

#### FFA Points Policies:

1. The treasurer and advisors are responsible for tracking FFA points.
2. 10 points = \$1.00 that may be used for FFA trips, to purchase official dress or to pay dues. Other use of FFA points is up to the discretion of the advisors.
3. You cannot earn FFA points for a trip/event which is being paid for using FFA points.
4. Special committees must be assigned a deadline for task completion at the time the committee is formed.
5. All point allocations are up to the discretion of the FFA advisor(s) responsible for the event or task points are earned for.
6. Special events not listed below may be eligible for FFA points at the discretion of the FFA advisors.
7. All FFA points are liquidated at the time of high school graduation.

#### Opportunities for Earning Points:

1. Horse Shows – 1-16 pts\*
2. Horse Show Clean up / Set up
  - a. Ribbons – 1-4 pts\*
  - b. Rock picking/ring prep – 1-10 pts\*
3. Youth Fair – 1-16 pts per day\*
4. Judging Practice – 1-8 pts\*
5. Contests at State Fair/State Convention (Skills based CDEs) – 10 pts per contest, 2 bonus point for placing in top 10, 20 bonus points for advancing (Big E or National Convention).
6. Meetings – 2 pt per meeting
7. Big E - 6 pts for competing in a regional contest, 2 bonus point for placing in the top 5.
8. COLT – 6 pts
9. National Officer Tour – 4 pts
10. Cobleskill High School Days – 4 pts per contest, 2 bonus point for placing in top 10.
11. Spirit Night / Pep Rally – 1-8 pts\*
12. Environmental Leadership Program @ Camp O – 6 pts
13. National Convention
  - a. 10 pts for attendance
  - b. 10 pts for competing in a national contest
  - c. 1-6 pts per workshop attended beyond required by advisor\*
  - d. 1-6 pts for chapter report (or other similar activity)\*
14. Dance – 1-8 pts\*
15. Citrus Sale – 50 pts per \$100 sold
16. Wreath Making – 1-8 pts per day\*
17. Holiday Open House – 1-8 pts\*
18. Jr. Leadership Night
  - a. 4 pts for attending (Jr. members only)
  - b. 1-4 pts for setting up and cleaning up (Jr. members only)\*
  - c. 1-8 pts for helping, setting up and cleaning up (Sr. members only)\*

19. Leadership Contests
  - a. Preparation – 1-8 pts per contest\*
  - b. Sub-Districts – 4 pts per contest
  - c. Districts – 6 pts per contest, 6 bonus points for moving on
  - d. Sub-States – 6 pts per contest, 10 bonus points for moving on
  - e. State Convention – 6 pts per contest, 20 bonus points for moving on (National Convention or Big E)
20. SAE Development – 1-30 pts \*
21. Award Applications – 10-40 pts\*, 10 bonus points for moving on or getting star ranking
22. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Enrichment – 40 pts (MUST attend all sessions, and help with planning sessions)
23. Ag Literacy Day
  - a. Preparation/planning – 1-10 pts\*
  - b. Presentation Day – 4 pts
24. Committee Member – 1-10 pts (based on length of time committee meets, number of reports and individual work accomplished) – ZERO points if committee task is not completed by deadline
25. Committee Chair – 1-6 pts (based on length of time committee meets, number of reports and individual work accomplished) – ZERO points if committee task is not completed by deadline
26. Hold an Office – 1-70 pts \* (points for offices will be given prior to State Convention the year the office is held)
27. Helping at Jr FFA meetings (Sr members only) - 2 pt per meeting
28. 360 Conference – 6 pts
29. State Convention
  - a. 6 pts per day for attendance
  - b. 1-6 pts per workshop attended beyond required\*
  - c. 1-6 pts for chapter report (or other similar activity)\*
30. Banquet
  - a. 2 pt for attendance
  - b. 1-10 for set up / clean up\*
31. MS Open House 1-6 pts

\* = range in points varies based on length of attendance and amount of work accomplished, points given are up to the discretion of the advisors in charge.

### Member of the Month:

The member who has gained the most points in each month will be the member of the month.

The member will get a small token, and will be profiled in the display case.

Someone cannot be member of the month more than two months in a row.

In the event of a tie, both members will be recognized as member of the month. In the case of a multiple tie, the advisors will decide to recognize all members, or recognize no members.

The FFA Officer team is responsible for maintaining the display case.