

Lyon County 4-H Additional Awards

All applications are due to the Lyon County Extension Office by October 1

**** 4-H Members may receive once as a Jr(4-6), Int.(7-8), and Sr (9-12).*

ACHIEVEMENT (6 awards)

Club leaders' or adult's recognition of 4-H'ers who have shown outstanding personal growth through participation in a variety of 4-H projects and involvement. Recommendation should contain documentation of personal growth through participation in the project areas.

MERIT (6 awards)

Club leaders' or adult's recognition of 4-H'ers who have shown outstanding personal growth through citizenship, community and club leadership and unselfish service to others. Recommendation should contain documentation of the 4-H'ers personal growth in unselfish service to others.

****4-H Members may receive the following awards only once during their 4-H career.*

OUTSTANDING 4-H'er AWARD (2 awards)

Recognition for a 4-H member for outstanding leadership to their local club, county and possibility out-of-county activities through project areas. The 4-H member should be involved in activities other than 4-H such as school, church, and community. 4-H members need to apply for this award, be ***at least a Junior in high school***, and to document their leadership in the various areas. A leader/mentor's recommendation is necessary.

AK-SAR-BEN (1 award)

To recognize 4-H members, who are making significant progress toward maturity and leadership through their involvement to the 4-H program. Evidence of this service should be at the local club, county council, county fairs, area events, and other activities. Members do not need to exhibit at AK-SAR-BEN. 4-H members need to apply for this award, be ***at least a Junior in high school***, and be able to document leadership within the 4-H program and other areas. A leader/mentor's recommendation is necessary.

Lyon County's Leadership Awards Application

Name _____ Club _____

Please check the award in which you would like to apply. You will need a recommendation from an adult which can be your club leader, teacher, or a mentor that has been involved with you. *Please fill out a separate form for each of these award areas that you wish to apply for.*

- Merit (6 awards available - may receive once as a Jr., Int., Sr.)
- Achievement (6 awards available - may receive once as a Jr., Int.,Sr.)
- Outstanding 4-H'er Award (2 awards available - may receive only once in 4-H career)
- AK-SAR-BEN (1 award available - may receive only once in 4-H career)

Recommendation: (Provide a short explanation of how this 4-H member has shown leadership and personal growth. Include leadership within the 4-H settings as well as opportunities that may have occurred at school, church, or other organizations.) _____

Club Leader/Teacher/Mentor

Date: