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Calgary Stampede Youth and Agriculture in Action Showcase Inquiry Form

Yes! We/I am interested in participating in this great opportunity!

Name: _____

Club: _____

Phone #: _____ Cell #: _____

Email: _____

1. I would like to participate on the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Option A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Option B</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Option C</u>
Tuesday, July 13 and Wednesday, July 14	Thursday, July 15 and Friday, July 16	Saturday, July 17 and Sunday, July 18

2. I would like to participate as an individual.

I would like to participate as a group.

of participants in our group ____.

3. I would like to participate without a project.

I would like to bring a project.

Description of projects we are planning to bring:



Dear 4-H Leaders and Members,

Re: Youth and Agriculture in Action Showcase

The Calgary Stampede would like to invite 4-H Districts, Clubs, and/or individual 4-H members to participate or display their various 4-H projects.

The Calgary Stampede, known as the Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth, is a 10-day western festival that takes place during the month of July each year. The Calgary Stampede presents spectacular cultural exhibits, midway, agricultural programming, rodeo, chuckwagon racing and an evening show.

For many years, the Calgary Stampede and Alberta 4-H have partnered to showcase Alberta's youth and thriving agriculture industry, through 4-H on Parade, 4-H Rodeo, 4-H Camp Awards and Regional/Provincial Communications. New to 2010 is an opportunity for this relationship to grow with the Youth and Agriculture in Action Showcase. During the Calgary Stampede an area of the Agriculture Building will be transformed into an engaging and energetic 4-H Showcase.

We are currently accepting participants for the following dates:

<u>Option A</u>	<u>Option B</u>	<u>Option C</u>
Tuesday, July 13 and Wednesday, July 14	Thursday, July 15 and Friday, July 16	Saturday, July 17 and Sunday, July 18

Each participant will be provided with a Calgary Stampede exhibitor pass (access to the grandstand rush areas for the rodeo, chuckwagon races, and evening show) and well as access to our exhibitor parking lot and agriculture exhibitor shuttle for the duration of their participation.

Together we can engage 1.2 million guests of the Calgary Stampede into the world of agriculture through the eyes of today's youth. For our guests, the 4-H showcase offers the chance to see and learn about 4-H and their projects ranging from business to photography, and various livestock to web design. We are also excited to have Alberta 4-H Ambassadors join us for these days.

We realize this is also a great opportunity for 4-H clubs to use this as a recruitment tool as well as individual members to showcase their projects and talents. This opportunity also covers the Community Outreach component of the 4-H Diary.

Come share in this great opportunity to showcase Youth and Agriculture in Action.

If you or your club are interested in participating in this unique occasion, please submit the attached form by Thursday June 10, 2010 (space is limited) to one of the two contacts listed at the top of the form.

Sincerely,

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