

Vishakha Negi Wins Bronze at National FFA Competition

Nine Trumbull Agriscience students, teacher Ms. Nicole Decker, and chaperone Mrs. Pantazis attended the 83rd National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana October 19-23. The students attending were Vishakha Negi, Elizabeth Tomasco, Teige Maher-Christiano, Alyssa Marini, Michelle Mitchell, Edward Donini, Jenifer Pantazis, Maggie Quinn, and Kristie Shomsky.

Sophomore Vishakha Negi was one of 47 students participating in the National FFA Creed Speaking Career Development Event (CDE), competing against Agriscience students from throughout the country, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands, earning a bronze medal for her efforts.

The Creed Speaking CDE is designed to recognize outstanding FFA members for their ability to present the FFA Creed and respond to a series of questions related to the Creed. The CDE is just one way FFA members can develop their ability to communicate in an organized and professional manner.

The National FFA Creed Speaking CDE is sponsored by CHS and National FFA Foundation. It is one of 24 different national events that use the fun of competition to connect classroom learning and careers.

The Trumbull students attended and participated in many activities including the College and Career Fair, the National Agriscience Exhibitions, Leadership Workshops hosted by various past National and State FFA Officers, and convention sessions with motivational speakers. Students returned inspired and invigorated, culminating with a presentation to over 100 FFA members at the Trumbull FFA Chapter meeting on October 27, 2010.

See photos below:



The Trumbull FFA National Convention contingent pictured with retiring National FFA Advisor Dr. Larry Case.



Pictured, left to right, Trumbull FFA Advisor Nicole Decker and Sophomore Vishakha Negi.