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# NEBRASKA DISTRICT 33 STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

**Nebraska Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs)** are vital components of Career and Technical Education (CTE), enhancing student learning through real-world application, leadership development, and hands-on experiences. Integrated into classroom curriculum, CTSOs empower students to build employability and career-specific skills, preparing them for future success. Through activities, programs, and competitive events, students explore Nebraska career opportunities, develop technical and leadership abilities, and connect with peers, educators, and industry leaders.

This document celebrates the outstanding achievements of students and advisors from Nebraska’s seven CTSOs, showcasing state and national award winners for the 2023-2024 year by legislative district. These achievements underscore the transformative impact of CTE and CTSOs, demonstrating how they equip students with the tools to thrive in their chosen careers while contributing to Nebraska’s workforce and economy!

Learn more about Nebraska’s Career and Technical Student Organizations at: [www.education.ne.gov/nce/career-technical-student-organizations-ctsos/](http://www.education.ne.gov/nce/career-technical-student-organizations-ctsos/)



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## State Leadership Conference

Name	District	Event	Award
Helen Keiser	Kenesaw	Project Visualize ( <i>Junior Varsity</i> )	First Place
McKinnley Kroos	Kenesaw	Project Visualize ( <i>Junior Varsity</i> )	First Place
McKinnley Kroos	Kenesaw	Teacher Created Materials ( <i>Junior Varsity</i> )	First Place



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## State Leadership Conference

Name	District	Event	Award
Gabby Feeny	Adams Central	Reporter	State Officer
Chase Harper	Adams Central	Treasurer	State Officer
Sidney O'dey	Adams Central	Who's Who	Recipient



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## National Leadership Conference

Name	District	Event	Award
Allison Burchell	Minden	Early Childhood Challenge - Level 3	First Place
Adalle Banzhaf-Diaz	Minden	Safe Rides Save Lives PSA Video	Third Place
Allison Burchell	Minden	Safe Rides Save Lives PSA Video	Third Place
Kaitlyn Vahl	Minden	Safe Rides Save Lives PSA Video	Third Place
Dawson Conyers	Minden	Safe Rides, Save Lives PSA Video	Third Place

## State Leadership Conference

Name	District	Event	Award
Dawson Conyers	Minden	Secretary	State Officer
Addison Klabunde	Minden	Focus on Children - Level 3	First Place
Cadence Shrader	Minden	Focus on Children - Level 3	First Place

### National FFA Convention

Name	District	Event	Award
Joseph Fickenscher	Axtell	American Degree	Recipient
Madeline Pulver	Kenesaw	American Degree	Recipient

### State FFA Convention

Name	District	Event	Award
Berkley Jacobitz	Adams Central	Agriscience Fair: Animal Systems - Div 4	First Place
Peyton Hartman	Adams Central	Agriscience Fair: Animal Systems - Div 5	First Place
Greeley Fitzke	Adams Central	Agriscience Fair: Plant Systems - Div 3	First Place
Lynsie Lancaster	Adams Central	State Degree	Recipient
Tayte Rogers	Adams Central	State Degree	Recipient
Joseph Fickenscher	Axtell	Proficiency: Agricultural Services	First Place
Maxine Fickenscher	Axtell	State Degree	Recipient
Kourtney Hort	Axtell	State Degree	Recipient
Brent Senff	Axtell	State Degree	Recipient
Marie Ford	Bertrand	Milk Quality & Products	First Place
Sydney Harris	Bertrand	Milk Quality & Products	First Place
Lane Schoff	Bertrand	Milk Quality & Products	First Place
Leah Schutz	Bertrand	Milk Quality & Products	First Place
Chloe Anderson	Bertrand	State Degree	Recipient
Bethany Pelton	Bertrand	State Degree	Recipient
Allyson Schoff	Bertrand	State Degree	Recipient
Carly Stewart	Bertrand	State Degree	Recipient
Gracianne Wilcox	Bertrand	State Degree	Recipient
CoriAnn Rostvet	Kenesaw	State Degree	Recipient
Jayden Smith	Kenesaw	State Degree	Recipient
Cassandra Arnold	Minden	State Degree	Recipient
Olivia Arnold	Minden	State Degree	Recipient
Marah Dornhoff	Minden	State Degree	Recipient
Jordan Bonifas	Silver Lake	Agriscience Fair: PST - Div 2	First Place
Lee Gibson	Silver Lake	Agriscience Fair: PST - Div 2	First Place
Brooklyn Himmelberg	Silver Lake	Agriscience Fair: Social Science - Div 2	First Place
Kaylee Karr	Silver Lake	Agriscience Fair: Social Science - Div 2	First Place
Sydney Bartels	Silver Lake	State Degree	Recipient
Ashley Bonifas	Silver Lake	State Degree	Recipient
Savanna Junek	Silver Lake	State Degree	Recipient
Madison Karr	Silver Lake	State Degree	Recipient
Samuel Gruwell	Wilcox-Hildreth	State Degree	Recipient
Makayla Johnson	Wilcox-Hildreth	State Degree	Recipient
Keya Knaus	Wilcox-Hildreth	State Degree	Recipient
Addison Overholser	Wilcox-Hildreth	State Degree	Recipient
Kayla Rupe	Wilcox-Hildreth	State Degree	Recipient

### National Leadership & Skills Conference

Name	District	Event	Award
Riley Mason	Central Community College	Additive Manufacturing	Third Place
Landon Nelson	Central Community College	Additive Manufacturing	Third Place
Trevor Brown	Central Community College	Heavy Equipment Operator	Second Place

## State Leadership and Skills Conference

Name	District	Event	Award
Julia Frank	Adams Central	Promotional Bulletin Board	First Place
Hannah Himmelberg	Adams Central	Promotional Bulletin Board	First Place
Olivia Redding	Adams Central	Promotional Bulletin Board	First Place
Riley Mason	Central Community College	Additive Manufacturing	First Place
Landon Nelson	Central Community College	Additive Manufacturing	First Place
John Fieldgrove	Central Community College	Automotive Service Technology	First Place
Trevor Brown	Central Community College	Heavy Equipment Operator	First Place
Cameron Aughenbaugh	Central Community College	Diesel Equipment - Off Road	First Place
Katie Dramse	Central Community College	T-Shirt Design	First Place
Jaylie Delay	Hastings	Emergency Medical Technician	First Place
Adalaide Walston	Hastings	Emergency Medical Technician	First Place
Alex Rutt	Kenesaw	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration	First Place