Competitive Event registration will happen a little earlier this year to allow for the additional planning this change will require. More information coming soon!

Distinguished Alumni

Our new series this year will highlight Louisiana FCCLA Alumni who have gone on to be leaders in their careers and communities. If you or someone you know would like to be featured, please fill out this [form](#).*



Jill Kidder
President and CEO
of Visit Baton Rouge

Jill served on the State Executive Council in 1978 as the First Vice President. She attended Louisiana State University and obtained a degree in Marketing and Communications.

A black and white graphic featuring a Polaroid-style photograph of Jill Kidder, a woman with short brown hair wearing a red top, smiling. The photo is held by a black paperclip. To the right of the photo, her name and title are listed in white text. Below the photo, a short biography is provided in white text.