

# Northeast Region 4-H Award of Distinction

## Purpose

This award is to recognize 4-H volunteers and friends of 4-H in the Northeast 4-H Region who have acted as ambassadors for 4-H. These people exemplify 4-H spirit, dedication, commitment, involvement and a true belief in the 4-H program. 4-H has had much influence and been a large part of their lives.

## Award

Recipients of this award will have their picture hung on the Wall of Distinction at the Regional Office of Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development in Vermilion. The recipients will also receive personal mementos. The award will be presented at the Leader Recognition Banquet at the Northeast Regional Forum.

## Who Is Eligible

Any 4-H volunteer or friend of 4-H, whether active or previously involved in 4-H in the Northeast Region is eligible. This involvement should be for at least 10 years. Posthumous nominations will not be accepted. Individuals already recognized in the Provincial 4-H Hall of Fame are not eligible for this regional award.

## Selection Criteria

Awards are based on 4-H involvement and contribution, with consideration in community involvement. Decisions are based only on the information provided in the nomination pages. Be sure to complete all parts of the nomination: 4-H History, Basis of Nomination, Testimonial and Community Involvement sections.

## Nominations

Each District Council in the Northeast Region may nominate a maximum of three recipients for the 4-H Award of Distinction each year. The Northeast Regional 4-H Council may nominate one 4-H volunteer or friend of 4-H for this award. Applications via the regional council must be sent to the regional executive by May 15<sup>th</sup>.

The nominating committee is to follow the outline provided, supply the required signatures, and limit the nomination information to 4 pages and 3 testimonial letters.

## Nomination Deadline

Nominations are due in the 4-H office in Vermilion by **May 15, 2011**.

Mail the completed nomination to: Regional 4-H Office  
Box 24, Provincial Building  
4701 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Vermilion, AB T9X 1J9

## Selection Committee

Denise Hauca, Lyndon Mansell, \_\_\_\_\_

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Attach a completed Section A to the front of the nomination papers. Please be concise in completing Sections B, C and D, limiting the information to four typed pages. Point form is acceptable. Limit Section E to three testimonials - two 4-H and one community. Letters should identify if the person is a 4-H or community reference.

### A. Nomination Information

Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

### Nominators (3 requested)

Name and Signature	Address	Telephone

Nominating District 4-H Council \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of an executive member of this council \_\_\_\_\_

### B. 4-H History

Provide details on club, district, regional and committee activities. Be specific about the individual's involvement, giving dates, awards and achievements.

### C. Basis of Nomination

Clearly explain why you believe this 4-H volunteer or Friend of 4-H exemplifies the purpose of this 4-H award. Please give specific examples.

### D. Community Involvement

Identify community group membership and contributions made to the community.

### E. Testimonials

Please include two 4-H references and one community reference. Only testimonials reflecting the purpose of this award will be considered.