## FortisAlberta 4-H Alberta Community Cares Contest – Judging Criteria

Each club in the South, East Central, West Central and Northeast Regions is eligible to participate in the inaugural FortisAlberta 4-H Alberta Community Cares Contest. One winning club from each of the four regions will be selected by a panel of judges, and awarded \$1,000 each for a total of \$4,000 in prizes.



Participating clubs are asked to record and submit a Journey that documents their community improvement project from start to finish, following the criteria listed below.

## Contest is available for submissions from September 1 2012 to June 1, 2013

Each entry will be judged based on the following criteria:

	Criteria	Value
1)	Has the club successfully incorporated all members in carrying out and completing the activity?	/10
1)	Has the club: defined goals for the project, set a plan and strategy, carried out the initiative, and evaluated their success?	/5
2)	How well has the club promoted and communicated the activity to the local community (and beyond?)	/10
3)	Has the club successfully completed the activity? Does it have a lasting impact on, and value to, the community in which it was completed?	/15
4)	<ul> <li>Quality of project journey submitted – may include use of: <ul> <li>a. Promotional Materials – Social Media, Local Media (newspapers, radio, local newsletters, flyers, posters, etc.) [Value: 5]</li> <li>b. Photographs and video – before &amp; after, documenting various steps along the way, club members completing the activity [Value: 5]</li> <li>c. Documenting the journey – participating in the Community Cares Contest Facebook page, keeping a journal of planning, completing, and evaluating the project, photo journal, etc.* [Value: 10]</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	/20
Total		/60

<sup>\*</sup>The Journey may be submitted to the 4-H Foundation of Alberta to the 4-H Alberta Facebook event page. For More Information, Please Contact:

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