

## **4-H Leader Opportunities**

- **Do you love going to the Alberta 4-H Leaders Conference?**
- **Are you interested in livestock judging?**
- **Does traveling appeal to you?**
- **Are you a registered leader for at least 5 years?**

If you answered **YES** to any or all of the above questions, you will certainly not want to miss the travel opportunities available to leaders from the Northeast Region for 2011. Refer to the descriptions below for this year's **Leader Development Opportunities**.

### **National 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Forum**

Toronto, Ontario: November 3 – 7, 2011

There hasn't been a leader on this trip who didn't come back saying this conference was one of their best experiences as a 4-H leader. About 50 leaders from across Canada take part in sessions, tours of Toronto, guest speakers, and much more! Don't miss the chance to attend this very popular event.

### **Montana 4-H Leaders' Forum – Location and Date TBA**

September / October 2011

This event is held annually at locations around the state to provide a forum for the gathering of ideas for leaders and jr. leaders. The Forum includes workshops on a variety of topics related to 4-H projects and to overall youth development, as well as, updates on programming and recognition for outstanding achievements. This is an exciting event for leaders, new and old, and provides a wonderful opportunity to meet others from across the state.

### **Ontario 4-H Volunteer Conference**

Waterloo Ontario: February, 2012

This program is held annually and involves 4-H leaders from across Ontario (similar to our own Alberta Leaders Conference). Ontario Volunteer Leader's Conference provides an opportunity for our Alberta leader to gain skills in projects, and leadership, as well as share ideas with leaders from another province.

### **Chaperone Opportunities**

- ✚ Individuals accepting chaperone responsibilities will assist the program coordinator with supervision of delegates, program administration and other duties as required.
- ✚ Individuals must have at least two years of experience as 4-H leaders or alumni.
- ✚ Individuals may apply for chaperone opportunities once every two years.
- ✚ Individuals may apply for leader development opportunities two years after attending a chaperone program.
- ✚ Individuals are not required to pay a registration fee

### **Montana 4-H Congress**

Bozeman, Montana – July 1 – 4, 2011

The chaperone is expected to assist with driving. While at the congress, the leader will participate in a variety of activities, observe Montana 4-H members exhibiting their projects and attend a personal development session.

### **Northwest Territories**

Yellowknife: Summer 2011 - TWO

4-H leaders will accompany up to 25 4-H members and one program coordinator on a two-week trip from Edmonton to Yellowknife, NWT. Primary duties include assisting with supervision, grocery buying, and other duties as required. While on this trip, the chaperons tour various agriculture sites, tourist attractions, and transportation venues. All participants camp in tents, make their own meals and travel together on a bus for ten days.

**Please fill out the application on the reverse of this form to be considered for any or all of the above opportunities and return to the Regional office.**

***If you don't apply you will never know!!!***

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

Completed Years of Leadership \_\_\_\_\_

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**Describe Involvement**

- 4-H

Club(s) \_\_\_\_\_

District \_\_\_\_\_

Regional \_\_\_\_\_

Provincial \_\_\_\_\_

- Community

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- Have you participated in a Leader Travel Opportunity before? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please list the trip(s) and date(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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\*\*\*Please rank the trips, with 1 being your first choice\*\*\*

\_\_\_\_\_ National 4-H Volunteer Leaders Conference – November 2 - 6, 2011 *Toronto, Ontario*

\_\_\_\_\_ Ontario 4-H Volunteers Leader Forum – February 2012

\_\_\_\_\_ Montana 4-H Leaders' Forum – September / October 2011

\_\_\_\_\_ NWT – Summer 2011 (Chaperone)

\_\_\_\_\_ Montana 4-H Congress – July 1 – 4, 2011 (Chaperone)

\_\_\_\_\_ Not available for the above trips, but will be considered if others come available

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please forward your application to:

**DEADLINE: APRIL 30, 2011**

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