Ohio Association of Family and Consumer Sciences

Awards Banquet

Thursday, February 13, 2020

Lewis Center, Ohio

OAFCS Awards Banquet

Social Hour Reception
Refreshments
Me & 3 Recognition

Betty Lamp Ceremony
Officer Induction
Recognition of Outgoing President

Invocation and Dinner

Featured Speaker
Power of One

Awards Presentation
50+ Year Members Awards
What is a Betty Lamp and what does it symbolize?

The Betty Lamp was chosen for the logo of the American Home Economics Association as the result of a contest in 1920. The Betty Lamp continued as the logo of the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (AAFCS) after the name change in 1994. In colonial days, the Betty Lamp provided light for all household industries. Representing the light of the mind, the Betty Lamp is an appropriate logo for AAFCS and all the associated disciplines.

Early in the 20th century, the Betty Lamp was adopted as a "Symbol of learning". The beam of the Betty Lamp symbolizes the following:

- The need of exact knowledge
- The appreciation of beauty
- The spirit of joy
- The power of strength
- The blessing of fellowship
- The satisfaction of achievement
- The value of service
- The bond of cooperation

The Ohio Association of Family and Consumer Sciences shares the philosophy with the national association that this Betty Lamp truly symbolizes the essence of what our association values. As a true "symbol of learning", OAFCS uses the Lamp as a visual reminder of its belief.

2019 – 2020 Executive Board

- Donna Anderson: President
- Margaret Jenkins: President-Elect
- Melanie Hart: Past President
- Susan Shockey: Vice-President Annual Conference
- Katie Newcomb: Secretary
- Candace Fox: Treasurer
- Kimberly Shuster: Vice-President, Membership
FEATURED SPEAKER

Erik Porfeli, PhD
The Ohio State University

“POWER OF ONE”

Erik Porfeli, Chair of Department of Human Sciences and Professor of Human Development and Family Science, focuses his career on promoting positive human health and development and strengthening the fabric of our communities. He specializes in harmonizing and aligning resources and partnerships around a common mission. His interest is Lifespan career development with an emphasis on how children and young adults establish a career identity and adapt their career goals in the face of changing life circumstances. As one example, his prior role was associate dean of community engagement and admissions and tenured faculty in the Department of Family and Community Medicine for the Northeast Ohio Medical University. He also co-directed the Ohio Alliance, a statewide program of the national Sullivan Alliance to Transform the Health Professions. Composed of scientific, educational, workforce and community partners, the alliance focused on meeting Ohio’s most pressing health care needs, especially in medically underserved communities.

50+ YEAR MEMBERS

Frances Watson, 80 years
Ruth E. Deacon 73 years
Fern E. Hunt, 70 years
Virginia H. Stiver, 63 years
Alice E. Simandle, 62 years
M. A. Edwards, 62 years
Jean P. Lentz, 62 years
Maryanna S. Cassady, CFCS, 62 years
Eunice H. Murphy, 61 years
N. Jean Miller, 60 years
Virginia R. Gunn, 59 years
Marlene W. Jones, 59 years
Isabell B. Anderson, 59 years
Carolyn McKinney, 58 years
Sharon V McManus, CFCS, 58 years
Ella Mae Bard, 58 years
Norma D. Pitts, 55 years
Ellen Goldsberry, 55 years
Louise F. Mahoney, 54 years
Joyce A. Smith, 53 years
Lindell C. Northup, 52 years
Patricia H. Holmes, 52 years
Bonadine J. Woods, 52 years
Sharon S. Redick, 51 years
Shirley M. Funt, 51 years
Betty H. Reed, 51 years
Penelope Reighart, 51 years
Julie M. Drumheller, 50 years
Sharon Turini-Kent, 50 years
Professional Section Awards

College/University/Research

V. Ann Paulins, Ph.D.

Dr. Ann Paulins is the Senior Associate Dean for Research & Graduate Studies at Ohio University. Dr. Paulins holds the B.S. in Fashion Merchandising and Promotion and the M.S. in Textiles and Clothing, both from Ohio University. She also holds the Ph.D. in Consumer Aspects of Textiles and Clothing from The Ohio State University. Dr. Paulins teaches courses in retail merchandising and fashion product development with a focus on professional career development and merchandising. Additionally, she teaches a Tier III course titled Women and Leadership. Her major research interests include ethical decision making by consumers and fashion industry professionals, and consumer motives for their fashion choices.

Extension

Margaret Jenkins, M.Ed, NBCT

Margaret Jenkins has a M.Ed in Family and Consumer Sciences from Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. She is employed as a Family and Consumer Sciences Educator with Ohio State University Extension in Clermont County. Margaret's specializations are health and wellness, financial wellness and youth and children. She is a champion of local partnerships that offer programming to address the work of the family in contemporary society. Margaret is associated with Live Smart Ohio, workforce development, youth leadership that will soon allow the youth to get OSU credits, local food initiatives and homebuyer interviews prior to closing so purchasers can get help with down payments from the Ohio Housing Finance Agency.

FRIEND OF FAMILY

The Friend of the Family Award is presented to an individual or organization involved in making decisions that affect the well-being of families. Its purpose is to recognize leaders whose work over time has made a significant contribution to policy areas affecting the family.

Erik Porfeli

Erik has been extremely supportive of the Ohio Association of Family and Consumer Sciences in reconnecting with university leaders, increasing others understanding of FCS programs throughout Ohio and providing us with his wonderful presentations at our annual conference the last two years. Erik has also made wonderful contributions to areas affecting the family by leading and developing a regional multi-institutional platform advancing the health and life success of youth through community engagement programs and pre-medical-to-MD degree pathways. Erik leads programs which engage over 2,000 high school and college students in the pressing health concerns of local communities. These students then serve their local community members. Erik’s work and dedication has in many ways improved the well-being of families.
Distinguished Service Award

The Distinguished Service Award recognizes superior achievements in family and consumer sciences, outstanding contributions to the profession and sustained association leadership.

Barbara Vance

Barbara Vance, CFCS, taught 6th-12th grade at schools in Ohio and New Mexico for a combined 30 years after receiving her education degree from Ohio Dominican University. She received her Masters of Science from The Ohio State University while teaching full time at Washington Middle School. Barbara also served as a consultant for high school curriculum for the New Mexico Department of Education during a field study with Dartmouth College. Barbara was also active in the National, State and Vocational Education Associations. Barbara’s service to our profession does not end in the classroom. Barbara has also shared her skills and knowledge to her community while providing food demonstrations, teaching others to sew, and making quilts with a service group. Throughout her career and after retirement, Barbara has been affiliated with Fayette County Professional Home Economist, Delaware County Home Economics, Fayette County Heart Association, Fayette Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, Fayette Co. Retired Teachers, Delta Kappa Gamma, Ohio 4-H Foundation Board Fundraiser, My Very Own Blanket, and Rogue Volunteer Charity Sewers. Her service to these organizations has benefitted from her dedication, hard work, and leadership. OAFCS has been no exception to these benefits. Barbara has been a member for 50 years and has served on the board many of those years in a variety of officer positions and committee chairs. Barbara has also been a delegate and committee chair to the national organization AAFCS (AHEA at the time).

Leader Award

The Leader Award identifies and honors family and consumer sciences professionals who have made significant contributions to the field through their involvement with OAFCS and AAFCS.

Susan Shockey

Susan Shockey, Ph.D., CFCS, CPFFE served as the USDA – National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) National Program Leader, Family and Consumer Economics. She currently provides leadership to the Ohio Association of Family & Consumer Sciences as the Annual Conference Vice President. Her research focuses on financial capability - attitude, behavior, and knowledge change through education and is published in the Journal of Financial Counseling and Planning, June 2004. The American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (AAFCS) have recognized her research. Susan served as the AAFCS national President in 2011-12. As an OSU Professor Emeritus with The Ohio State University and a Cooperative Extension professional, Shockey held numerous leadership positions. Her focus as an Extension Educator and High School Home Economics teacher has been teaching personal financial independence. The Ohio Attorney General and State Treasurer appointed her to the Ohio Personal Finance Commission. In 2012, she received the Award of Distinction presented by The Ohio State University, College of Education and Human Ecology Alumni Society. She is affiliated with the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences, Phi Upsilon Omicron, Kappa Omicron Nu Honor Society, Kappa Alpha Theta, and Indianola Presbyterian Church, near OSU Campus.
NEW ACHIEVER AWARD
The New Achiever Award was established to identify and honor emerging family and consumer sciences professionals who have exhibited the potential to make significant contributions to the field through their involvement with OAFCS.

Kathryn Wood
Kathryn is a Licensed Realtor at Keller Williams Capital Partners. Kathryn is also a Certified Professional Stager, Feng Shui Consultant and Certified Color Expert. Kathryn earned her B.S. in Psychology and a B.S. in Interior Product Development with a Focus on Interior Design. With her many roles and full-time job, Kathryn took on the role of Webmaster for OAFCS. Although, Kathryn hasn’t been on the OAFCS board long, she is no stranger to FCS or the OAFCS and AAFCS conferences. She has been attending for years with her mother and she is passionate about FCS. Kathryn also has a great deal of experience as a Board Member, Past President, Webmaster, Newsletter and Directory Editor for the Phi Upsilon Omicron Gamma Alumni. Kathryn’s experience, passion and dedication allowed her to jump right into her new OAFCS role with an achiever attitude.

TEACHER OF THE YEAR
The Teacher of the Year award was established to recognize exemplary teachers who utilize cutting-edge methods, techniques and activities to provide stimulus and visibility to family and consumer sciences in elementary and secondary education.

Marybeth Motasem
Marybeth has dedicated her 17-years of teaching to helping students be successful both in the classroom and in life. Students will often reach out to Mrs. Motasem years after graduating to seek advice on how to better budget their finances, offer to be guest speakers, and to further collaborations in their own careers and non-profit work. Mrs. Motasem truly values these connections for it proves our OAFCS motto that we teach “Knowledge You Can’t Live Without.” Mrs. Motasem is constantly finding ways to connect her classes with real-world opportunities which include learning more about the rewards and challenges of parenting with a parent panel made of local community members, conducting mock professional interviews, creating individualized future investment portfolios, and grocery shopping at Saraga’s International Grocery Store to learn more about food sustainability. In 2019, Mrs. Motasem collaborated with Steve Shapiro, Bexley’s Experiential Learning Coordinator, to create an online platform called BexleyConnect which allows local community members and teachers to collaborate on classroom projects. BexleyConnect now benefits all Bexley teachers and students with opportunities to expand curriculum beyond classroom walls into the community. Mrs. Motasem has served as Bexley’s Key Club and Garden Club Adviser for the past 6 years conducting many fundraisers and creating the Seeds That Feed Garden.
SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

OAFCS will award one $1,000 scholarship to a student enrolled in Family and Consumer Sciences who has both academic ability and shows professional promise. Students are greatly needed in all professional areas of Family and Consumer Sciences.

Megan Zwick

Megan is 19 years old and currently a junior at Ohio University. She is pursuing a degree in Family and Consumer Sciences with a minor in Customer Service Leadership. She is a member of the AAFCS group at Ohio University. Megan has a passion for 4-H youth development. She believes in being involved in the community and helping others when needed. She has been involved in 4-H for 13 years and when she graduates, she hopes to have a career in an OSU Extension office. She wants to share her experiences and her knowledge with the communities around her to help them grow.