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## Welcome from OVSGA PRESIDENT BARRY DEAN

The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association is proud to host Eastern Ontario's longest running agricultural trade show. On behalf of all our volunteers, exhibitors and partners, I welcome you to the 2024 Ottawa Valley Farm Show.

The 2024 show theme is "Driving Progress in AG". OVFS features exhibitors presenting the latest in agricultural technology, equipment and information, and hosts farm community visitors looking to enhance their agricultural businesses.

Be sure to visit the Court Honour to view the showcase of winning entries of the Ottawa Valley Championship Seed, Feed and Forage Show. The seed show, since 1927, is the root of our organization.

The Tuesday grand opening will provide an opportunity to thank some key partners who have supported our Farm Show over the years. At Wednesday's Seed Show Award Event in Hall B, winning Seed show exhibitors will be awarded, along with presentation of the annual OVSGA Award of Excellence to the 2024 recipient. Join us on Thursday for the 32nd annual Prestigious Pedigreed Seed Auction, where auction proceeds go to the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario.

Look for our regular features including the daily meals in the diner, antiques, quilts and hall of fame in Hall C-D, the Wednesday evening Toy Auction, and a variety of speaking events in Hall B.

Thank you to our dedicated board of directors, committee members, volunteers and staff who work so hard to bring this farm show to our ag community each year. We all look forward to greeting and meeting you at the show!



*OVSGA Past President Jeff Waldroff and President Barry Dean.*



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Keith operates the Carleton Place dealership together with the General Manager, his daughter April. Farming in the Pakenham with his daughter Sara, her horses and his polled Hereford herd, Keith is a dedicated father, grandfather, and community cheerleader. His dealership supports annually the lottery for the Almonte and Carleton Place Hospitals - watch for WIN2024.ca to come again this year. Proud of his agricultural roots, Keith was one of

the founders of the Business – Agriculture diploma program at Algonquin College, Perth Campus, and the current chair of the Program Advisory Committee.

Join us Tuesday morning at 11am when Keith joins with OVSGA members and President, Barry Dean to officially open the 2024 Ottawa Valley Farm Show.



*OVSGA/Bean Trucks throughout the ag community.*



*Keith Bean is proud of his agricultural roots.*



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## Daily Events

# TUESDAY, MARCH 12TH

Show hours 9 am to 5pm

11:00 AM

### OFFICIAL OVFS24 GRAND OPENING

**Location:** Main Lobby next to Ontario Mutuals Dining Hall A

President Barry Dean invites you to our Official Grand Opening. Join with our special guests as we celebrate the opening of Ottawa Valley Farm Show 2024, Eastern Ontario's Agricultural Showcase.

11:00 AM

### 2024 COMMODITY MARKET OUTLOOK

**New Lower U.S. \$ Index Inflationary Led Commodity Super Cycle with Moe Agostino**

**Location:** Event Hall B



As the U.S. Fed starts to lower interest rates and print money, it will drive the U.S. \$ Index lower and create demand driving commodity prices higher. Add a Red Sea war and COVID like global supplies chain issues that also add to inflation, and you will solicit more fund money back into commodities to cover their near record short position in grains and oilseeds. The highs in prices are never hit in January or February but rather in June or July!

2:00 PM

### DON'T HAVE FARM EMPLOYEES?

**Think Again With Ryan Dick of WSPS**



**Location:** Event Hall B



Dive into the essential insights on employer responsibilities and understand who falls under the employee umbrella in agriculture. Increase your awareness of employer requirements and fortify your due diligence in the farm realm by ensuring every worker is safe every day.

A passionate Health and Safety Consultant at WSPS with a unique journey from a cattle farmer's son to a dedicated advocate for improving health and safety in agriculture. Ryan's diverse experience spans field inspections and expertise in pesticides. He possesses an Agricultural Exterminator License with extensive knowledge of pesticides, herbicides, fungicides, safe operating procedures and application methods and as a Certified Legal Assistant, he navigates regulations with ease. Co-owned an Agri-retail company & worked extensively throughout eastern Ontario. An active member of agricultural associations like OFA & Renfrew County Soil & Crop, Ryan's daily mission is to enrich lives by sharing knowledge and promoting safety in farming.

5:00 PM

### EXHIBITOR RECEPTION

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Show hours 9 am to 7pm

9:00 AM

### KEMPTVILLE COLLEGE ALUMNI REUNION

Location: Ontario Mutuels Dining Hall A



11:00 AM

### AWARDS CEREMONY - SEED SHOW & AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Location: Event Hall B

Join the ceremony as Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association members present the trophies and awards and recognize winning exhibitors of the 2024 Ottawa Valley Championship Seed, Feed and Forage Show.

Also featured will be the 2024 OVSGA Award of Excellence presentation. This 2nd annual award recognizes an individual nominated by their peers for outstanding achievement in agriculture.



2:00 PM

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Location: Event Hall B

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7:00 PM

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11:00 AM

### "WHAT KEEPS YOU UP AT NIGHT?"

**Solutions for managing your greatest asset: your people**

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CAHRC will be hosting a roundtable event to discuss solutions to recruitment and retention, what our recent labor market information is predicting and how we are working to address the chronic labor shortage we are facing through the National Workforce Strategic Plan for agriculture and food and beverage manufacturing.

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**Location: Court of Honour in booths #2529 and #2629**

*Presented by the Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association*



1:00 PM

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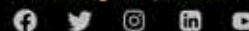


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## — Stan Vander Bosch — 2023 OVSGA AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

The OVSGA Award of Excellence recognizes outstanding achievement in agriculture. First presented in 2023, this new annual award celebrates those who have gone above and beyond for agriculture and their community as nominated by the local Soil and Crop Improvement Association.

The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association is thrilled to recognize the late Stan Vanden Bosch as the 2023 recipient. Stan and family moved to the Chesterville area in 1965. Shortly after, the dairy herd was sold, and the focus shifted to crops. Over the last 50+ years both the land base and an elevator business have expanded and flourished. The family business continues today with Betty active in the office and community, son Brent and grandson Sawyer managing over 1,800 acres, and son Greg managing the elevator, supporting hundreds of growers with marketing, drying and storage of corn, soybeans, wheat and barley.

The Vanden Bosch farm is well known and respected for innovation. Early in his farming career, Stan purchased a tile drainage machine and began tile draining installation. He was a firm believer that "tile drainage doesn't cost, it pays" and drained several hundreds of acres, eventually selling the successful tile drainage business.

Windbreaks border some fields and soil conservation through no-till seeding of wheat and soybeans is practiced. Computer technology has been introduced and expanded on the farm. The Vanden Bosch family has always been a strong supporter of on-farm research trials with the local Soil and Crop Improvement Association and variety trials with seed companies.

Together with his wife Betty, Stan was an active longtime volunteer member of the Chesterville Rotary Club, working on projects for a variety of local causes. Stan served terms as President and Treasurer, and twice received the Paul Harris Award, the highest award presented to Rotarians.

Stan served on the Winchester District Memorial Hospital board of directors for many years, supporting and campaigning for "Renewing the Vision" in 2002, and helping exceed the fundraising goal through 2009.

Stan, with the help and support of Betty and the family, has been recognized for contributions for decades including:

- 1977 Angus Smith Memorial Award recognizing



*Stan Vanden Bosch family receives the 2023 OVSGA Award of Excellence.*

outstanding work for the Chesterville Fair

- 1978 Eric Casselmen Award for the Dundas County Farmer of the Year
- 1985 Award of Merit, Eastern Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association
- 1987 Outstanding Grassland Farmer Award from the American Forage and Grassland Council
- 1988 Centennial Award for outstanding service to the agriculture and food industry
- 2003 Farmer of the Year Award from Dundas County Federation of Agriculture
- 2012 Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Medals
- 2014 North Dundas Community Builder Award for contribution to greatly improving the quality of life in the municipality
- 2019 Innovative Farmer Award from the Dundas Soil and Crop Improvement Association

"Dundas County is better today because of the positivity, the leadership and the determination of Stan Vanden Bosch" say Eric Duncan, Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry MP. "Stan was a good man with an even better heart. He has left a tremendous legacy of success and kindness in our community".

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## Ottawa Valley Farm Show PHOTO CONTEST 2023

Photos are abundant in this business of agriculture, and they provide us an opportunity to display the Beauty of Ag in our farm community. The record number of photos received as entries in the 2023 Photo Contest certainly were beauties. Congratu-

lations to all those who submitted entries in the 4th Annual Ottawa Valley Farm Show Photo Contest 2023 and special congratulations to the winning exhibitors.



### "Look at Luna"

*Livestock Love | Brittany Dew, Ingleside, Stormont County*

*Also chosen as the People's Choice Grand Champion Photo by a record number of people who voted on Facebook.*





### **"Ellie Enjoying the Last Summer Sunset"**

*Wonderful Weather | Veronique Lalonde, St-Andre-Avelin, QC*



### **"Fields of Gold"**

*Fields of Dreams | Megan Grotenhuis, Inkerman,  
Dundas County*



### **"Just Like Grandpa"**

*Farm Families | Sue Boyd, Cobden, Renfrew County*

## Memory Lane - Hall C-D

# QUILTS, ANTIQUES & THE AG HALL OF FAME

### QUILTS

Hall C will be home to Quilts of the Community, featuring beautiful handiwork. There are so many quilts with a purpose including those for Victoria's Quilts, and Quilts for survivors, donation quilts, baby quilts, touch quilts and more. See the displays and visit with many of the talented individuals who put their skills, creativity, and passion into this craft. Also featured will be local lacemakers and the Eastern Ontario Quilt Documentation project.

### ANTIQUES

Take a journey down memory lane when you explore Hall D and the amazing array of antiques and collectibles displayed by the enthusiastic members of Vintage Iron and Traditions of Eastern Ontario.



VITEO's mission is to enhance and enable the work of protecting, conserving, restoring and promoting the preservation of the artifacts and history related to early rural life in Eastern Ontario. See the real life version of this year's collectible tractor, the Ford 8N, on display along with historical gate signs, antique tools, milking equipment and a host of other items we remember from our earlier days.

Join us Wednesday evening at 7pm for our annual Toy Auction. Members have entered their favorite antique and collectible toys for auction to raise funds for VITEO's charitable initiatives.



*One of the beautiful handcrafted quilts on display in Memory Lane.*

### HALL OF FAME

Returning to Hall C is the Ontario Agricultural Hall of Fame (OAHF) display. Permanently displayed in Guelph, this Eastern Ontario version features inductees from our local agricultural community. Explore and learn more about some of the people who have significantly impacted the agriculture industry with their expertise, dedication and involvement.



*Explore the Eastern Ontario Agricultural Hall of Fame Display in Hall C.*



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2024 marks the 32nd year of the Prestigious Pedigreed Seed Auction hosted by the Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association. First held in 1992, the annual auction has now raised more than \$245,000 for CHEO, the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario.

Mike Doelman, OVSGA Director coordinating this year's auction, extends a sincere thank you to all the local ag businesses and organizations who have stepped forward to donate items for the auction. Watch for a beautiful barn quilt from Anna McIntyre of Renfrew, a painting from Lucy Stoop of Westmeath, "The Big Dig" Sandbox Digger from the Canadian Cooperative Wool Growers, a solid wood live edge coffee table from Renfrew County's Dick family, an array of hand-made products and gift baskets from local Soil and Crop Improvement Associations.

VITEO is an annual auction supporter. The collectible #1 of this year's display tractor, the Ford

8N, will be up for bid as will a cast iron seat.

The auction would not be complete without its namesake pedigreed seed lots donated by local growers together with seed companies. Look for 8 to 10 different barley, wheat, and soybean lots, complete with germination numbers to help guide your bid.

A new feature item this year will be attractive to farmers in the crowd - a soybean lot ready to plant your next 30 acres. Thanks to Bayer Crop Science for the donation.

Thank you again to the many individuals, businesses and organizations who continue to support the auction each year. We truly are a community supporting the children of CHEO.

We look forward to seeing everyone Thursday March 14 when the gavel drops at 1pm in the Seed Show Court of Honour at the 2024 Ottawa Valley Farm Show!



*Up for bid is this beautiful landscape painted by Lucy Stoop and donated by farm show exhibitor Steqcan Inc. of Westmeath.*



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Elaine Froese is a go-to expert for farm families who want better communication and conflict resolution to secure a successful farm transition. And she is coming to Eastern Ontario in April 2024 to share simple, practical, and actionable tools with farm families so they can talk about tough issues and get traction in their farm transition. Her topics are a catalyst to courageous conversations and conflict resolution.

While every farm family is different, if we strip away the various farm production methods or practices, we're all farm families, just working to make a living and a life. Add succession planning or farm transition to the mix, and anxiety, personalities and misunderstandings may result in less than harmonious family relationships. As one generation wants to move toward retirement or to become more engaged in the farm business, decisions need to be made.

How can Mom and Dad (or indeed Grandpa and Grandma!?) move toward their retirement? Does everyone have a say in the transition? How can the thirty somethings buy in to the farm with crazy high land prices? Who cares about Mom's wish to move to town, so the grain dryer won't be running outside her bedroom window for the rest of her life? So many considerations!

Elaine's one-day workshop will help us to understand that there can be **Fairness in Family Farm Transition** and that Fair is not equal. She asserts that being fair helps everyone involved be succes-

ful by asking what fairness means to each person. Understanding everyone's perspective and exploring new ways to transfer ownership are part of the conversation.

Brought to you by the Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association, this one-day workshop will be held in two locations - Thursday April 4 in North Gower and Friday April 5 in Maxville.

### What do you want your legacy to be?

The 9-3 pm event will focus on **FAIR** - which stands for **Financial Transparency, Attitude, Intent, and Roles**. In each one-day workshop, Elaine will work through considerations around these four pillars to come up with workable solutions while managing expectations, with the ultimate goal of being in rich relationships.

Elaine's work in building farm family harmony is well known, credible and her workshop is one you don't want to miss. Invest in your family's future by inviting all of the farm family members, and even those not currently engaged in on-farm work, to be part of the day. It's time to take action to Find Fairness in Farm Transition.

Elaine is on a mission to guide farm families, across North America, to get unstuck, communicate better, find harmony through understanding, and secure a profitable farm legacy. As a farmer and mother to the successor of their farm, she understands the culture of agriculture intimately.

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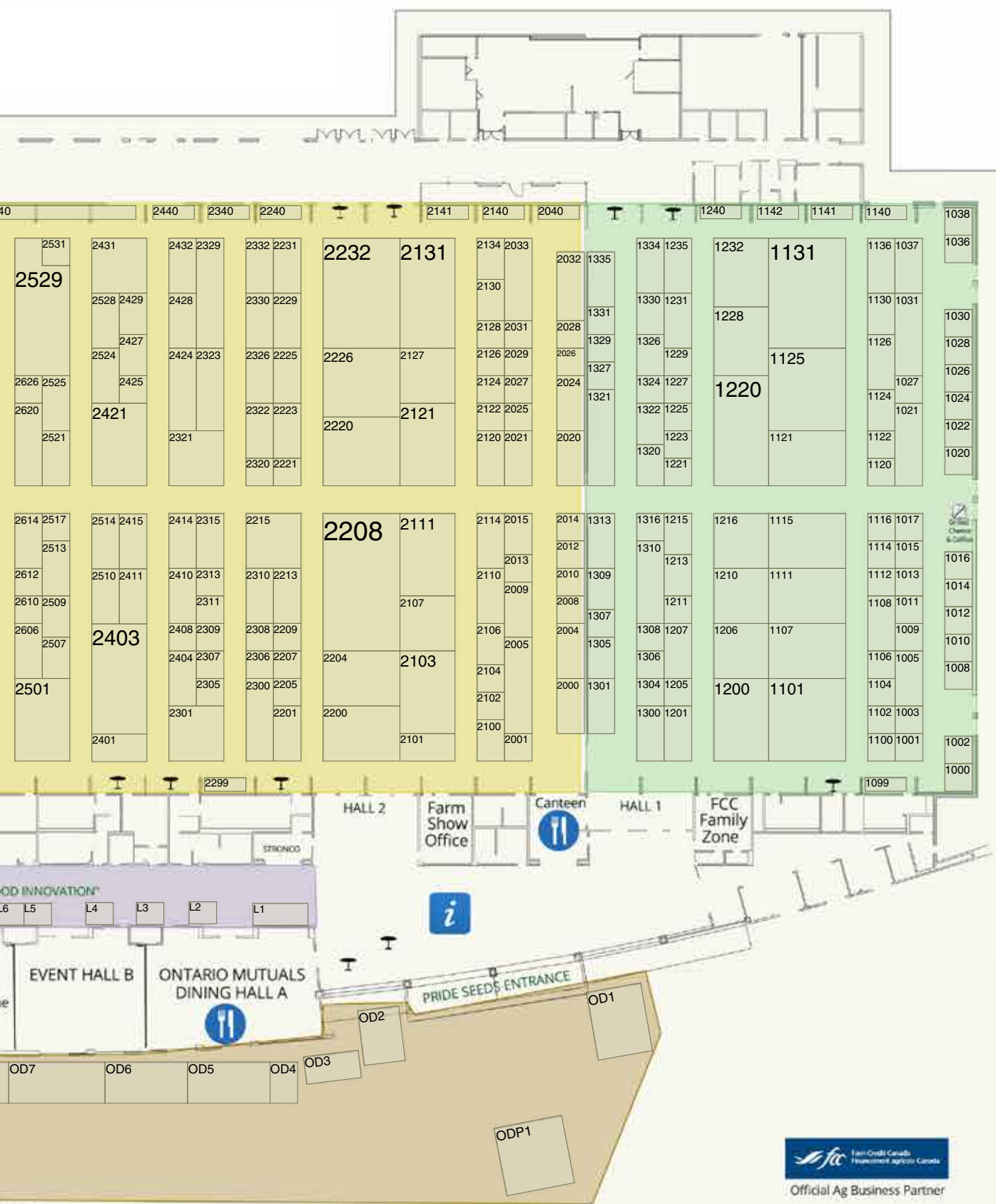
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SUBJECT	MARK
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Top 3 hybrids across all tested locations.	A+
Outperformed ALL competition at Ilberton, Alton and Brunner.	A+
Excellent agronomics.	A+
Excellent performance in OCC & RSCQ provincial trials!	A+

**COMMENTS**  
DL 3905 proved itself this year plot after plot. High yielding new genetics with solid agronomics.

**NEXT STEPS**  
You should try DL 3905 in 2024!

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Hybrid: DL 3007 - 2700 CHU, 90 RM

SUBJECT	GRADE
Topping Plot at Brunner, Elmira and Conn.	A+
In the top 4 De Dell hybrids across all tested locations.	A+
Outperformed ALL competition at Alton and Brunner.	A+

**COMMENTS**  
DL 3007 is a high yielding new hybrid exhibiting strong late-season health and induracess.

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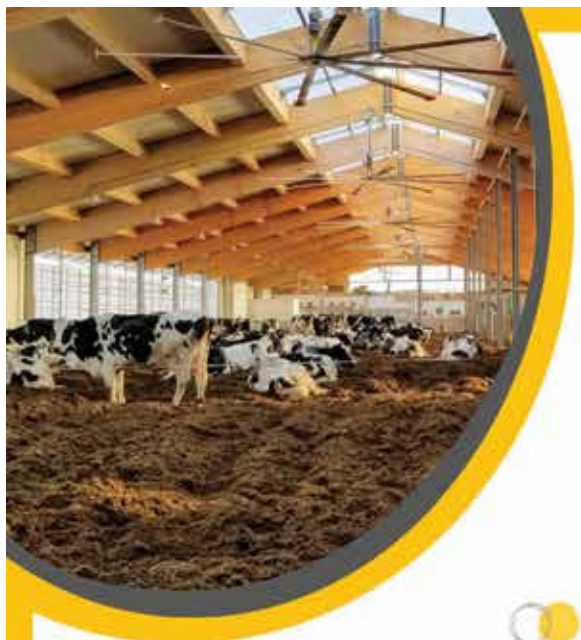
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## — OVSGA SCHOLARSHIPS — SUPPORTING YOUTH IN AGRICULTURE

The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association presented scholarships to four exceptional youth of Eastern Ontario in 2023. Each of the recipients is entering at least their second year of post-secondary studies and is planning to pursue a career in agriculture.

The \$2,500 scholarships recognize interest, knowledge and achievement in the agricultural community. The seed growers have proudly awarded almost \$60,000 in scholarships since the inaugural 2017 presentation.



**Patrick Daoust** of Finch is entering his second year of Precision Agriculture Technology Studies at Olds College. He looks forward to a career of helping farmers optimize their use of precision equipment as well as repairing and retrofitting equipment.

Patrick is an active Stormont County 4-H member completing over 30 projects and participating in club leadership roles. He is involved in Junior Farmers, the Stormont Plowmen's Association, plowing and field crop competitions, and playing broomball. An avid Ayrshire breeder, he enjoys showing cattle, meeting people, and promoting agriculture.

At college, Patrick is the chair of the show committee, planning the 2024 show and judging event. He has been involved with fundraising events and is the student rep for the Smart Farm Integration

Initiative Committee, incorporating hands-on learning with the curriculum while interacting with the smart farm. "Upon completion of my studies, I look forward to returning to the home farm and continuing to expand my knowledge of and work with precision agriculture techniques."



**Rhiannah Gallagher** is a fourth year Animal Biology student at the University of Guelph with the goal of becoming a large animal veterinarian while raising livestock. Growing up on the corner of a fourth generation family farm near Osgoode, she has been immersed in agriculture and family, from sheep to beef and 4-H to music.

Rhiannah is the current Ottawa-Carleton Queen of the Furrow and the Royal Winter Fair Sheep Ambassador. "I enjoy these opportunities because my duties have aligned with my passion for educating the public about agriculture, the importance of farming and the many benefits this agriculture industry provides." Rhiannah has been thoroughly involved in the 4-H program, with more than 30 completed projects and a reign as 4-H Ontario Ambassador. She

also remains involved with her church community and musical theatre.

While at Guelph, Rhiannah has been involved in activities of the Ontario Agricultural College including the Sheep and Goat Club, Judging Club, College Royal, Dairy Science Club, 4-H and Women in Agriculture.



**Chloe Pyke** is entering her second year in the Agriculture Management Diploma program at Olds College of Agriculture and Technology. A high school urge to explore Western Canada led her to the small town of Olds, Alberta, where she has met people from across the world. Chloe was raised on a bison and crop farm on Wolfe Island and there developed her initial passion for crops, livestock, and agriculture.

She is spending this summer on a large Saskatchewan crop farm, driving seeding and harvesting equipment. "I have gained much knowledge of maintaining equipment and working on daily shop operations. Driving an articulated tractor pulling a 76' air seeder and 950-bushel cart behind me has been a great experience."

Chloe has a wealth of involvement in her communities, including 4-H, the Wolfe Island Plowing Match, the Kingston Fall Fair, church functions such as Turkey Suppers and the Fish Fry, playing hockey, growing pumpkins, and selling at the farmer's market. She says, "right now, I am enjoying my western experience, although one day I hope my farm life brings me back to Ontario."



**Osianna Williams** of Cumberland is in her third year of the biochemistry studies co-op program at the University of Ottawa, where she strives to discover and learn as much as possible. She has always been immersed in agriculture, from the family dairy farm of the past to the mixed farm of the present with bees, maple syrup, chickens, sheep, and field crops. "Growing up in agriculture drew my interest to genetics, GMO and biotechnology. I am exploring many options for the future such as lab work, research, genetics, and developing new products to prepare for giving back to the agriculture industry."

4-H has been part of Osianna's life since the age of 9, participating in dairy, soil and crop, poultry, and vet clubs. Her desire for continuous learning opportunities has led her to roles as president,

secretary, press reporter and youth leader.

Osianna has worked at the Canada Agriculture and Food Museum where she shares information about agriculture practices to the public. She has volunteered with community events including farm markets, Lions suppers, fundraisers, and flood relief efforts, and instructed swimming lessons.

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# Since 1927 OTTAWA VALLEY SEED GROWERS ASSOCIATION



The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association traces back to 1927, after the First World War, when a group of Ottawa Valley farmers banded together with an aim to help one another merchandise their field crops. The OVSGA was formed, and J.H. Findlay of Arnprior was named the first OVSGA President. Together with the help of local agricultural representatives, the group held the first seed fair at Renfrew Collegiate. The introduction of new and better varieties, merchandizing of increased production, and the continual updating of agricultural information were the founding objectives of the Seed Fair, and continue to drive the modern rendition of the show.

The Seed Fair became an annual event, rotating throughout Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec, between the home communities of the association's presidents. It travelled through Almonte, Pembroke, Kemptville, Cornwall, Perth, and many towns in between. It eventually developed into a Championship Seed, Feed, and Forage Show,

where exhibitors were required to compete at the county level shows for the opportunity to bring their entries to the next level. Over time, the Championship Seed Show added equipment and trade show components, eventually becoming the Ottawa Valley Farm Show. In 1959, the OVFS settled into Lansdowne Park in Ottawa, where it remained until moving to its current location, the EY Centre in Ottawa, in 2012. OVFS is now Ontario's longest running agricultural trade show with more than 360 exhibitors occupying over 200,000 square feet under one roof.

Today, the OVFS is an extensive tradeshow, bringing together farmers and industry professionals to facilitate networking and sharing of information. The OVFS continues to boast its seed show roots, proudly displaying the Court of Honour at the centre of the show. Days before OVFS, the annual Ottawa Valley Championship Seed, Feed and Forage Show welcomes top entries from all local county seed shows, seeing almost 200



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exhibitors enter up to 600 exhibits. Entries are evaluated by a team of judges, and winning entries are then showcased in the Court of Honour along with 4-H field crop and life skills exhibits. The OVSGA recognizes and rewards the achievements of winning exhibitors at the annual Seed Show Awards Ceremony normally held at OVFS.

The OVSGA actively engages in the community through various events throughout the year including the annual Prestigious Pedigreed Seed Sale, now in its 30th year. This auction sale, originally created in 1992 to showcase and sell quality pedigreed seed, now offers a range of pedigreed seed, products, and services.

The modern day OVSGA is a dynamic not-for-profit group, run by a dedicated volunteer board of more than 25 Directors. Directors are farmers and agribusiness representatives from across Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec. Each of the 11 Eastern Ontario counties as well as Western Quebec nominate a county representative, and Directors at Large (Regular and Honorary) complete the board. The association is deeply involved in the community and celebrates and supports many local and agricultural charitable groups and initiatives, as

well as agricultural research, knowledge, education, and advocacy. In addition to those initiatives, the OVSGA is proud to work with volunteers to plan and host the annual Ottawa Valley Farm Show.

The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association OVSGA is a loyal member of the Farm Show Council, the Ontario Agricultural Hall of Fame and Farm and Food Care Ontario. OVSGA is dedicated to engaging and supporting the agricultural community through numerous different initiatives across Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec. These include:

- Youth Scholarship opportunities
- 4-H grants to local county associations and field crop and plowing clubs
- Grants to support county seed shows
- Support for community agricultural celebrations
- Grants to Agricultural Societies to support agricultural education programs
- Host training programs for local farm and school community
- Seed Show Judge Training to develop seed, crop, feed and forage judging skills
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# Trophies & Awards

## OTTAWA VALLEY CHAMPIONSHIP SEED, & FORAGE SHOW

### Barclay Dick Challenge Trophy

*For the best entry of Red Clover*

- 2023 – Kurtis McRae, Lanark County
- 2022 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2021 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2020 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2019 – Murray & Gordon Wilson, Prescott County

### Speare Seeds Plaque

*For the best entry of Barley*

- 2023 – Miller Seed Farm, Frontenac County
- 2022 – Rick Hess, Dundas County
- 2021 – Rick Hess, Dundas County
- 2020 – Dave Pemberton, Dundas County
- 2019 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County

### NK Brand, Syngenta Seeds Award

*For the best exhibit of Corn Silage*

- 2023 – John Nanne, Lanark County
- 2022 – Merlin & Deb Knapton, Lanark County
- 2021 – Ray Halpenny, Lanark County
- 2020 – Kurtis McRae, Lanark County
- 2019 – Robinson Farms, Grenville County

### Ed & Isaac Wallace Challenge Trophy

*For the champion Hay exhibit*

- 2023 – Jim Tennant, Leeds County
- 2022 – John & Ryan Devries, Dundas County
- 2021 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2020 – Darren McCord, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2019 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County

### Hal Botham Memorial Trophy

*For the champion exhibitor of Forage Seeds*

- 2023 – Kurtis McRae, Lanark County
- 2022 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2021 – Winchester Ag Research Station, Dundas County
- 2020 – Murray & Gordon Wilson, Prescott County
- 2019 – Murray & Gordon Wilson, Prescott County

### OVSGA Challenge Trophy

*For the champion exhibit of Haylage*

- 2023 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County
- 2022 – Eleanor Robinson, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2021 – Puenter Farms, Dundas County
- 2020 – Spencer & Bruce Hill, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2019 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County

### SynAgri Award

*For the champion Ear Corn in the open and 4-H classes*

- 2023 – David Chambers, Dundas County
- 2022 – David Chambers, Dundas County
- 2021 – Robert Campbell, Lanark County
- 2020 – Robert Campbell, Lanark County
- 2019 – Quinn Dickson, Ottawa-Carleton

### Commonwell Mutual Insurance Group Award

*For the best entry in the Pedigreed Seed Auction*

- 2023 – Ceresco – Forto IP Soybeans
- 2022 – Centre de Criblage Marc Bercier – Alise Oats
- 2021 – not awarded
- 2020 – not awarded
- 2019 – Sevita International Pro Seeds – Genesis Soy

### OVSGA Special Export Hay 1st Cut

- 2023 – Art Jamieson, Renfrew County
- 2022 – Bruce Paul, Lanark County
- 2021 – Bruce Paul, Lanark County
- 2020 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2019 – Murray & Gordon Wilson, Prescott County

### New-Life Mills Award

*For the champion exhibit in Ottawa Valley in Hay Quality Class*

- 2023 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2022 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2021 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2020 – Bruce Paul, Lanark County
- 2019 – Russell Sortberg, Leeds County

### OVSGA Past Presidents' Award

*For the County with the most points in open field crop classes*

- 2023 – Lanark County
- 2022 – Dundas County
- 2021 – Dundas County
- 2020 – Lanark County
- 2019 – Lanark County

### OVSGA Champion Organic Plaque (New in 2023)

*For the Champion Exhibit in the organic classes*

- 2023 – Markus Rumke, Glengarry County

### Nation Valley Potato Growers' Association Trophy

*For the champion exhibit of Potatoes in the open and 4-H classes*

- 2023 – Wes & Amy Thom, Lanark County
- 2022 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2021 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2020 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2019 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County

### Embrun Agricultural Co-op Trophy

*For the champion exhibit of Shelled Corn*

- 2023 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County
- 2022 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County
- 2021 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County
- 2020 – John, Martin & Pam Westervelt, Dundas County
- 2019 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County

### **E.H. Wallace Memorial Trophy**

*For the champion exhibit of Soybeans*

- 2023 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County
- 2022 – John & Ryan Devries, Dundas County
- 2021 – Winchester Ag Research Station, Dundas County
- 2020 – Tim Moher, Dundas County
- 2019 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton

### **C&M Seeds Trophy**

*For the grand champion Wheat in the open classes*

- 2023 – Winchester Ag Research, Dundas County
- 2022 – Spencer & Bruce Hill, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2021 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2020 – Thomas Haerle, Prescott County
- 2019 – Tibben Farms Inc., Dundas County

### **Bennie Vance Memorial Trophy**

*For the champion Sheaf of Grain in the 4-H and open section*

- 2023 – Harold & Shelley McPhail, Lanark County
- 2022 – Harold & Shelley McPhail, Lanark County
- 2021 – Joe & Carolyn, Jansen, Dundas County
- 2020 – Jim & Connie McDiarmid, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2019 – Bruce & Brian Hudson, Ottawa-Carleton

### **Hudson Family 4-H Award**

*For the most points in the 4-H Field Crop section*

- 2023 – Ethan Grant, Leeds County
- 2022 – Haleigh-Jo Teplate, Stormont County
- 2021 – Sam Grant, Leeds County
- 2020 – Erika Wilson, Prescott County
- 2019 – Addison Dwyre, Leeds County

### **John Posthumus 4-H Award**

*For the most points in the 4-H Life Skills section*

- 2023 – Haleigh-Jo Teplate, Stormont County
- 2022 – Haleigh-Jo Teplate, Stormont County
- 2021 – Haleigh-Jo Teplate, Stormont County
- 2020 – Haleigh-Jo Teplate, Stormont County
- 2019 – Terry Ennis, Stormont County

### **Ken Paul Memorial 4-H Award**

*For the champion 4-H Field Crop exhibit*

- 2023 – Darren McCord, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2022 – Caroline Nixon, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2021 – Hugh Nixon, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2020 – Darren McCord, Ottawa-Carleton
- 2019 – Hugh Nixon, Ottawa-Carleton

### **OVSQA Special Export Hay 2nd Cut**

- 2023 – Kelso Purdon, Lanark County
- 2022 – John Nanne, Lanark County
- 2021 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2020 – Gary Gordon, Frontenac County
- 2019 – Alton Whitehorn, Grenville County

### **Masterfeeds Award (New in 2021)**

*For the champion exhibit in Ottawa Valley Haylage Quality Class*

- 2023 – Bryan & Jennie Brydges, Lanark County
- 2022 – Alex Beaudette, Stormont County
- 2021 – Alex Beaudette, Stormont County

### **Keith & Margaret Hobbs Memorial Award**

*For the OVSQA President's Choice Cookie Contest*

- 2023 – Karen Coffell
- 2022 – Spencer Hill
- 2021 – not awarded
- 2020 – not awarded
- 2019 – Kathy Hardy
- 2018 – Harry Bennett

### **OVSQA Champion Maple Syrup Plaque (New in 2023)**

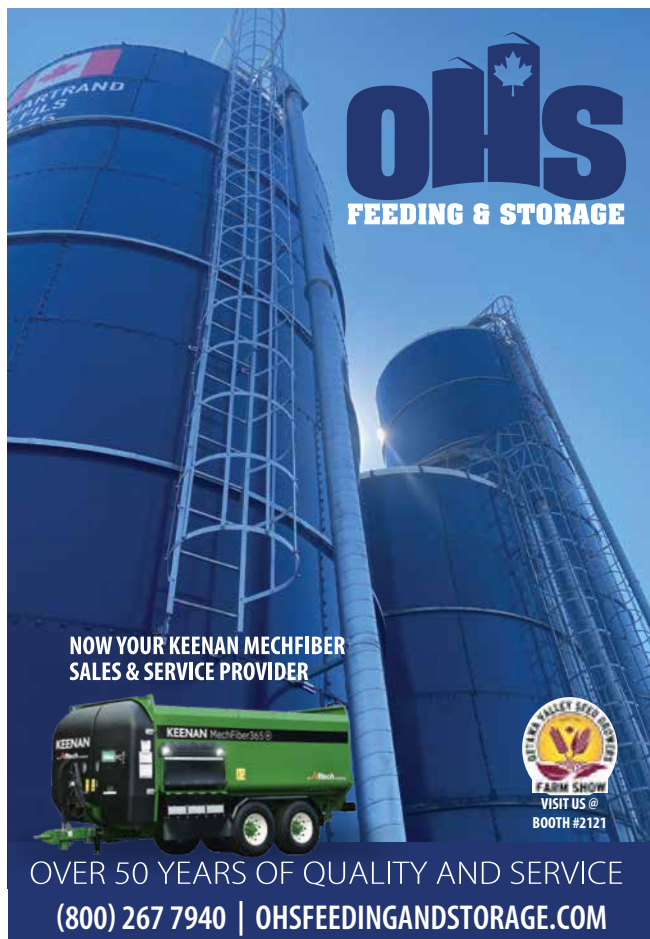
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- 2023 – Alex Beaudette, Stormont County



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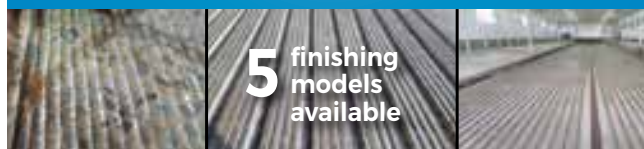
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The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association is pleased to host the Kemptville College Alumni at OVFS24. Kemptville College has played a significant role in the lives of many farmers and agribusinesses in Eastern Ontario and beyond. It is great to see alumni continue to connect through involvement in the agriculture industry and community.

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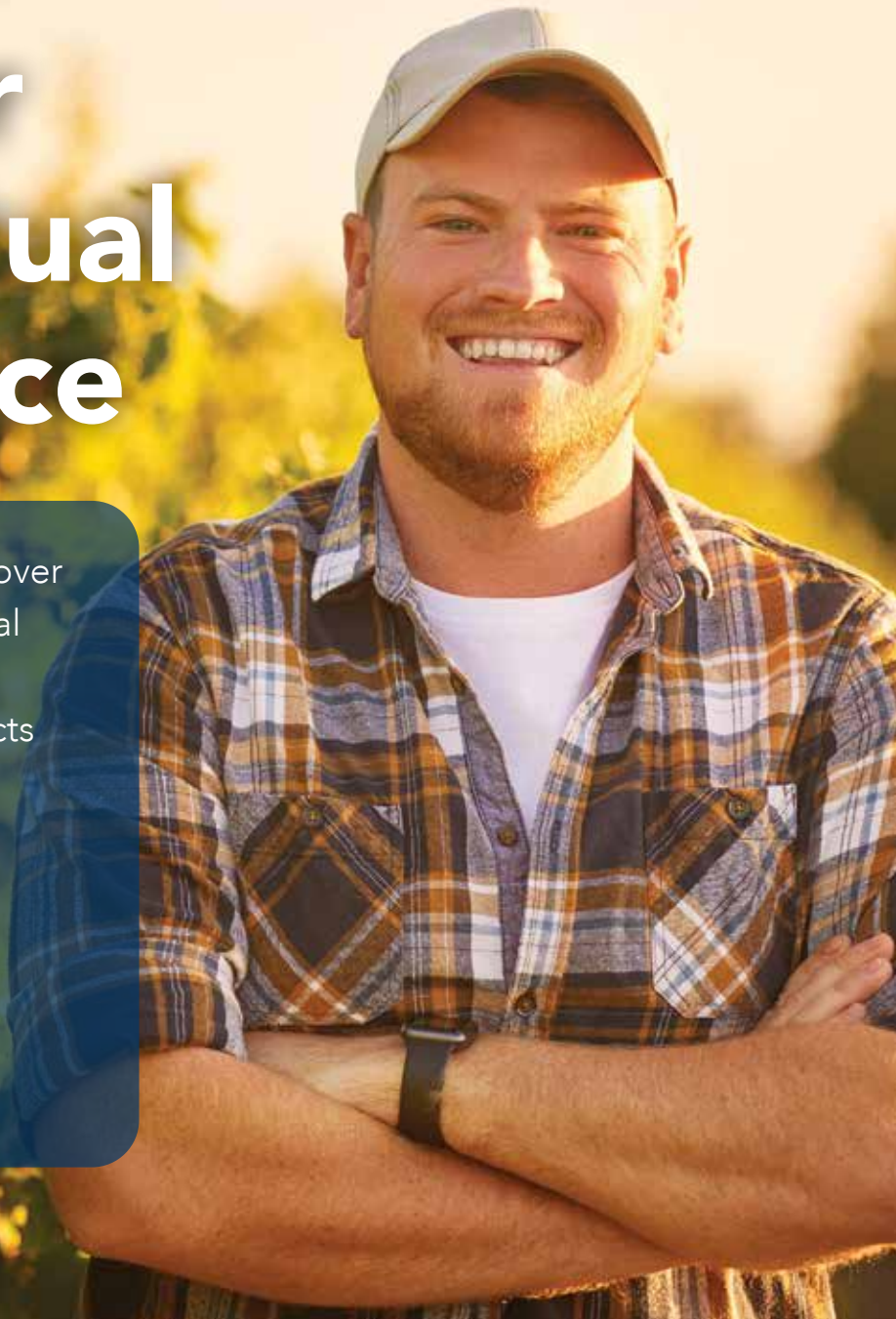


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