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NEBRASCOE Newsletter

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Upcoming Events:

**2015 National Convention-
August 11-15, 2015 at
Milwaukee, WI**



NASCOE NATIONAL CONVENTION

The 2015 NASCOE National Convention will be here before we know it. Don't miss your opportunity to relax and learn with FSA employees from across the nation. This year's convention will be held August 11-15 at the brand-new Potawatomi Hotel and casino in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. For more details, visit

<http://www.nascoe.org/Pages/NationalConventions.aspx>. NEBRASCOE is currently holding 6 rooms and will rent a mini-van for carpooling. We make every effort to keep costs down such as sharing fuel expenses. Two board members are sent each year as delegates and their rooms and travel are paid for by the association.

These delegates room with other attendees as much as possible so that they can attend without the room expense. We are currently close to having on van full and we need to know soon if anyone else is interested in attending so that we can secure an additional van.

Please contact Jessi Colgrove in the Gage County office.

MEMBERSHIP PACKETS AND E-MAIL ADDRESSES

NEBRASCOE is requesting employees' home email address to enable board members to distribute important information to our members that cannot be sent through the government email system. A "Membership Application" form was sent out last year with the membership packets and is being used to collect this information. Another membership packet is scheduled to be mailed out this month. If you would like a copy of this form please contact Sherry Stubbendeck, Membership Chairperson, at sherrys@futuretk.com or your District Representative. Supplying your email is voluntary but it can be a vital tool in getting critical information out to our members as quickly as possible.

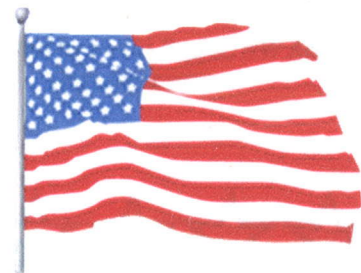


NEBRASCOE Scholarships Awarded

NEBRASCOE an organization representing the Farm Service Agency (FSA)-United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) employees from across the state of Nebraska, is helping to fund the college education of Brittney Ingram a graduating senior from Franklin, Nebraska, by presenting her with a \$500 NEBRASCOE scholarship. Brittney is the daughter of Shad and Windy Ingram. She will study horticulture at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Jenni Lueshen a graduating senior from Wisner, Nebraska was awarded a \$500 NEBRASCOE scholarship, also. She is the daughter of Vaughn and Julie Lueshen. She will study pharmacy at the University of Nebraska-Omaha. NEBRASCOE scholarship recipients are chosen based upon academic excellence, personal achievements and leadership skills.

Congratulations, ladies and best wishes on your future endeavors.



FSA JACKET DRAWING WINNERS ANNOUNCED

A drawing for a new FSA jacket was held for the political action committee (PAC) member and for the NASCOE new member. Amy Vitosh from Gage County is the PAC winner and Margo Larsen from Dawes N. Sioux is the new member winner. Congratulations!