

WASHINGTON COUNTY 4-H PROJECT AWARD

Dear 4-H Member:

A very simple Project Award Application Form along with your Record Book will be used for County Project Award selections. In order for you to be considered for a Project Award, you must have met your club's requirements this year. Project Award selection will be made on the county level in September. Recipients will receive notification.

4-H members are encouraged to apply for Project Awards to be recognized at the 4-H Achievement/Recognition Celebration Night. If you feel you have done an outstanding job in one or more of your projects and you meet the qualifications for a Project Award, complete the Project Award Application Form and return it to your General Leader with your Record Book by your club deadline.

The guidelines for Project Award Application Forms are as follows:

1. You only need **one** Project Award Application Form for **all** of the Project Awards for which you are applying. Make sure you mark your grade as of June of the current year. You may apply for **up to five Project Awards**. You must have completed all requirements on the Project Award Application Form for each Project.
2. Your Project Award Application Form must be signed. Ask your General Leader to **sign** your Application Form. If your parent is the Leader, please have another Leader from your club sign your Project Award Application.
3. Hand in your Project Award Application Form with your Record Book to your General Leader when your club's Record Books are due. An Awards Committee from your club will review your Project Award Application and Record Book to make sure it meets the criteria. Those books that meet the criteria will be forwarded to the county for consideration.
4. Your General Leader will turn in your signed Project Award Application Form and your Record Book to the UW-Extension Office by **September 1**. **It is your responsibility to find out when your General Leader needs the Record Book turned in at the club level. Note that this is usually in early August.**

First-time recipients will receive a wooden display plaque. All Project Award recipients receive a medallion(s) to mount on the plaque.

Good Luck!!

Selection is based entirely on your Project Record Sheet. Make sure you include enough information on your project sheet to help reviewers understand the work you did this year. It will be evaluated on the following:

- Goals:** What you plan to do or learn
- Project Experiences:** What you learned and did - project meetings, county/state/regional workshops, demonstrations, new skills, photos/drawings/clippings of your work
- Accomplishments:** What you achieved (meeting goals, challenging projects)
- Leadership:** How you have taught others what you have learned (youth leader, teaching at community events)

PROJECT AWARD APPLICATION FORM

Name _____

Age _____ Grade _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

4-H Club _____

Years in 4-H _____

I have circled the Project Awards for which I want to be considered (**limit 5**). (You must be enrolled in the Project in which you are applying for an Award.) Projects are listed alphabetically. **Note: If the project meeting, financial records and Experience Section is not completed, the book will NOT be considered for an award.**

Remember, pictures of projects help tell your story.

Project Awards Available (CIRCLE no more than 5)

Adventures	Creative Writing	Horseless Horse	Service Learning
Air Rifle	Crocheting	House Plants	Sheep
Archery	Crops	International	Shotgun
Arts (Art 1 & 2)	Dairy	Knitting	Small Engine
Basketry, Envi Ed	Dog	Leathercraft	Speaking
Beef	Drawing & Painting	Llama/Alpaca	Swine
Bees	Electricity	Model Horse	Theatre Arts (Drama)
Bicycling	Entomology	Music	Tractors
Birds	Exploring	Muzzleloading	Vegetables
Cake Decorating	Exploring Your	Pets	Vet Science
Cats	Environment	Photography	Videography
Cavies	Fishing	Plant Crafts	Water
Ceramics	Flowers	Poultry	Weather
Child Development	Food & Nutrition	Quilting	Wildlife
Citizenship	Food Preservation	Rabbits	Winter Travel
Clothes Horse	Forestry	Recycling	Woodworking
Clothing	Fruits	Rifle .22	Wool Spinning
Clowning	Geocaching	Robotics	Youth Leadership
Computers	Goat	Rocketry	Other (please list)
Communications	Health	Scale Models	_____
Consumer Savvy	Home Environment	Self-Determined	_____
Creative Stitchery	Horse	Scrapbooking	_____

For Leader Use Only: Leader Confirmation

County Project Award Requirements:

To be eligible for a county Award, a member must have done the following: (Please check)

- 1. Turned in a completed Record Book to club and county level.
- 2. Included a completed Project Sheet for the Award in which the member is applying.
- 3. Exhibited at the County Fair in the Project being considered for an Award.
- 4. Participated in two club and two county programs/activities.
- 5. Completed Record Book must be the work of the 4-H member.

General Leader Signature _____

General Leader Comments: _____

DUE September 1

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Return Project Award Application and Record Book to: