



NATIONAL OFFICER AUGUST MONTHLY REPORT

Report Month: August, 2008

Name: Brennen Clouse

Office: President

Meetings: (Please list all the meetings you attended for this month to include the following information) Date of meeting attended, meeting attended, numbers reached, type of audience, involvement at meeting, benefit of involvement and follow-up needed.

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9/19/08 – 9/25/08	NEC September Meeting	10	NEC, staff, BOD
8/6/08	KS New Adviser Workshop	100	KS Advisers, SEC
8/24/08 – 8/25/08	Take AIM Conference	180	New members

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The New Adviser Workshop is for Kansas FCCLA Advisers who want to be updated on happenings in FCCLA. I was not able to attend the workshop due to driving distance but created a video introduction explaining my excitement for the year ahead, my experience at NLM, and a little bit about the restructuring of National Programs. This was ultimately to get the advisers excited for the year ahead!

At the Take AIM Conference I was involved as a member participant and brought greetings from the national level of FCCLA. My goal was again to excite the members and show them the benefits of becoming involved in the organization.

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7/25/08	Washington Post	200,000 subscribers	Press release of national office
8/5/08	Kansas E-Newsletter	4,500 members	Being a NOC
8/25/08	Missouri Blog	5,000?	Greetings

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

Membership recruitment efforts include talking to members about strategies to recruit more members. In school, membership recruitment is seen by talking to everyone I see about FCCLA and urging them to join. On the state level membership recruitment is taking place with the membership campaign. Also, thinking of strategies to recruit the over 5 million students enrolled in Family and Consumer Sciences is very important at this time. We must have our programs appeal to a wide variety of student membership. Middle level chapters are important and the chapter officers and myself are starting one in my own school.

National Program Efforts:

With the restructuring of National Programs and separation of Competitive Events, I have been working to inform all members and advisers. This includes talking to my own chapter, district officers, state officers, and

any advisers of FCCLA. I provide materials when I am able to give a better understanding and answering any questions from those members or advisers that I inform. The promotion of getting involved in any and all National Programs is a major concern of mine; therefore I have informed all members that I am in contact with of the benefits of National Programs.

Development Efforts:

FCCLA is in the stage of developing ideas for the Capitol Campaign and the 65 Years Celebration. The National Executive Council is working hard to originate ideas about how members can become involved and have fun while reaching a common goal throughout the organization! This will set FCCLA in motion to reach new goals and take steps we have never taken before. Other than those, the NEC is also developing new ideas about sponsors to help with expenses at all events and especially in STAR Events.

Accomplishments:

I am excited to be preparing for my very first keynote presentation! I will be traveling to Phillipsburg, Kansas on September 3rd for the District B Summer Leadership Camp to address 80 chapter officers about embracing the real YOU!

Actions for next month:

In the coming month I will be traveling to District B of Kansas FCCLA to give a keynote presentation to chapter officers about being yourself and accepting others for who they are. I will also be in Washington, D.C. September 19 – 28 for the September Meeting of the National Executive Council and Phase II of USA.

Lessons Learned:

This month I have come to realize that the spirit of FCCLA is very important. If we, the members, don't uphold the spirit of the organization that we love then there will be no organization. Whether we are recruiting new members, inspiring older members, or just taking the lead, we *must* keep the spirit alive!

Quote of the month:

“Life is the art of drawing without an eraser.”
-John. W. Gardner



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Name: Andrew Schantz

Office: First Vice President

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Numbers Reached</u>	<u>Audience</u>
8/25-8/26	Michigan FCCLA State Officer Meeting	14	Michigan State Officers, and State Board of Directors
8/6/08	Saline FCCLA Chapter Officers Meeting	6	Saline FCCLA Chapter Officers and advisers

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At the Michigan FCCLA State Officer meeting, there was a great deal of planning and goal-setting that went on for the Michigan FCCLA Fall Leadership Conferences in October and November, and initial plans have been started for our State Leadership Conference in April. The officers and I worked on further developing our state community service project, “Save the Day with Michigan FCCLA” – a “go-green” initiative for chapters to complete throughout the year. We made a video to promote the project for YouTube and it turned out great!

At the Saline FCCLA Chapter Officer meeting, plans were set for various activities and events this year, and all of our officers got to become acquainted with our new advisers who are really nice, and really excited about this year!

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8/27/08	Michigan FCCLA Facebook Group	75 members	To inform members about the State Officers work at our meeting in August
8/1/08	Saline Reporter	5,000 subscribers	Inform my community about becoming a National Officer and about FCCLA in general

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

The Michigan state officers and I came up with a lot of great ways to recruit new members in our own schools, as well as affiliate more chapters this year. We’re going to be sending letters to chapter officers every month with membership recruitment ideas and encouragement to continue to be the best leaders they can be. We felt that by starting with the chapter officers, they will be able to see that they have a huge role in helping increase our membership numbers. The state officers set a membership goal of 900 members this year, and we’re really hoping to reach that goal. At my school, our chapter will be giving presentations during all lunch hours with information regarding what kind of activities our chapter will be doing this year, as well as setting up a table with information for prospective members to check out. On a national level, it will be up to states to

implement plans with the help of national officers to cater to each state association's needs. I've been trying to network with as many state officers as I can in order to do this effectively.

National Program Efforts:

Through my membership recruitment efforts, I've been trying to incorporate information about National Programs as much as I can, because they're such a huge part of FCCLA. In the letters that the Michigan State Officers send out to chapter officers, we'll be including information and ideas for completing National Programs.

Development Efforts:

Michigan FCCLA's state community service project is all about greening-up homes, schools, and communities around the state this year, so we're looking to partner with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and the Michigan Department of Energy for possible funding opportunities. The National Executive Council is also looking for corporate partners to help with our 65 Years Campaign and our National Program efforts.

Accomplishments:

I've made a lot of valuable connections through the summer with other officers around the country as well as worked well with the Michigan state officer team, so I'm really pumped for this year and I can't wait to use the connections I've made and the work that I've accomplished on a state level to better the national organization as a whole.

Actions for next month:

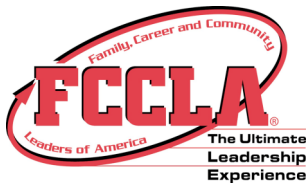
This next month, I will also be traveling to Washington, D.C. from September 19 – 28 for the September Meeting of the National Executive Council and Phase II of the Ultimate State Officer Academy.

Lessons Learned:

This month I learned that there's a definite time to have fun and relax, and there's a time to buckle down and get work done- even in the summertime.

Quote of the month:

"A wise man makes more opportunities than he finds." - Francis Bacon



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Name: Sami Jenkins

Office: VP of Finance

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August 8 2008	Chapter Officer Training	8	Chapter officers
August 27 2008	Conference Call with a few state advisers on Life Smart	6	State advisers and National Staff
	Conference call about CTE Goes Geen	4	2 NEC members and National Staff

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7/30/08	Daily News Record	80,000 subscribers	Press release of national office

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

We had a booth set up at our back to school night with all of the information of the upcoming year. We had candy with fun sayings and a discount on dues. The first week of school also had the discount on dues.

National Program Efforts:

At school we (the chapter officers) have our projects for the year in brainstorm mode and are getting them approved by the administration.

Development Efforts:

I have passed along words to Lindsey about Alcoa Inc. They are a company that is very interested with its employees doing community service. They have grants and other programs that are designed for projects. They would be a very beneficial business to partner with.

Accomplishments:

I feel very satisfied where I ended the month of August. I'm still learning the ins and outs but I feel like I have a greater understanding of the expectations and the communication needed to keep the organization running.

Actions for next month:

This month I will be traveling with Heather, Bana, and Kristin to the CTE Goes Green event. While there we will show how FCCLA is becoming more environmentally conscience. Later in the month the NEC will meet for the September meeting followed by USA Phase II. The local college has also requested that I give a presentation along with Heather to let the college students know about FCCLA since some of them may not know it exists.

Lessons Learned:

Things move very quickly. I have to be on my toes and be ready when a fastball comes my way.

Quote of the month:

“Only those who risk going too far can find out how far they go.”
~Unknown



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Name: Brian Vance

Office: VP of Community Service

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7/21/08	Cause Creative Community Service Possibility	4	Kathi Hendrix, Michelle McCartney, Corey Gibson, Frank Hendrix

Met to discuss a possible partnership with Cause Creative for this year's national community service project.

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Membership Recruitment Efforts:

I have been working to create possibilities for gaining membership from students who are part of other ctso's but not already members of our organization. These opportunities include possible cooperation in community service projects and even joint participation in national conventions.

National Program Efforts:

This last month I have been working with a local chapter member in promoting career connection on a broad state and local level in an attempt to further student understanding of both careers and how our organization affects possible career choices and skills.

Development Efforts:

Possible connections to media outlets such as current tv and channel one as well as large companies like the opera channel and nickelodeon, have been the most promising of my developmental efforts.

Accomplishments:

I have been successful in creating several videos and skits for our orientation and homecoming week. I was also lucky enough to have an opportunity to be part of the all northwest choir. I look forward to the rest of my first week back and of course an amazing homecoming week.

Actions for next month:

I am preparing for the upcoming NEC meeting and Phase Two: capitol Leadership, held in Washington DC. I am also working on my leadership inventory to help myself become a better leader. I also hope to further my efforts with the cause creative team.

Lessons Learned:

I have learned in the last month that time is precious. It is one of the only things in this world that cannot be bought, and sometimes you have to decide what is important.

Quote of the month:

"You are my sunshine, my only sunshine. You make me happy when skies are grey. You'll never know dear, how much I love you. Please don't take my sunshine away"



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Name: Lindsey Platfoot

Office: Vice President of Development

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9/19/08 – 9/25/08	NEC September Meeting	10	NEC, staff, BOD
8/4/08- 8/6/08	Ohio FACS Conference	500	FCS Teachers & Ohio Department of Education
8/7/08	Ohio ACTE Luncheon	700	All CTSO teacher/advisors, Ohio Department of Education employees and special guests
8/11/08	Wiley planning meeting	6	Wiley Publishing employees

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At the OFACS conference gave inspiration during one of the luncheons and throughout the week I presented about FCCLA and up coming events for the year for both national and state levels. At the Ohio ACTE Luncheon I spoke about the benefits of FCCLA and FCS classes and also presented ACTE awards. During the Wiley Publishing planning meeting Jason and I introduced FCCLA to a few staff members and help brainstorm ideas for the coming year. We mainly focused on the possibility of e-books that would have a more focused topic that would be available on-line for FCS teachers and FCCLA advisors.

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Membership Recruitment Efforts:

On August 18th I helped with the Anna High School Open House Kick-Off which introduced FCCLA to

incoming 7th and 8th graders. We handed out informational packets and accepted dues for the coming year. The Anna FCCLA Chapter used the State theme to set the mood for a fun and exciting year.

National Program Efforts:

Throughout the first week of school I have planned small activities that introduce all of the National Programs and how each member can become involved in what they are most interested in.

Development Efforts:

During the month of August I have brainstormed a list of possible sponsors for USA training in Washington D.C. so that we would be able to have the necessities for quality training.

Accomplishments:

I am now the Vice President of Muse Machine an organization where students go and watch plays and musicals! I'm excited because last year I had so much fun as the V.P. and the best part is that its not time consuming☺

Actions for next month:

For September I plan to help my chapter with the our membership kick-off party on the 11th and get ready for the NEC September meeting and USA Phase 2

Lessons Learned:

This month I learned to look a problem from all angles not just from one side.

Quote of the month:

People don't care how much you know, until they know how much you care.

-Anonymous



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Name: Maureen Gburek

Office: National Vice President of Membership

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7/28/08-7/31/08	New York State Summer Leadership Camp	60	State Officers, Advisors, District Reps, Junior Leaders
7/29/08	NYS Board of Trustees Meeting	18	Board Members and Management Team
7/30/08	Met with FACS Teachers	2	FACS Teachers

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At the Summer Leadership Camp in Oneonta, NY, I was the leader of the District Representatives. I taught them different facts about FCCLA, had them do Step One, discussed STAR Events and National Programs. We went to different workshops held by the State Officers and Advisors. I also joined in on a few of the State officer meetings to hear about their plans for State Meeting in the spring.

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7/30/08	Oneonta Star Newspaper		Press release of Summer Leadership Camp

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

Spoke with FACS teachers at Summer Leadership Camp. I worked with the NYS Membership Officer on State Recruitment plan.

National Program Efforts:

Step One with District Officers at Summer Leadership Camp.

Development Efforts:

Accomplishments:

Chapter FCCLA Booth at Wyoming County Fair winning a First Place Ribbon.

Actions for next month:

Hold chapter meetings after the start of school. Work on recruitment plans with other chapter members and officers. Go to September meeting with ideas for Cluster and Nationals. Participate in phase II among the state officers. Speak with representatives from Congress and make them aware of FCCLA.

Lessons Learned:

Teaching is harder than it looks!

Quote of the month:

“Shoot for the moon, if you miss you will land among stars.” –Anonymous



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Name: Casey Felz

Office: National Vice President of Parliamentary Law

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08/12-08/13-2008	State Executive Council August Meeting	20	Advisory Board, State Exec. Council, Advisors, State Advisors.
08/27-2008	Beginning of Year FCCLA	8	New Students, old members

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As a National Officer, I was providing more detail to the SEC about the new STAR Events and what they entailed. Montana only had Fashion Design and Financial Literacy out of the possible four STAR events that were added this last year. As a Council they voted and Montana has accepted Interior Design and Recycle and Redesign as part of Montana's regular STAR Events offered at State Conference.

As the School year begins, High Schools are gaining new potential members. We had an Ice Cream social for students who may be slightly interested in FCCLA in the upcoming year.

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7/28-2008	Three Forks Herald	2500	Explanation of National Leadership meeting, member achievements.
8/04-2008	Three Forks Herald	2500	Information about chapter activities

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

In my school, Junior High Students are offered FCCLA as an in school class. Through this experience Junior High Students are becoming excited about participating in FCCLA as high school students in a couple of years. I have had the opportunity to talk to them and explain what FCCLA can offer them as students, and what they can experience as a leader.

National Program Efforts:

As some may know, my chapter was the recipient of one of the NOYS () grants in the amount of \$500. Our chapter also received a grant from State Farm and the National Youth Leadership Council with the money from these grants we will be doing a project called FOCUS—Its Not all about you to warn the community

about the hazards of driving safely on rural roads. WE are using the FACTS program as the basis for our projects. The National Organization for Youth Safety along with the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration sponsors the rural youth driving campaign projects. NOYS also sponsors National Safe Driving Month in April

Development Efforts:

After National Leadership Meeting, people have begun to question FCCLA and what it is. Living in a small town everyone knows everyone so it isn't unusual for people to ask questions about some of the schools extra-curricular activities to any student. I have explained what FCCLA is and hopefully may have encouraged them to spread the word, and hopefully be able to have everyone understand just what FCCLA is, and we can do!

Accomplishments:

Cross-country, Volleyball, and Football have started and are looking forward to their games throughout the year. With the year just beginning major accomplishments are probably being able to get out of bed in the morning and to school before being tardy!

Actions for next month:

September meeting is just around the corner as we discuss the final preparations for the cluster meetings!! The National officers are very excited to show the members just what they can expect through the year.

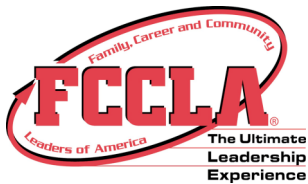
Lessons Learned:

Deadlines sneak up faster than you think, and it's annoying to get them done at the last possible minute.

Quote of the month:

Whether you think you can or whether you think you can't, you're right.

~Henry Ford



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Name: Amanda Miller

Office: VP of Public Relations

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9/19/08 – 9/25/08	NEC September Meeting	10	NEC, staff, BOD
8/18/08	District Planning Meeting	15	District Officers and their advisors.
8/28/08	Chapter Meeting	35	Chapter Officers and Members
8/29/08	School Administrators Meeting	5	School Staff and Administrators
8/15/08	Governors Youth Advisory Council Meeting	1,000+	Anyone who watches the 6 O'clock news

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7/25/08	Washington Post	200,000 subscribers	Press release of national office
8/1/08	Callaway Courier	500	Interview on my achievements with FCCLA
8/6/08	Custer County Chief	1,500	Interview on my achievements with FCCLA
8/6/08	Nebraska City News press	1,500	Press release of national office

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

In my Chapter I helped put up the FCCLA section of our school hallway, this informed potential members on when and where the meeting would be held.

National Program Efforts:

I strongly encourage everyone in FCCLA that I know to do a STAR project. I was invited to a District meeting and plan am putting together a session on Dynamic Leadership for it. At my own district I will speak about how students can enhance their leadership skills through proper dress and grooming, I will also stress the importance of attitude when running for office.

Development Efforts:

I have spent many hours brainstorming about how we can get the name of FCCLA out there. I mention in whenever I am talking to people in the media whether or not if that's what they are interviewing me about. I also strongly opposed the start of an FBLA chapter in my school. I realize that FBLA offers many leadership opportunities too, but I am not willing to potentially lose members of FCCLA to it. I have reserved my school camera for the September meeting so that I can video-tape some of the fun times we have then publish it on YouTube. I am in the preliminary planning stages for a short documentary on the day of a national officer where I would have each national officer video tape part of their day and then publish it on YouTube.

Accomplishments:

I was accepted at Doane College.

Actions for next month:

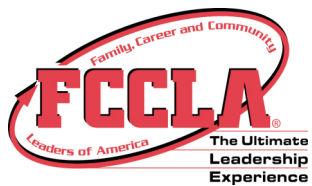
Attend September meeting, (missing homecoming!), celebrate my 18th birthday, and attend as well as present sessions at my state-wide Fall Leadership Workshop.

Lessons Learned:

Not everybody is impressed that I won a national title; more people are still impressed with athletics over valuable leadership experiences. I thought I was going to be so good at all this that I was going to be able to make a big difference and for once adults would treat me like I was one of them. I now see that this is going to be harder than that and that I will have to continue to make my voice heard even if I have to shout.

Quote of the month:

"Whether you think you can or you think you can't your right."
- Henry Ford



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Name: Heather E. Conley

Office: Vice President of Programs

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8/25/08	PCHS Teacher Orientation	25	PCHS Staff
8/26/08	Chapter Meeting	20	PCHS Members
8/27/08	Conference Call for CTE Goes Green Conference	4	National Staff

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I am off to a really good start! I had a couple conferences fall through but other than that, this month has been great.

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8/29/08	Page News and Courier	7,000	Press release of national office
8/30/08	Daily News Record	80,000	Press release of national office

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

I successfully organized a membership recruitment week for my school where I set up displays. Two schools also contacted be about presenting keynotes.

National Program Efforts:

I brainstormed, along with chapter officers on potential projects to complete this year, as well as a “going green” community service project.

Development Efforts:

Partnered Virginia FCCLA with the Shenandoah County Fair Association

Accomplishments:

Although it started out sort of slow, I am satisfied with my accomplishments this month but I am looking forward to accomplishing more next month.

Actions for next month:

This next month, I will be attending the NEC meeting as well as USA Phase II training in Washington, DC.

Lessons Learned:

If you're not 15 minutes early, you're 15 minutes late.

Quote of the month:

"You can rationalize and rethink everything in you're mind... but you can't control what goes on in your heart" –
Rebecca Conley (my mom)



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Name: Cali Crissup

Office: Vice-President of STAR Events

Meetings:

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8-4-2008—8-6-2008	Summer Conference	480 Teachers	FACS Teachers in Oklahoma.

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State Officers gave updates on projects and programs. They also gave STAR Event Demos that the teachers have been asking for for years. It was a great opportunity for us to showcase all of the leadership skills we have gained over the summer.

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8-21-2008	Cherokee Messenger & Republican	2,250 subscribers	Press release of national office
8-17-2008	Enid News & Eagle	50,000 Subscribers	Press release of national office
7-23-2008	Alva News gram	11,300 subscribers	Press release Feed the Children

Membership Recruitment Efforts:

Our Chapter is scheduling a scavenger hunt for all members. It is coming up soon, so we are really excited!

National Program Efforts:

Our Chapter is coming up with ways to promote the National Program. Also, at our Summer Conference with all the FACS Teachers, we explained to them that to reach our goal, each member only had to bring \$2.05. It is a very easy goal and something we hope to accomplish. It will allow our state to provide 4 trucks for Feed the Children.

Development Efforts:

As a Chapter and State, we are continually trying to find ways to better our program and make it well known. We are working with other organizations as well.

Accomplishments:

I was elected to be our school's Student Council President and Class Vice-President. I am also a Timberlake Football Manager and Athletic Trainer.

Actions for next month:

This next month we will work on membership and community service projects. We have our District Meeting and Local Officer Training on September 10th. This will be a great opportunity for all members to get involved and see what this organization has to offer in the coming years. I will be going to September Meeting and also we have 9 State Officers and myself attending Phase II in Washington, D.C.

Lessons Learned:

It is best to keep things organized to make sure you can get all work accomplished in a timely manner. Be sure and check your email EVERYDAY or you might miss something very important.

Quote of the month:

“In twenty years from now, it won’t matter what you did, but what you didn’t do.”

—Unknown