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Dr. David Winston Receives Hoard's Dairyman Youth Development Award

Champaign, IL – The American Dairy Science Association is proud to announce Dr. David Winston as the 2009 recipient of the Hoard's Dairyman Youth Development Award. The award was presented on Tuesday, July 14, 2009, during the awards ceremony at the ADSA Annual Meeting in Montreal, QC, Canada.

The Hoard's Dairyman Youth Development Award was created to recognize a candidate who has had significant involvement in dairy-related youth activities either in a professional or volunteer capacity for a minimum of ten years. The recipient shall be highly regarded in the dairy industry for his or her role in personal development of dairy youth and for enhancing knowledge of and interest in the dairy industry. The winner need not be a member of the American Dairy Science Association, and may have worked with youth of any age, in many possible capacities such as coach, counselor, teacher, advisor, mentor, chaperone, or supervisor.

David Winston is highly regarded for his work with 4-H and FFA youth. He has developed a well-rounded program that includes training events, contests, and curriculum support. His dairy quiz bowl study materials are used by youth across the nation to prepare for competition, and he has coached four national champion 4-H quiz bowl teams since 2002. He is vice chair of the National 4-H Dairy Conference planning committee and serves as permanent adviser for the Dairy Club of Virginia Tech. Under his guidance, the club has been named Outstanding Chapter four times by the ADSA Student Affiliate Division.

It is with great pleasure that ADSA and Hoard's Dairyman present Dr. David Winston with the 2009 Hoard's Dairyman Youth Development Award.

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