

Outstanding Young Farmer Eligibility:

- Applicants should be age 37 or less on January 1st of 2008.
- Any type of farming enterprise is eligible, but at least two-thirds (2/3) of the applicant's gross income must be derived from farming.
- Applicant can be the farm owner, operator, or manager involved in a farm business.

Judging Criteria:

- Progress in ag career (50%)
- Soil and water conservation (25%)
- Community activities (25%)

Please submit nominations by **November 30, 2007**. Send to:

The Wausau Region
Chamber of Commerce

Attn: Agribusiness Director
PO Box 6190

Wausau, WI 54402-6190

Fax: (715) 845-6235

E-mail: info@wausauchamber.com

Recipients will be recognized at the Farm City Dinner on March 14, 2008.

One local candidate/couple will be selected to compete at the State Young Farmer Competition in January 2009.

For a list of past recipients, please visit marathon.uwex.edu or call 261-1230.



Marathon County Agricultural Society is the proud sponsor of the Outstanding Young Farmer Awards.



Marathon County Outstanding Young Farmer Nomination Form



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Recognizing the achievements of those dedicated to their farm business and community.

Outstanding Young Farmer Nomination Form

Your Name:

Your Company:

Address:

Your Daytime Phone:

Your E-mail:

**Applicants will be recognized at the
Farm City Dinner on March 14, 2008.**

_____ **Yes**, I would be willing to
purchase two (2) tickets to the
Farm City Dinner for the
candidate(s) I am nominating.

_____ **No**, thank you. Please seek
another sponsor to purchase the
tickets.

Tickets to the Farm City Dinner will cost
approximately \$25/person. You will be
notified if the candidate(s) you nominate
complete an application.

I NOMINATE:

Name:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

**Tell us why you are nominating this
individual or couple.**

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**NOMINATION DEADLINE:
December 3, 2007**

No more than two nominations per business/individual.

Please return this form to:

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