

Members Earn Keystone Degrees

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club and Students for Christ. I enjoy reading and being with my friends in the limited spare time that I have.

Committee Memberships I've Enjoyed: I am chairman of the ag awareness committee and the public relations committee. I was also in the supervised ag experiment.

My Favorite Experience In FFA: Conservation speaking contests, parliamentary procedure and land judging.

What I Hope To Accomplish In The Future: Consider being a state FFA officer, or possibly attend a two year technical school.

The Career I'd Most Like To Have: Work for an agricultural based newspaper.

Things I Most Enjoy About Being An FFA Member: Attending Penn State

Days and the National FFA Convention.

Ellis Kreider



My Chapter: Solanco.

How Old I Am:

17.

Parents' Names: Scott and Vickie Kreider.

Where I Live: Quarryville.

The Offices I've

Held: Student adviser, second vice president, and first vice president.

These Are My Favorite Activities: Hunting.

Committee Memberships I've Enjoyed: Healthy lifestyles.

My Favorite Experience In FFA: Learn dairy judging.

What I Hope To Accomplish In The Future: To work and part owner of the family farm.

The Career I'd Most Like To Have: Dairy farmer.

Things I Most Enjoy About Being An FFA Member: Meet new people.

Jonathan C. Lauver

My Chapter: Middleburg FFA Chapter.

How Old I Am: 18.

Parents' Names: Gerald and Wyona Lauver.

Where I Live: Mt. Pleasant Mills.

The Offices I've Held: Chapter reporter and chapter vice president.

These Are My Favorite Activities: Being with my friends, football, chorus, FFA, band, and church youth groups.

Committee Memberships I've Enjoyed: Executive, leadership, health and recreation, and scholarship committees.

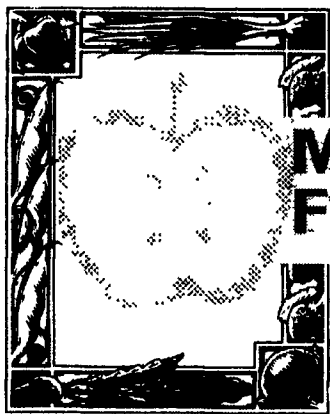
My Favorite Experience In FFA: Attending 1999 National FFA Convention.

What I Hope To Accomplish In The Future: Graduate from college and become a politician.

The Career I'd Most Like To Have: Political sciences.

Things I Most Enjoy About Being An FFA Member: Trips/tour and meeting people.

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Mid-Atlantic Fruit and Vegetable Convention

January 29 - 31, 2002

Hershey Lodge and Convention Center,
Hershey Pennsylvania

Educational Sessions - Expert Speakers from Across the Nation

Trade Show - Over 130 Suppliers for Fruit and Vegetable Growers

Tree Fruits

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Apogee Evaluation
An Economic Evaluation of NY Apple Production Systems - Steve Hoying, Cornell
Pruning and Training Higher Density Trees

Stone Fruit Cultivars

Life without the OPs

Chemical Thinning

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Apogee & Insect Control
Native Bees for Pollinators
High Density Cherries
Cider Pasteurization & HACCP
Cultivar Viewing and Tasting
Fungicidal Coppers

U. S. Apple Assn. Update

Crop Insurance

Future of Agricultural Industry

National Peach Council

- How To Grow Big Peaches

- Training and Thinning

- Managing Scale Insects

- High Density Peach Systems

- Update on Plum Pox Virus -

- Peach Rusty Spot

- Marketing and Storage

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PA Certified Organic

Mating Disruption

Emerging Virus Problems

Third Party Monitoring

OFM Management

Herbicide Timing

National Peach Council

- Tree Management

- Future of the Cling Industry

- Wholesale Marketing

- Continuing IPM Programs

Wine Grapes

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Vine Decline

Dr. Laura Mugnai, Univ of Florence

Crown Gall; Grape Root Borer

Clean Vine Program

Vegetables

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Season Extension
-Winter Harvest-Eliot Coleman

-Profitability

Back to Basics

-How to Build a Good Soil - Eliot Coleman

-Basic Cultivation

Cole Crops

Snap Beans

Peppers

- Controlling Phytophthora

Sweet Corn

- Weed Control & Varieties

Organic Vegetable Production

- Building Healthy Soil - Eliot Coleman

Greenhouse Vegetables

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Alternatives to Methyl Bromide

Irrigation

Melons, Cucumbers

- Specialty Melon Varieties -

- Seedless Watermelon Production

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Pumpkins

Tomatoes

- Controlling Bacterial Diseases

General Vegetables

- Update on Post-Harvest Practices

- Marketing Ethnic Produce

Fall Ornamentals

Fresh Tomatoes

- How We Handle and Package Tomatoes

Cumberland Farm Products,

Monticello, KY

- Tomato Varieties - Dr. Randy Gardner

Processing Tomatoes

- Variety Update

- Grower Panel

Greenhouse Ornamentals

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Annual and Perennial Cultivars

Thrips Control

Heuchera, Tiarella, Heucherella

Energy Conservation

Ornamental Grasses

Small Fruit

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Strawberry, Bramble and Blueberry Cultivars

What's New in Gooseberries and Currants

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Nutrient Management Overview

Managing Soil Compaction

Trickle Irrigation and Fertigation

Disease, Insect and Weed Control

Marketing

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Food and Consumer Trends

PA Produce Consolidation Ctr

What Buyers Are Looking For

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Guerrilla Marketing & Coordinating

Special Events - Robert Matarazzo

Using the Media

Internet Marketing Web Sites

Starting a Producer-Only Mkt:

Potatoes

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Timothy Conner, National Potato

Promotion Board

Marketing PA Potatoes

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Varieties, Fertility, Postharvest

Seed Potato Handling

Potato Plasticulture

Disease and Insect Control

Managing Potato Storages

Labor Legal Issues

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Ag Laws & Regulations on the WEB

Managing Hispanic Workers

Water Resources Management

Labor Regulations

Cut Flowers

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Trends in Field Grown Cuts

High Tunnel Production

Grower Panel

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New Jersey State Horticultural Soc. - William Tietjen - 908-475-6505 or

Maryland State Horticultural Soc. - Robert Black - 301-271-7491

For vegetable, potato & flower program registration fees information, contact

Pennsylvania Vegetable Growers Ass'n

William Troxell - 717-694-3596

