Class 17
Seminar #5

Theme
NYS Agricultural Society Annual Forum – Technology, Equine Industry, Conflict Management

Holiday Inn Liverpool
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Liverpool, NY 13088
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Seminar Goals:
1. Network with LEAD alumni and other industry leaders at the annual forum
2. Learn about technology and its impact on agriculture (Ag Society theme)
3. Learn about the equine industry in NYS
4. Improve writing skills
5. Learn about conflict management approaches

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12/20/2017
**Agenda: (semi-final as of 12/20/17)**

**Thursday, January 4, 2018: (Dress is business attire)**

**Facilitator: Emmaline Long**

8:30  Registration, Exhibits (class members get name tags at display booth)
9:30  Welcome, Beth Claypool (class 8) Society Board President (CC)
9:45  Society Business Meeting (CC)

Annual Agricultural Forum
“Harnessing the Power of Agricultural Technology”

10:00  Gregg Halverson, Black Gold Farms – (CC)
      Also Dale Hemminger, Jim Livengood and Dr. Christine Smart
11:30  Networking Time – Vendor Booths (Move audience to BR)
12:30  Lunch and Award’s Presentation
2:30  Break (move audience back to CC when ready)
2:50  Dr. Nick Dokoozlian, EJ Gallo Winery (CC)
      Also Rich Wildman and Craig Yunker (class 3)
4:15  Closing Remarks
5:15  Reception (move audience to BR)
6:15  Banquet dinner and awards (back in CC)
8:30  Adjourn
9:00  LEAD New York Hospitality Suite for alumni and guests
      (Parlor 139 & Boardroom 4)

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**Friday, January 5, 2018: (Dress is business casual – warm for afternoon tours)**

**Facilitator: Katie Carpenter**

7:00  Breakfast in hotel (w/ Ag Ambassadors) (Cotillion 2 Hall)
7:45  Class member panel for Ag Ambassadors – Katie Carpenter & Larry (moderator)
      Chris Flansburg, Natasha Thompson, Eileen Jensen, Anthony Colangelo

Facilitator: Steve Stout

8:30  Writing workshop (Cotillion 1 Hall)
      Julie Young (cl. 11), Matt Hayes, Melissa Osgood (cl. 12),
      Jenn Huson (cl. 17)
11:30  Depart by bus for afternoon tours
12:30  Lunch at Copper Turret in Morrisville (Sponsored by Triple Crown Nutrition)

3:45  Move to Whispering Hill Equestrian Center, 2993 US Rt. 20 Cazenovia
4:00  Whispering Hill EC – Jo Hennington
Facilitator: Katie Carpenter
5:00  Move to dinner location – Empire Brewing, Rt. 13, Cazenovia
5:15  Tour and dinner at Empire Brewing, Cazenovia
7:30  Return by bus to hotel
8:00  Adjourn, hospitality (February facilitator meeting, use this time for debate prep) (Parlor 139 & Boardroom 4)

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**Saturday, January 6, 2018: (Dress is business casual)**

**Facilitator: Raquel Gonzalez**

7:00  Breakfast in hotel, check out (March facilitator meeting) (Onondaga E Room)
      Meet w/ peer coaching group, discuss development goal
8:00  Conflict Workshop – Larry (Cotillion 1 Hall)
11:00  Debriefing and Study trip announcement
12:00  Lunch – provided; housekeeping (Onondaga E Room)
1:00  Adjourn; depart for home; Optional tour – Sunoco ethanol plant,
      376 Owens Rd, Fulton, NY 13069 – Erin Tones