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A SPECIAL MESSAGE

It is an honor to join the Ohio Agricultural Council in recognizing the 2022 Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame inductees!

Ohio's food and agriculture industry plays an important role in the lives of all Ohioans in the form of food, jobs, and strong local communities. Simply put, when agriculture does well, everyone benefits.

These four exemplary individuals being inducted to the Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame have dedicated their lives to preserving Ohio's strong agricultural heritage, supporting the state's economy, and contributing to the future advancement of agriculture.

On behalf of the State of Ohio and Ohio's strong food and agriculture industry, we thank these outstanding individuals for their leadership and extend our deepest gratitude for their contributions. Congratulations to each of them on this distinguished honor!

Very respectfully yours,

Governor Mike DeWine
State of Ohio

Director Dorothy Pelanda
Ohio Dept. of Agriculture



A WARM WELCOME

Welcome to the Ohio Agricultural Council's 56th annual celebration of agriculture and Hall of Fame Breakfast.

On behalf of the Council's executive committee, I extend an enthusiastic 'thank you' for attending this annual program to recognize innovators and trailblazers in our industry. I am pleased to honor four exceptional individuals in the 2022 class of inductees who truly embody those characteristics and what it takes to be a leader in agriculture. Though a diverse group of honorees, each has devoted their life to agriculture, advancing the mission of the industry, paving the way for future leaders and making a difference in the lives of thousands.

As the past few years have looked and felt a bit different, we are excited to once again gather together and to enjoy the full array of festivities that the Ohio State Fair has to offer, from the midway to the livestock barns and the educational exhibits. We are appreciative of the lasting partnership we have in the Ohio Expo Commission and the generosity to allow us to gather here to celebrate our industry together.

Please enjoy this morning's program and take some time to have fun at the great Ohio State Fair!

Chris Henney
President, Ohio Agricultural Council

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ABOUT OAC

The Ohio Agricultural Council serves as a vehicle through which those interested in agriculture may work together; a place where members may exchange ideas, strive to achieve mutual understanding and where they may coordinate their efforts to provide a favorable image of Ohio's agriculture.

Membership in OAC is open to organizations, companies and individuals who have an interest in the well-being and promotion of the agricultural industry in Ohio. Annual dues are \$300 for organizations, \$25 for organization associates (must be a current employee, officer, owner or director of an organization member) and \$50 for individuals (\$15 for students).

2022 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Chris Henney, *President*

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Tara Durbin, *Organization Member at Large*

Liz Funderburgh, *Individual Member at Large*

Mike Bumgarner, *Past President*

Janice Welsheimer, *Secretary-Treasurer (ex-officio)*

MEMBER MEETINGS

OAC holds two meetings per year at various central Ohio venues and features educational and entertaining guest speakers. The meetings are open to members and guests.

YOUTH EDUCATION

OAC has been a proud sponsor of Ohio's 4-H and FFA programs, as well as other education-related initiatives throughout the years. As we move forward, an Education Committee is being formed to help identify education initiatives that best fit the Council's goals to be of service to Ohio's farmers and the agricultural industry. If you have interest in serving on this committee, please email info@ohioagcouncil.org.

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

OAC annually offers scholarships to assist students in pursuing a career in agriculture. Scholarships are available to high school seniors preparing to enter college or any undergraduate student currently enrolled in college. Scholarships are selected based on academic record, leadership qualities, community involvement, references and responses to application essay questions. Scholarship recipients are also provided a one-year complimentary student membership in the Council.

ORDER OF EVENTS

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WELCOME

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Ohio Agricultural Council

NATIONAL ANTHEM

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Jon Peterson, *Director*

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Maya Kidd, *2022 Ohio Fairs Queen*

OHIO STATE FAIR WELCOME

Virgil Strickler, *General Manager*
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Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Board

BREAKFAST

OHIO AGRICULTURAL COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

OHIO AGRICULTURAL HALL OF FAME CEREMONY

Dr. Cathann Kress, *Vice President for*
Agricultural Administration and Dean,
College of Food, Agricultural, &
Environmental Sciences, OSU

Dorothy Pelanda, *Director*
Ohio Department of Agriculture

Angela Krile, *Chair*
Ohio Expositions Commission





Congratulations TO THE 2022 OHIO AGRICULTURAL HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES!

Ohio's egg, chicken and turkey farmers thank you for making
a profound impact on our state's farming community through
years of leadership and commitment.

A special congratulations to honoree

Lisa Hamler-Fugitt

for her unwavering leadership to ensuring
all Ohioans have access to nutritious,
Ohio-grown and raised food products.



OHIO AG HALL OF FAME

Created by the Ohio Agricultural Council in 1966, the Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame has now honored more than 240 agriculturists who have dedicated their lives of outstanding work to Ohio's number-one industry, agriculture.

Induction into the Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame is Ohio's highest recognition of an individual who has made outstanding contributions to the agricultural industry. Each year, up to four prominent agricultural leaders are honored and inducted into the Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame for their superior service, dedication, leadership and plentiful contributions to agriculture.

NOMINATION AND SELECTION

Persons wishing to nominate an individual who he or she believes is deserving of consideration for induction into the Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame may download a nomination form by visiting ohioagcouncil.org/hall-of-fame. Nomination forms, along with three letters of recommendation, must be submitted by March 15, 2023, in order to be eligible for consideration in 2023.

Three to five members, including a former inductee, are asked to serve as the Hall of Fame selection committee. In order to retain a high degree of integrity, the identity of the members of the selection committee is kept in confidence and precautions are taken to avoid the possibility of an individual serving on the selection committee more than one time.

2022 HALL OF FAME EVENT PLANNING COMMITTEE

Jim Chakeres, *Ohio Poultry Association*

Sandy Kuhn, *Farmers National Company*

Kayli Long, *Ohio Pork Council*

Shelby Bradford Moore, *Ohio's Electric Cooperatives*

Roger Nicol, *Darby Creek Farm*

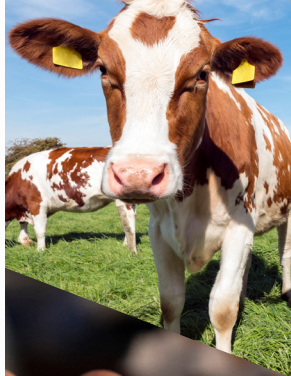
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Congratulations!

*2022 Agricultural Hall
of Fame Inductees*

Dr. Leon W. Boucher

Steve Drake

Lisa Hamler-Fugitt

Duane L. Stateler



HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

DR. LEON W. BOUCHER

A pioneer for agricultural education, Leon Boucher, Ph.D. left his mark in many countries across the globe through his development of teacher training programs in agriculture. His work with the U.S. Agency for International Development stretched from the U.S. to India, Sierra Leone, Swaziland, Sri Lanka and Lesotho.

In 1944, Boucher left his home of Green Springs, Ohio, to serve in the U.S. Navy, becoming a distinguished and decorated veteran for his services in WWII. He returned to work for The Ohio State University and Hilliard High School in 1950 where he was an educator at the Student Teacher Training Center and Vocational Agriculture Program. Boucher then taught as an assistant professor for Ohio State while he earned his Ph.D. in 1964. He remained at Ohio State as a professor overseeing recruitment and the agricultural education student teacher program until his retirement in 1986.

Boucher mentored hundreds of undergraduate and graduate students equipping them with the tools and knowledge they needed to succeed as agricultural educators. An agriculturalist to his core, Boucher's impact on the industry spans far, wide and deep, paving the way for today's agricultural educators.

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the soybean industry will be felt for
generations to come.**



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HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

STEVE DRAKE

Establishing, building and growing many agricultural organizations throughout Ohio and the country, Steve Drake is well known for sharing encouragement, wisdom and lessons learned throughout his career. His vision and leadership had a profoundly significant impact on the industry through initiatives that impacted soybean farmers, Christmas tree growers and many more. Drake's nonprofit efforts generated millions of dollars to support Monsanto's 1993 flood relief program and more than 122,000 military families through the National Christmas Tree Association's Christmas SPIRIT Foundation and Trees for Troops program.

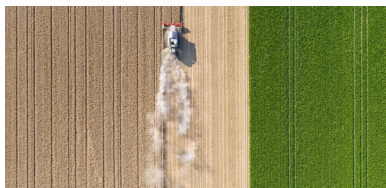
Drake was also active in agricultural communications, collaborating with the U.S. Farmers and Ranchers Alliance, Farm Bureau, Agricultural Relations Council and National Agri-Marketing Association as well as establishing the now annual Ag Media Summit through the American Agricultural Editors' Association, Livestock Publications Council and the Agricultural Publishers Association. Seeing challenges as opportunities and potential in everyone he met, Drake's forward-looking mindset and vision for the future made him a dedicated and innovative leader in the industry.



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The Ohio Association of Foodbanks thanks

Lisa Hamler-Fugitt

for her commitment to developing relationships and partnerships with the agricultural sector to fight hunger and seek out win-win solutions to food insecurity, food waste, and food system solvency.

We are so proud to celebrate you as you are inducted into the prestigious Ohio Agricultural Hall of Fame.

Congratulations!

Thank you to every Ohio farmer, grower, producer, supplier, policymaker, and partner who continue to work toward a more food secure state, nation, and world!



HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

LISA HAMLER-FUGITT

A passionate advocate for anti-hunger efforts in Ohio and beyond, Lisa Hamler-Fugitt has championed for decades to develop and foster partnerships between Ohio's hunger relief network and Ohio's agricultural community. Namely, Hamler-Fugitt has provided crucial leadership in building the Ohio Agricultural Clearance Program, seeking out innovative solutions to direct excess agricultural products to food insecure community members and provide Ohio's farmers with an outlet for unmarketable or surplus commodities. The initiative has not only reduced food waste, but also served as an outlet to aid Ohioans in need and has functioned as a model program for food security organizations across the nation.

Additionally, Hamler-Fugitt provided leadership on the Ohio Smart Agriculture: Solutions from the Land project, the Ohio Livestock Care Standards Board, the Ohio Food Policy Council, the Ohio Hunger Task Force and Feeding America's Policy Engagement and Advocacy Committee, among others. Her fierce dedication and tenacity advocating for the underserved, and building meaningful, lasting relationships and resolutions has led her to become a prominent figure in the anti-hunger movement near and far.

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A special congratulations to Lisa Hamler-Fugitt of the Ohio Association of Foodbanks, our valued partner for over two decades and a tireless advocate and supporter of Ohio's farming community.



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— On behalf of the Ohio Pork Council, —

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— to the 2022 Hall of Fame Inductees —



Duane Stateler



Lisa Hamler-Fugitt

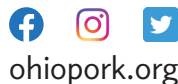


Leon Boucher



Steve Drake

We applaud you for your dedication to
Ohio's agriculture community - for
generations past, present, and future.



HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

DUANE L. STATELER

Humble, charismatic and hardworking are all words used to describe Duane L. Stateler by his peers in agriculture. A dependable pillar and prominent supporter of the pork and crop industries, Stateler has been known since early in his career to do everything in his power to protect the future of farming. Serving both the Ohio Pork Council and National Pork Producers Council as well as other livestock and industry boards and committees, he has dedicated countless diligent hours finding concrete solutions to hot-button issues.

Stateler has been at the forefront of many influential conversations with elected officials at all levels, voicing the concerns of pork producers across the country. His ability to have transparent and up-front discussions with political influencers has paid dividends when it comes to tough issues like African Swine Fever, global trade, cultured meat, gene editing, and Proposition 12, among many others.

Devoting his entire life to agriculture, Stateler's drive to give back to the industry that gave him and his family so much has led him to work to educate thousands of individuals on agriculture and become an effective and active ambassador of the industry.

Congratulations to Duane Stateler!

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Glen H. Stringfield — plant breeder
Louis J. Taber — farm organization leader
- 1967:** **Carl R. Arnold** — economist and finance expert
David W. Galehouse — seed producer, conservationist and educator
Harry C. Ramsower — agriculture educator
- 1968:** **L.P. Bailey** — breeder of Jersey cattle
Oscar E. Bradfute — farmer and cooperative leader
John T. Brown — farmer and lawmaker
Howard M. Call — farmer and community leader
C.M. Ferguson — educator and administrator
A.B. Graham — founder of the 4-H club
Perry L. Green — lawmaker and cooperative leader
Henry P. Miller — writer and master farmer
Amos I. Root — evangelist of modern beekeeping
A.P. Sandles — booster of Ohio fairs
Charles E. Thorne — writer and soil scientist
Norton S. Townshend — educator and legislator
Alen Trimble — farmer and sheep breeder
Joseph E. Wing — writer and alfalfa pioneer
- 1969:** **Harold Anderson** — founder of grain business
Uri T. Cox — farmer and plant propagator
Leon M. Evans — farmer and banker
Lawrence A. Kauffman — teacher and sheep specialist
Forrest G. Ketner — cooperative leader and marketing specialist
Edward H. Knight — farmer and mechanical inventor
Murray D. Lincoln — cooperative founder and agriculture leader
Glen G. McIlroy — farmer and farm manager
Joseph Oppenheim — teacher and inventor
Virgil Overholt — teacher and drainage specialist
Charles Plumb — educator and administrator
Martin L. Ruetenik — vegetable specialist and innovator
Arthur L. Smith — vegetable grower and industry leader
Howard J. Ziegler — farmer and livestock breeder
- 1970:** **Cosmas D. Blubaugh** — soil and water conservationist
Edmund Secrest — educator and forester
John A. Slipher — educator and soil conservationist
Samuel S. Studebaker — farmer and farm credit leader
- 1971:** **Bryce C. Browning** — conservationist and educator
Benjamin Basil Brumley — farmer and cooperative leader
George L. Cooley — cooperative leader and grape grower
Wheeler J. Welday — fruit grower and industry leader



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- 1972:** **Charles A. Dambach** — educator and conservationist
LeRoy Albert Demorest — inventor and beef cattle breeder
F. Edward Seitz — vegetable grower and industry leader
Charles Julius Williard — educator and agronomy industry leader
- 1973:** **Wilbur H. Bruner** — educator and animal scientist
Max M. Scarff — farmer and seed producer
Lewis F. Warbington — cooperative leader and humanitarian
Carlos Grant Williams — educator and administrator
- 1974:** **Lewis Charles Chadwick** — educator and horticulturist
John M. Davis — dairy farmer and industry leader
Earl W. McMunn — agriculture editor and writer
Douglas Stanfield — educator and farm organization leader
- 1975:** **Wayne Brown** — marketer and retailer
A.B. Evans — purebred livestock breeder and farmer
Walter R. Krill — educator and administrator
Thomas S. Sutton — educator and researcher
- 1976:** **A.Z. Baker** — marketer and organization leader
Joel S. Coffey — educator and livestock industry leader
John H. Dunlap — farmer and conservationist
John D. Siebenthaler — nursery and landscape industry leader
- 1977:** **Walter L. Bluck** — educator and farmer
Darwin R. Bryan — youth leader
John M. Grierson — farmer and farm credit leader
Warren G. Weiler — educator and administrator
- 1978:** **Max Drake** — dairy industry leader
Charles S. Latchaw — farm organization leader
Forest Don Loudenslager — farmer and hog producer
Lottie M. Randolph — agricultural leader and homemaker
- 1979:** **Joseph W. Fichter** — teacher and lecturer
Elden R. Groves — farmer and communicator
C. Clayton Terrell — grain and livestock farmer
Dwight Wise, Sr — grain, dairy and beef cattle farmer
- 1980:** **Leonard M. Bettinger** — pioneer in nursery industry
Martin Luther Howell — dairy industry leader
Thomas C. Kennard — innovative environmentalist
Kenneth N. Probasco — agribusiness leader
- 1981:** **Beatrice J. Cleveland** — 4-H youth leader
Richard H. Kellogg — pioneer in artificial dairy breeding
Robert C. Miller — agri-newscaster and youth supporter
William H. Zipf — agribusiness communicator



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- 1982:** **Ralph E. Bender** — educator and administrator
Harry A. Caton — farm organization leader
Willard W. Ellenwood — orchardist and livestock breeder
Everett G. Royer — farm manager and soybean leader
- 1983:** **Roy M. Kottman** — educator, leader and innovator
John Sawyer — environmentalist and industry leader
Henry H. Schriver — lecturer and cooperative leader
John M. Stackhouse — government leader and farmer
- 1984:** **Robert P. Hester** — farmer and cooperative leader
Ralph A. Howard — vocational educator
Suzanne Macino — government agricultural assistant
Harold L. Porter — government leader and plant specialist
- 1985:** **Robert O. Grieser** — farmer and conservationist
Cecil H. Robinson — farmer and corn seed producer
Wilbur “Bill” Stuckey — educator and safety specialist
Charles E. Wyckoff — farmer and electric cooperative leader
- 1986:** **Wallace Barr** — educator and economist
Dale T. Friday — educator and exhibition leader
D.C. Kiplinger — educator, floricultural and organizational specialist
Lawrence E. Kunkle — educator and meat specialist
- 1987:** **Samuel C. Cashman** — journalist and organizational specialist
Floyd I. Lower — educator and potato specialist
Jacob McQueen — lecturer and soybean pioneer
Frank B. Sollars — organizational and financial specialist
- 1988:** **Earl F. Kantner** — educator and youth leader
John H. Klippart — author, narrator and organization leader
James M. Lewis — farmer and dairy breeder
Eugene C. Wittmeyer — educator, researcher and horticulturist
- 1989:** **Louis Bromfield** — author and conservationist
James E. Dougan — educator and vocational agriculture leader
Wilbur A. Gould — educator and food processing leader
Fred H. Johnson — beef cattle breeder and leader
- 1990:** **George G. Greenleaf** — agriculture leader and consultant
Reuben R. Jones — dairy farmer and conservationist
Edward Huber — inventor and industrialist
Homer Price — educator, leader and horticulturist
- 1991:** **Roy Battles** — agriculture communicator
Shirley A. Brooks — agricultural liaison assistant
Ralph Grimshaw — educator and animal scientist
Oscar Share — educator and leader

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George Gist, Jr — agronomist and leader
Berlin W. Kagy — veterinarian and artificial insemination innovator
William E. Krauss — researcher, leader and administrator
- 1993:** **Floyd Heft** — soil and water conservationist
Earl Poling — dairy marketer and educator
James Utzinger — educator and horticulturist
Merlin D. Woodruff — auctioneer
- 1994:** **Bob Evans** — “Sausage King” and environmentalist
Robert Gottesman — wine industry leader
William J. Richards — farmer and conservationist
Dean W. Simeral — lobbyist for rural Ohio
- 1995:** **Clarence Durban** — conservationist
Clifton Kerns (C.K.) Elliott — agricultural marketer
William D. Fulton — horticulturist
George W. Smidley — inventor
- 1996:** **Carl S. Akey** — livestock feed industry entrepreneur
Richard Dawson — pork industry leader
Freeman S. Howlett — educator and horticulturist
J. Gordon Riehl — cooperative leader
- 1997:** **Arnett J. Gordin** — farmer and humanitarian
G. Edwin “Ed” Johnson — agricultural communicator
C. William Swank — leader and spokesperson for agriculture
Vernon L. Tharp, DVM — veterinarian and educator
- 1998:** **Richard H. L. Chichester III** — animal geneticist
Edward Oxley Elliott — livestock marketer and restaurateur
George R. Johnson — educator and animal scientist
Douglas J. Michael — potato grower
- 1999:** **Vernon R. Cahill** — educator and meat specialist
Ralph Cobey — engineer and farm equipment dealer
Pat Leimbach — author and public speaker
James Patterson — fruit grower and organizational leader
- 2000:** **James F. Cavanaugh** — dairy industry leader
Charles Ingraham — agricultural economist
Robert E. Jacobson — dairy marketing specialist and educator
Robert D. Scherer — agriculture advocate and cooperative leader
- 2001:** **Richard Anderson** — agribusiness, retail, processing & manufacturing
Gene Isler — pork breeder and educator
Mark List — agricultural public servant
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- 2002:** **Herman Brubaker** — dairy producer and cooperative leader
William Henry Conklin — dairy marketer
Fred H. Deering — government leader
Richard Hummel — educator
- 2003:** **L. Eugene Byers** — cattle breeder, veterinarian, legislator
William James Eyssen — horticulturist
Jack C. Foust — cattle breeder and public servant
Bill Funderburg — swine breeder and producer
- 2004:** **Shirley Boyd** — agricultural youth and women advocate
Wib. H. Justi — youth and organizational leader
John Stevenson — farmer and agricultural conservationist
Esther McDanel Welch — dairy farmer and journalist
- 2005:** **Clarence J. Cunningham** — extension leader
Neal F. Schirm — Jersey cattle breeder and dairy producer
Robert W. Teater — agricultural conservationist
John D. Weaver — egg production businessman
- 2006:** **William L. Ingalls** — veterinarian and educator
Tom McNutt — agricultural communicator and educator
Michael L. Wagner — organizational leader
Paul L. Wright — attorney and educator
- 2007:** **Ohio Columbus Barber** — agricultural pioneer and industrialist
Linus “Lenny” B. Losh — soil and water conservationist
Tom Price — farmer innovator
Bobby D. VanStavern — business leader
- 2008:** **R. Craig Fendrick** — Farm Science Review leader
James R. Helt — 4-H youth leader
Donald H. Schriver — dairy industry cooperative leader
William Preston Stalter — green industry leader
- 2009:** **A.I. (Irv) Bell** — swine farmer and agricultural leader
John C. Foltz — government leader
Andrew L. Stevens — agricultural communicator and dairy farmer
Roy Allen Wallace — beef genetic breeding pioneer
- 2010:** **Fred L. Dailey** — government and agricultural leader
Guy R. Flora — sheep industry leader and producer
Mary Lou Pfeiffer Saunway — farm broadcasting pioneer
Lawrence G. Vance — soil and water conservationist
- 2011:** **Edwin J. Carey** — poultry farmer
Lester Lynd — fruit grower
Dr. Thomas B. Turner — educator and cattle breeder
Fred Yoder — grain farmer and leader

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