

**SELECTION PROCEDURE FOR PROJECT AWARD APPLICANTS AND *SPECIAL
PROJECT AWARD APPLICANTS - 2009**

1. All 4-H members are encouraged to apply for project awards in any project they are currently enrolled in or an activity they have participated in this 4-H year.
2. A project award consists of a pin with an emblem or name of the specific project area or activity on it. This award is presented at the Rock County 4-H Achievement Program. Special Projects Awards have additional recognition.
3. The project and activity areas include the following:

Agriculture	Electricity	Models
Aerospace	Entomology	Music
Beef	Exploring	Naturespace
Bicycle	Field Crops	Photography
Camping	Flowers/Home Grounds	Poultry
Cats	Food Preservation	Public Speaking
Cavies	Foods & Nutrition	Rabbits
Child Development	Foods Revue	Recreation
Clothing	Fundraising	Sheep
Cloverbuds	Gardening	Shooting Sports
Community Service	Geology	Small Engines
Computers	Goats	Style Revue
Crocheting	Home Environment	Swine
Dairy	Horse & Pony	Tractor
Demonstrations	Horseless Horse	Woodworking
Dogs	Horticulture	Veterinary Science
Drama	Knitting	Visual Arts
Drawing & Painting	Leathercraft	Youth Leadership

***Special Project Awards - For members in 9th Grade and above as of 10-01-09.**

Note: You may only win a Special Project Award one time.

Agricultural Award (must write on one of the following projects: Beef, Dairy, Horse & Pony, Dairy Goat, Swine, Sheep, Poultry, Rabbit, Vet Science, Field Crops)

Jerry Quade Memorial Award (must write on Woodworking)

Rosabel Dwyer Memorial Award (must write on Flowers, Home Grounds or Gardening)

Dorothy Hegge Memorial Award (must write on one of the following projects: Child Development, Home Environment or Foods & Nutrition)

Crowley Dairy Leadership Award (must write on Dairy)

4. A member may fill out many project award applications, yet can receive only one project award in a year.
5. **THE ORIGINAL AND FIVE (5) COPIES MUST BE SUBMITTED.** All members must submit a NEW Project Award application each year. No forms completed in previous years will be considered by the committee.
A member may reapply for the same award each year.

6. The Project Award Evaluation

- a. A Leaders Council rotating committee of youth and adults from different clubs evaluates the forms.
 - b. Each member of this committee reads and evaluates the forms which have only numbers on them, no names. These scores are averaged to determine the member's score.
 - c. Criteria for rating Project Award applications:
 - 1) Outline list or narrative. Be concise, be sure to only include information on the current project year.
 - 2) Knowledge and skills gained:
 - what new things were learned?
 - list what was learned and not what was done
 - do NOT include ribbons or awards that were won
 - 3) Leadership Responsibilities:
 - How were other members or leaders helped?
 - Demonstrations, talks, action centers that were done.
 - If a junior superintendent, what tasks were performed?
 - 4) Neatness
 - d. Scoring of the Project Awards:
 - 1) Cloverbuds (grades K - 2) will be rated as follows:

Knowledge and skills gained	90%
Neatness	10%
 - 2) Members in grades 3-8 will be rated as follows:

Knowledge and skills gained	80%
Leadership Responsibilities	10%
Neatness	10%
 - 3) Members in grade 9 or above will be rated as follows:

Knowledge and skills gained	45%
Leadership Responsibilities	45%
Neatness	10%
 - 4) Deductions will be made for the following areas:
 - If pages are added or if the form is written on the back - minus 10%
 - If information is included on past 4-H years rather than just the current year - minus 10%
 - No Leader Signature - minus 10%
 - Leaving any blanks empty - minus 10%
7. If you have any questions about Project Awards, please contact Project Awards Key Leaders Sally Reisem at 882-6673 or Judy Schambow at 743-1473.

ROCK COUNTY 4-H PROJECT OR *SPECIAL PROJECT AWARD APPLICATION
DUE SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

Current Grade: _____
Years in 4-H: _____
Fair Exhibitor # _____

Project _____ Years in Project _____

*For 9th graders and up only, check if applicable:
_____ I am applying for consideration for the _____ Special Award

DO NOT ADD PAGES!!!

Name _____ Grade _____ Fair Exhibitor # _____

Club _____ Project Leader Signature _____

Return **THE ORIGINAL AND FIVE (5) COPIES** to 4-H Project Awards
Committee, Rock County UWEX Office, Courthouse, 51 So. Main St.,
Janesville, WI 53545.