

Our President, **Neil Lantz**



DOUBLING UP!

For the next eight months, I'll be wearing two hats. In addition to my continuing duties as President of the FFS Board, I've been recruited by my wife, Sara Lou, to join her as Co-chair of the 2016 Convention this August 25-27 in Louisville, Kentucky. We've co-chaired our marriage for the last 54 years, and we co-chaired the 2008 FFS Convention in Indianapolis, so how could I refuse! We're excited about the upcoming convention, and you'll find the details, including YOUR registration form, in this issue.

Several times over the past three years, I've written about the important work of volunteers in the Society, and I know how crucial they are to the planning of the annual event. This year promises to be no exception thanks to the tireless efforts of our volunteers. Thanks go to the support of Society Treasurer John Emerson, Webmaster Chaz Cone, Chairman of the Convention Coordination Committee Gil Peterson, Fresh News Editor Barb Meyers, and logo designer extraordinaire Dan de la Torre. No fewer than 23 members of the Society have stepped up to join us on the 2016 Convention Committee. In fact, 17 members of the committee met while attending the 2015 Convention in San Antonio, so we're off to a great start.

And now, we need you! With both of my hats on, it is my pleasure to appoint each and every one of you as an "honorary" member of the committee. Your official duties are as follows:

1. Register to attend the 2016 Convention in Louisville!
2. Recruit family and friends to join you for another great Society event! (As the Convention is open only to Society members, you are encouraged to recruit new members who are welcome to join for only \$10 with their Convention registration.) Feel free to copy the enclosed registration material, or you and your recruits may sign up on line as of February 1, 2016 at www.ffa2016.com.
3. Come to Louisville this August and plan to enjoy a great three days with Bob, Curtis, Stein, Tommy, and a few hundred of your fellow Freshmen fans!

Sara Lou and I look forward to seeing you there.

The Four Freshmen...On the Road!

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Please note: Dates subject to change without notice.

January 9, 2016

Christ Fellowship, 2801 Orchid Dr.

Showtime: 7:30p

McKinney, TX

Tickets: 214-548-4384

January 15, 2016

GCAC Sounds of The Canyon Artist Series,

Gold Canyon Methodist Church, 6640 S. Kings Ranch Rd.

Showtime: 7:30p

Gold Canyon, AZ

Tickets: 480-983-2171

January 16, 2016

Central AZ College, Pence Theatre, 8470 Overfield Rd.

Showtime: 7:00p

Coolidge, AZ

Tickets: 520-477-7469

January 29-30, 2016

Metropolis Performing Arts Centre, 111 W. Campbell St.

Showtime: 8:00p

Arlington Heights, IL

Tickets: 847-577-2121

January 31, 2016

Hoogland Center for the Arts, 420 South Sixth St.

Showtimes: 3:00p

Springfield IL

Tickets: 217-523-2787

February 5, 2016

First Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs, 9751 Bonita Beach Rd. SE

Showtimes: 3:00p & 7:30p

Bonita Springs, FL

Tickets: 239-992-3410 ext 250

February 20, 2016

Mount Dora Music Festival, 520 N. Baker St.

Showtimes: 7:30p

Mount Dora, FL

Tickets: 352-383-2627

February 22, 2016

McCallum Theatre, Tribute to the Big Band Singers, 73000 Fred Waring Dr.

Showtime: 7:00p

Palm Desert, CA

Tickets: 866-889-ARTS

February 26, 2016

Ron Houston Center for the Performing Arts, College Park Dr & College Ave.

Showtime: 7:30p

Maryville, MO

Tickets:

February 29- March 1, 2016

Erie Meyer Civic Center, 1930 W 2nd St.

Showtime: 7:00p

Gulf Shores, AL

Tickets: 251-968-1172

March 3, 2016

West Texas Jazz Society, 8815 W Wisconsin Ave.

Showtime: TBA

Midland, TX

Tickets: TBA

March 11, 2016

Schwan Concert Hall, 8815 W Wisconsin Ave.

Showtime: 7:30p

Milwaukee, WI

Tickets: 414-443-8802

March 16, 2016

Yuma Arts Center, 254 S Main St.

Showtime: 7:00p

Yuma, AZ

Tickets: 928-373-5202

April 10, 2016

Kenneth J. Minnaert Center for the Arts, 2011 Mottman Rd. SW

Showtime: 7:00p

Olympia, WA

Information: 360-753-8586

April 14, 2016

Evergreen Commons, 480 State St.

Showtime: 2:00p and 8:30p

Holland, MI

Information: 616-355-5120