

Innovation and Best Practices for Teaching and Learning
Fall PDI 2016
Crowne Plaza Lansing West
November 8th and 9th 2016

Tuesday, November 8th

7:00 – 8:15 am Registration and Continental Breakfast – Conference Lobby

Following are located in Ballroom AB

8:15 – 8:30 am **Welcome Agenda Overview – Dave Wyrick and Mark Forbush**

8:30 – 8:50 am **MSU Update on AFNRE – Matt Raven and Mike Hamm, CSUS/AFNRE**

Participants will be provided an update on information related to the AFNRE secondary teacher preparation program.

8:50 – 9:10 am **Michigan Department of Education Updates – Mark Forbush MDE & CSUS/AFNRE**

Participants will be provided information on trends at the State and National level related to AFNRE key topics.

9:10 – 9:30 am **Michigan FFA Update – Dave Wyrick, Michigan FFA**

Participants will be provided information on State activities and CDE updates as they relate to local program success as well as the interrelationship to AFNRE.

9:30 – 10:00 am **National FFA Update – Larry Gossen and Jim Armbruster, National FFA**

Participants will be provided with information on National FFA activities, National Convention and updates related to FFA.

10:00 – 10:30 am **Michigan Farm Bureau – Tonia Ritter and Amelia Miller**

Participants will be provided with information about a new program in classroom ag literacy.

10:30 – 10:45 am Break

10:45 – 12:15 Select one of the following concurrent sessions.

Session A (Reo Room) – The NEW National Chapter Awards Form – Larry Gossen, National FFA

Participants will be provided with information on the newly revised National Chapter Awards form.

Session B (Ballroom A) – Introduction to AET – Mark Forbush, MDE & CSUS/AFNRE
Participants will be provided with information at an introductory level on the Ag Experience Tracker system (AET).

Session C (Ballroom B) – Advanced AET – Roger Hanagriff, AET
Participants will be provided with information at an advanced level on the Ag Experience Tracker system (AET).

12:15 – 1:00 pm Networking Luncheon – **Sponsored by iCEV (Ballroom AB)**

1:00 – 2:30 pm Select one of the following concurrent sessions
Session D (Reo Room) – The NEW National Chapter Award Forms – Larry Gossen, National FFA
Participants will be provided with information on the newly revised National Chapter Awards form.

Session E (Ballroom A) – Food Science Contest – Julie Adams, WK Kellogg
Participants will be provided with information on the Food Science CDE

Session F (Ballroom B) – Advanced AET – Roger Hanagriff, AET
Participants will be provided with information at an advanced level on the Ag Experience Tracker system (AET).

2:30 – 2:45 pm Break

2:45 – 4:15 pm Select one of the following concurrent sessions.
Session G (Reo Room) – Incorporating iCEV Into Instructional Practices - Ken Bollinger and Tammy Hyatt
Participants will learn the most up-to-date instructional practices in iCEV and application of those instructional practices

Session H (Ballroom A) – The Rabbit Improvement Contest – Tony McCaul and Susann Young
Participants will be provided with an update and overview of the Rabbit Improvement Contest.

Session I (Ballroom B) – Informational Speed Dating Session – Aaron McKim, AFNRE/CSUS
In this fast-paced session, designed for novice and experienced teachers, you have the opportunity to learn from the experts about your choice of topics. Participants will rotate 4 times.
Mark Forbush - AET General Questions
Katie Holt - PAWS with a cause
Megghan Honke-Seidel - Ag Communications
Ali Bassage - Evening Programs in AFNRE
Renee Wangler – Flipped Classroom

4:15 – 4:30 pm Break

4:30 – 6:00 pm **Connecting and Reconnecting with AFNRE colleagues**

6:15 – 8:00 pm **Teacher Award Dinner – MAAE and MHTA**

8:15 – 9:00 pm **Association Meetings**
MAAE Meeting (Ballroom AB)
MHTA Meeting (Reo Room)

9:00 – 11:00 pm **FFA Dance/Euchre Tournament (Ballroom CDEF)**
Teachers/Advisors with students, please supervise the dance and euchre tournament.

Wednesday, November 9th

7:00 – 7:30 am Networking Breakfast (Ballroom AB)

7:30 – 8:00 am **Dean Ron Hendrick, CANR**

8:00 – 9:30 am Select one of the following concurrent sessions.

Session J (Reo Room) – CPR Training – Henry Reinart

*Participants will be provided with training and certification in CPR (individuals must also participate in Session M to receive certification). **Maximum of 12 participants.***

Session K (Ballroom A) – Promotion of Herbal Tea as an SAE Opportunity – Matt Raven, Bethany Kogut, Hailey Ferrer, and Natalie Horning

Participants will be provided with information on production of Herbal Tea as an SAE opportunity for students.

Session L (Ballroom B) – Teaching social-ecological systems– Jenny Hodbod, CSUS/AFNRE

Participants will utilize the concepts of social-ecological systems in an activity to explore how interactions between humans and nature are important and can be a context for teaching and learning.

9:30 – 9:45 am Break

9:45 – 11:15 am Select one of the following concurrent sessions.

Session M (Reo Room) – CPR Training – Henry Reinart

*Participants will be provided with training and certification in CPR (individuals must also participate in Session J to receive certification). **Maximum of 12 participants.***

Session N (Ballroom A) – Foundations of Curriculum Planning – Aaron McKim and Matt Raven

In this interactive and practical workshop, we will address foundational skills related to: (a) designing semester-long instructional plans, (b) using segments to plan your curriculum, and (c) writing and using lesson plan objectives.

Session O (Ballroom B) – STAR Recruitment and Retention Program (Mark Forbush, Beth Eggleston, Renee Wangler, and Alan Green) and Enhancing Alumni Membership (Larry Gossen)

Participants will be provided with information and discuss ways to recruit and retain future AFNRE teachers and Alumni Membership.

11:15 – 11:30 am Break and Room Check Out

11:30 – 12:30 pm Networking Luncheon (Ballroom AB)

12:30 - 1:00 pm - AgrAbility Program – Beverly Berens, MSU Extension

Participants will be provided with information on the AgrAbility Program as a resource to educators.

12:30 – 1:15 pm Select one of the following concurrent sessions.

Session P (Reo Room) – Developing a POA using AET - Larry Gossen

Participants will be provided with information on the development of a POA using the AET system.

Session Q (Ballroom A) – Poultry Judging CDE - Joe Ankley

Participants will be provided with information on the Poultry Judging CDE.

Session R (Ballroom B) – Vet Science CDE - Tammy Hyatt

Participants will be provided with information on the Vet Science CDE.

1:15 – 1:30 pm Break and Rotate

1:30– 2:15 pm Select one of the following concurrent sessions.

Session S (Reo Room) – AgCN as a Career Tool - Larry Gossen

Participants will be provided with information on the AgCN software as a tool.

Session T (Ballroom A) – Ag Mechanics CDE - Torey Birchmeier

Participants will be provided with information on the Ag Mechanics CDE.

Session U (Ballroom B) – Ag Issues CDE – Jessica Couch

Participants will be provided information of the Ag Issues CDE.

2:00 pm Adjourn

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