

Kentucky Extension Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Quick Facts

1913 – First Agent Educator/Specialist State Administrator hired – Helen B. Wolcott

1924 – Kentucky Home Agents Association Organized
Ida Hangman, Graves County was first president

*Our association has changed names three times since its original organization:

Kentucky Association of Home Demonstration Agents

Kentucky Association of Extension Home Economists

Kentucky Extension Association of Family and Consumer Sciences

1987 – Kentucky hosted its first national meeting, at Galt House, Louisville;
Theme was “Extension Triple Crown – People, Priorities, and Policies”

2014 – Kentucky hosted its second national meeting, at Hyatt Regency, Lexington:
Theme was “Win, Place, Show with NEAFCS”



WIN with research-based educational programming

PLACE a priority on teaching excellence and sharing knowledge

SHOW positive impact for individuals, families, and communities

*Special notes

- Dues for National organization in 1937 were \$.25
- Early agents had to resign if getting married or having a baby
- \$50 per state officer was allotted to attend National meeting
- Dues in 1960 were \$14.50 and Kentucky had 116 members
- First male FCS agent was Bill Mallory (1998-2001), Fayette County
- NEAFCS dues in 2018 were \$100