

## 2018 National FFA Convention Schedule-Buffalo FFA

	Tuesday 10/23	Wednesday 10/24	Thursday 10/25	Friday 10/26	Saturday 10/27
7:00 am	Leave BHS at 2pm. with school van - We will stop for dinner on our way to Merrillville, IN  -Arrive at Best Western Inn Merrillville, IN around 10 pm		TBD - Breakfast TBD - Leave Hotel for Convention (OD – all day)	TBD – Breakfast 8 am Finals (Market Plan)	TBD – Breakfast TBD – Check out, load up, and van leave for convention center (OD) 7:45 8 <sup>th</sup> General Session
8:00 am			8-5 Convention Expo - Be in OD - <b>Agriscience Fair</b> Open House 8-5 - <b>Leadership and Career Development Workshops</b> (8:30-5)  9 am preliminaries (Market Plan) - FFA Food Court/Shopping Mall 1-3 pm <b>Career Fair</b>  2 pm Semi Finals (Market Plan)  2 pm <b>Second General Session</b>   5 pm FFA Talent Review	<b>Indianapolis museum tour(TBD)</b> Lunch  Return to Convention (OD) - <b>5<sup>th</sup> General Session</b> Noon * If back in time  - <b>National FFA Expo</b> 8-4 - FFA Food Court/Shopping Mall  - <b>Leadership and Career Development Workshops</b> 8-5	1 pm: Awards Program  Leave at 3 pm
9:00 am					
10:00 am		Arrive at Fair Oaks Dairy for tour			
11:00 am					
12:00 am		FFA Career Expo opens at 12:30 College Reps and Ag companies to visit.			
1:00 pm		Arrive at Indy Convention Center at 1 pm to register students to attend various career workshops			
2:00 pm		4 pm Market plan photos 5 pm Market plan meeting		- 2:15 <b>State photo session</b>  - <b>6<sup>th</sup> General Session</b> 3pm (Conseco Hall) - <b>Nat’l FFA Concert</b> 5:45 (Conseco Hall)	Arrive back on Sunday morning around 2 am.
3:00 pm					
4:00 pm					
5:00 pm					
6:00 pm		6:45 Opening Session 1B	6:00 FFA Food Court closes	6:00 Market Plan Awards Dinner	
7:00 pm			7:00 FFA Mall closes 7:30 <b>3<sup>rd</sup> General Session</b> - Return to hotel after session finishes	7:00 FFA Mall Closes 7:00 <b>7<sup>th</sup> General Session</b> (Conseco Hall)	
8:00 pm					
9:00 pm		9 pm Arrive back at hotel LaQuinta Inn Indianapolis Airport Executive Drive	TBD –Vans return to hotel	TBD –Van returns to hotel	

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