



FFA members participate in speaking academy

Three local FFA members participated in the Missouri FFA Public Speaking Academy held June 18, 19 and 20 on the campus of Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg. During the three-day event, FFA members used the Internet and communication technology to develop and refine an effective speech. Each student presented his or her speech at the conclusion of the academy. More than 60 FFA members and advisors from across Missouri attended the academy, which is now in its third year. Pictured are (L-R) Andrea Olendorff, 2001-02 Missouri FFA State Officer; Vienna FFA members Christopher Shanks, Nick Davis and Heather Smith, and Jason Davis, 2001-02 Missouri FFA State Officer.