



Faces of Leadership Fayette County



Shane Dragan, LFC 2004

LFC provided a great opportunity for us to meet people who had similar interests in the different aspects of Southern West Virginia's economy. It allowed us to branch out during an important time in our education to get a glimpse of opportunities in our communities. As the start of my professional life as an MD approaches, I find myself reaching back and using many of the skills that were presented to me during the program.



Lauren Booth, LFC 2006

LFC was an outstanding experience building life skills and friendships I would not have otherwise gained without the program. I graduated from WVU and am now working as an accountant in Fayette County. Without the support from the community and local businesses integral to the LFC program, I'm sure I would not have been nearly as prepared to tackle the real world obstacles I faced after completing the program.



Rebecca Pollard, LFC 2008

I have earned undergraduate degrees in Animal Science and Biology; in 2013 I will enter Ross University to pursue a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree. LFC gave me the skills and confidence I needed to compete for that highly competitive vet school admission.



Mason Daniel, LFC 2012

LFC is by far the greatest thing Fayette County ever did for me. I think about the program on a regular basis and hope that one day maybe I can be a part of it again, even if I am an adult. Your program has had a great impact on whether or not I'll return to Fayette County when I join the work force. As of right now, I totally plan on bringing my talents back to the County when I am done with school.



Andrew Elliot, LFC 2013

My time in LFC was very fun, and at the same time it was also enlightening. I learned about my strengths and weaknesses as a leader in a setting that made it enjoyable. Without the program, I most likely would not have attended Governor's Honors Academy this summer.

Promoting essential leadership qualities while providing first hand experiences in business, government, and tourism sectors of Fayette County, West Virginia since 2001. Each year twelve to fourteen students are selected by application and interview to participate in the ten session program throughout their eleventh grade school year. Those who successfully complete the curriculum are awarded a \$1000 college scholarship to the school/training of their choice. In 2011 the program expanded to offer select sessions to all students who complete the application and interview process. Our goal is to provide Fayette County youth with the information and tools needed to enable them to make the choice to return to Fayette County to Live, Learn, Work and Play upon completion of their higher education. Scholarships and programming are made possible by donations through the 501C3 Fayette County Education Fund, Inc.

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