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Indiana FFA names State Star in Agricultural Placement

Brandi Atkins a member of the Rushville FFA Chapter exceeded with her Supervised Agricultural Experience.

WEST LAFAYETTE, Indiana (June 21, 2017) – Indiana FFA State Star in Agricultural Placement is Brandi Atkins from the Rushville FFA Chapter. Adkins has a very strong passion for veterinary medicine and got her foot in the door of the industry very quickly. Beginning in 2013, she job shadowed throughout the summer at a local veterinarian's office. After that experience, Brandi eventually attained part-time employment at the office, filling the role as veterinary assistant. Running blood tests, filling prescriptions and maintaining logs are just a few of the many tasks Brandi takes on in the office.

As State Stars, each of categories will receive a scholarship sponsored by The Jeff Lehman Family. The State Star program is sponsored by Elanco Animal Health and AgriGold Hybrids.

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About National FFA Organization - The National FFA Organization is a national youth organization of 610,240 student members as part of 7,665 local FFA chapters in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. The FFA mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education. The National FFA Organization operates under a federal charter granted by the 81st United States Congress and it is an integral part of public instruction in agriculture. The U.S. Department of Education provides leadership and helps set direction for FFA as a service to state and local agricultural education programs. For more, visit the Indiana FFA Association webpage at inffa.org, or follow the conversation on Twitter, Facebook, or BlogSpot.

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