**News Release**

# North Carolina FFA Association

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Local FFA Member Participates in State Event

**Raleigh, NC** – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ FFA Chapter participated in the Jim Graham FFA Creed Speaking Career Development Event on June 22, 2011, at the 83rd North Carolina FFA State Convention held at the Raleigh Convention Center in Raleigh. His/Her FFA Advisor is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The state winner will compete at the 84th National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana this October. The Creed Speaking event is designed solely for members in the 7th, 8th, or 9th grades. During the event, outstanding young FFA members are recognized for their ability to present the FFA Creed from memory. The participants are judged on their voice, stage presence, power of expression, and accuracy/ general effect.

The North Carolina FFA is a youth organization of over 17,400 student members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture with nearly 250 local chapters across the state. FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for **premier leadership, personal growth and career success** through agricultural education. Visit www.ncffa.org for more information.

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