

STATE PROFICIENCY AWARDS

2020 STATE FINALISTS AND WINNERS

Agricultural Communications

Merary Hernandez, Madera

Clarissa Rios, King City

Elisabeth Watkins, Modesto-Central Catholic

Agricultural Education

Michelle Borges, Hughson

Amy Swall, Tulare

Karen Vasquez, La Habra-Sonora

Agricultural Mechanics Design/Fabrication

Zachary Alves, Paso Robles

Cole Marchy, Turlock

Arie Prins, Tulare

Agricultural Mechanics Repair/Maintenance Entrepreneurship

Christian Evans, Waterford

Tyler Schimke, Paso Robles

Agricultural Mechanics Repair/Maintenance Placement

Mark Doss, Nipomo

Trevor Herman, Ramona

Nicholas Mello, Hanford

Agricultural Processing

Ashlee Anderson, Turlock

Austin Landry, Lincoln

Rachel Mancebo, Chowchilla

Agricultural Sales Entrepreneurship

Seth Hilfiker, Holtville

Alyssa Loreda, Merced

Ivan Trujillo, Greenfield

Agricultural Sales Placement

Damon Gallegos, Fallbrook

Brianna Lewellen, Denair

Brooklyn Young, Kingsburg

Agricultural Services

Rider Bass, Chowchilla

Max Myers, Arbuckle-Pierce

Davis Vieira, Turlock

Agriscience Research – Animal Systems

Linzee Degraff, Marysville

Grace Jardon, Exeter

Parker Jones, Healdsburg

Agriscience Research – Integrated System

Emma Coelho, Tulare

Emily Sarantopulos, Elk Grove

Emma Thorpe, Lakeside-El Capitan

Agriscience Research – Plant Systems

Yesenia Gutierrez Lopez, Tracy-Merrill West

Emersyn Klick, Healdsburg

Rory Valov, Hanford

Beef Production Entrepreneurship

Hunter Aue, Merced-Golden Valley

Logan Pomi, Petaluma

Amy Stroing, Red Bluff

Beef Production Placement

Mitchell Bianchi, Hollister-San Benito

Garrett Christiansen, Ferndale

Connor Spurlock, Merced-El Capitan

Dairy Production Entrepreneurship

Samantha Gambonini, Petaluma

Siena Rollin, Riverdale

Aspen Silva, Modesto

Dairy Production Placement

Jackson De Jager, Stone Ridge Christian

Kyler Radelfinger, Ferndale

Zachary Santos, Chowchilla

Diversified Agricultural Production

Blake Kalfsbeek, Colusa

Michaela Mederos, Tulare

Spencer Wolf, Merced-El Capitan

Diversified Crop Production Entrepreneurship

Sebastian Pinon, Santa Maria-Pioneer Valley

Diversified Crop Production Placement

Seraphina Bedoyan, Clovis

Carlos Madrigal, Greenfield

Tristan Miller, Arbuckle-Pierce

Diversified Horticulture

Ariana Godina, Madera

Karina Gutierrez, Fallbrook

Diversified Livestock

Kaycee Brassfield, San Andreas-Calaveras

Lucielle Burris, Ukiah

Delana Sehnert, Fallbrook

Environmental Science/Nat Resources

Bryce Nagel, Tulare

Cole Nally, Arroyo Grande

Spencer Stephens, Merced-Golden Valley

Equine Science Entrepreneurship

Kiah Betschart, Atwater

Clayton Guy, Mountain Empire

Kassidy McComb, Madera

Equine Science Placement

Deyvet Carbajal, Madera

Hannah Jimenez, Dixon

Layton Lee Oswald, Oakdale

Fiber/Oil Crop

Peter Bliss, Merced-Golden Valley

Efrain Hernandez, Firebaugh

Kristin Roberti, Loyalton

Forage Production

Chase Williams, Woodland

Olivia Williams, Sebastopol-Analy

Keona Ybarra, Wildomar-Elsinore

Forest Management/Products

Nicole Arias, Julian

Caleb Gretlein, Nipomo

Merrit Walters, Ferndale

Goat Production

Michael Bray, Atwater

Hannah Mancebo, Chowchilla

Viviana Magdeleno, Healdsburg

Grain Production Placement

Tyler Avila, Porterville

Regina Schneider, Jackson-Argonaut

Jack Sheppard, Biggs

Landscape Management

Isaiah Molina, Hanford

Jonathan Rodriguez, Templeton

Shantel Shaw, Sebastopol-Analy

Nursery Operations

Madison Causey, Fallbrook

Evelyn Santos-Mendez, Madera

Abigail van Klaveren, Modesto

Outdoor Recreation

Cutter Cates, Elk Grove-Pleasant Grove

Haley Piek, Reedley-Immanuel

Gavin Renz, Hollister-San Benito

Pomology Production

Josh Heupel, Merced – Golden Valley

Blake Kalfsbeek, Colusa

Hanna Scully, Kelseyville

Poultry Production

Claire Conard, Healdsburg

Joshua Crain, Bakersfield-Independence

Alana Logie, Yuba City

Service Learning

Amanda Cuen, Firebaugh

Sheep Production

Blake Kalfsbeek, Colusa

Austin Maners, Sebastopol-Analy

Madison Woods, Gustine

Small Animal Production and Care

Michael Bray, Atwater

Kimberlina Santos, Madera

Natalie Walton, Alturas-Modoc

Specialty Animal Production

Linzee Degraff, Marysville

Emersyn Klick, Healdsburg

Bridgette Williams, Wildomar-Elsinore

Specialty Crop Production

Eric Quezada Ridge, Nipomo

Swine Production Entrepreneurship

Sierra Collier, Fresno-Central

Ross Illingworth, Livermore

Madison Lloyd, Woodland-Pioneer

Swine Production Placement

Ashlee Anderson, Turlock

Kimberly Holguin, Visalia – VTEC

Jack O’Dell, Napa-Vintage

Turf Grass Management

Grant Addington, Clovis East

Jose Gutierrez Reyes, La Habra-Sonora

Juan Herrera, Watsonville

Vegetable Production

Bailey Banducci, Bakersfield-Independence

Lanna Juarez Sanders, Menifee-Heritage

Sebastian Pinon, Santa Maria-Pioneer Valley

Veterinary Medicine

Laura Anderson, Healdsburg

Jessica Mayer, McArthur-Fall River

Emily White, Reedley

Viticulture Production

Alexys Bautista, St. Helena

Dusty Flack, Julian

Alberto Ramirez, Shandon

Wildlife Management

Austin Blitch, Chowchilla

Michael Gulla, Durham

Alyssa Zolman, La Habra-Sonora