

CATEGORY: (AWARD)
SUBMIT: OHIO 4-H ACHIEVEMENT RECORD
WITH TRANSMITTAL FORM
TO: STATE 4-H OFFICE – ALLEN AUCK
BY: JANUARY 28, 2005

STATE 4-H ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Background and Purpose

Ohio 4-H Achievement awards were established in 1991 to highlight overall 4-H achievement in a particular program area. There are currently 19 program areas which include: Beef, Citizenship & Community Service, Clothing & Textiles, Dairy, Dairy Goat, Environmental Sciences, Family Life & Child Development, Foods & Nutrition, Gardening & Horticulture, Health & Safety, Horse, Leadership, Mechanical & Engineering Science, Personal Development, Rabbits & Poultry, Sheep, Shooting Sports, Swine and Veterinary Science.

Selection Procedures and Criteria

All 4-H members are eligible who: 1) have at least reached their 14th birthday, but did not reach their 19th birthday, before January 1, 2005 (Note: 4-H membership ends December 31 of the year in which an individual attains the age of 19); 2) are currently enrolled as an Ohio 4-H member; 3) must have completed a minimum of one year participation in program area for which the achievement record is submitted; and 4) have not previously won a state achievement award.

NOTE: A former State Achievement Award winner in one program area is not eligible to apply for an achievement award in another program area. However, State Achievement award winners may reapply for recognition in non-achievement award categories; i.e. State 4-H Scholarships, National Dairy Conference, Ohio Township Association Local Government Award, John T. Mount Award, etc.

To apply for this award, members need to complete a State 4-H Achievement Record (according to the directions in the form) and submit it to the County Extension Office before the county deadline. County nominations must be submitted to the State 4-H Office no later than January 28, 2005. Applications postmarked on January 28, will be late and therefore ineligible for consideration.

4-H'ers must submit one (1) application for each award for which they wish to apply. For example, if Chris Clover applies for Sheep and Leadership awards, (s)he will submit two (2) applications. Photocopies are acceptable if the applications are identical.

Criteria for evaluation of State Achievement Award winners will include: 20% 4-H work, 20% 4-H participation, 10% 4-H honors, 10% 4-H community service/citizenship, 20% 4-H leadership, 10% offices and committee leadership, 5% non 4-H experiences, 5% personal 4-H story, and 5% activity and project photos.

One State Achievement Award winner will be selected at the state level in each program area by a State 4-H Awards Selection Committee.

The Award and its Presentation

A State 4-H "Award Announcement Letter" will be sent to County OSU Extension Offices the first week of March so that Extension Educators can notify winners personally. Individual follow-up letters and commitment forms will be sent directly to winners after March 21.

State Achievement Award winners will be publicly recognized at the Ohio 4-H Member Recognition Banquet. Each winner will receive an award plaque honoring their achievements. In addition, award recipients will receive a free trip to National 4-H Congress that is scheduled to be held in Atlanta, Georgia from November 25 through November 29, 2005.

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NATIONAL 4-H DAIRY CONFERENCE

Background and Purpose

The National 4-H Dairy Conference provides an excellent opportunity for 4-H'ers enrolled in Dairy projects to learn more about the dairy industry, as well as to meet youth from other states. The mission of the conference is to: reward delegates for their state level achievements in the area of dairy cows and dairy goats, provide delegates the opportunity to practice new dairy related skills, observe new dairy techniques, encourage delegates to conduct educational dairy activities in their local communities, foster an increased understanding and appreciation of the dairy industry, meet new people, and share ideas. Six 4-H members, preferably with a background in dairy cows and dairy goats, are selected annually to attend this conference.

Selection Procedures and Criteria

All 4-H members are eligible who: 1) have at least reached their 14th birthday, but did not reach their 19th birthday, before January 1, 2005 (Note: 4-H membership ends December 31 of the year in which an individual attains the age of 19); 2) are currently enrolled as an Ohio 4-H member; 3) have a permanent residence in Ohio at the time they participate in the conference; and 4) have not received this award before.

NOTE: Former National Dairy Conference winners are not eligible to apply for another National Dairy Conference trip. However, National Dairy Conference winners may reapply for recognition in other award categories; e.g. State Achievement Awards, State 4-H Scholarships, Ohio Township Association Award, John T. Mount Award, etc.

To apply for this award, members need to complete a State 4-H Achievement Record (according to the directions in the form) and submit it to the County Extension Office before the county deadline. County nominations must be submitted to the State 4-H Office prior to January 28, 2005.

Criteria for evaluation of National Dairy Conference winners is based on the candidates' record of achievement and 4-H dairy experiences listed in the Ohio Achievement Record.

Six National 4-H Dairy Conference winners will be selected at the state level by a State Awards Selection Committee.

The Award and Its Presentation

A State 4-H Award announcement letter will be sent to County Extension Offices the first week of March so that Extension Educators can notify winners personally. Individual follow-up letters and commitment forms will be sent directly to winners after March 21.

The six National 4-H Dairy Conference award winners will be publicly recognized at the Ohio 4-H Youth Recognition Banquet. Each winner will receive an award plaque honoring their achievements. In addition, winners will receive a free trip to the National 4-H Dairy Conference which is scheduled to be held at the University of Wisconsin in Madison, Wisconsin from October 2 through October 5, 2005.

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**OHIO TOWNSHIP ASSOCIATION
4-H LOCAL GOVERNMENT AWARD PROGRAM**

Background and Purpose

The Ohio Township Association (OTA) 4-H Local Government Award was established in an effort to encourage and inspire more 4-H teens to become responsible citizens who are involved in local government. This award is designed to reinforce the importance of having youth become contributing citizens in their communities. Two Local Government Award winners are selected annually to receive this award.

Selection Procedures and Criteria

All 4-H members are eligible who: 1) have achieved the academic rank of high school "senior"; 2) have completed a 4-H local government activity; 3) have a permanent residence in Ohio at the time they participate in the government activity; 4) have not previously won an OTA 4-H local government award; and 5) plan attend a college or university after graduating high school.

To apply for this award, members need to complete a State 4-H Achievement Record (according to the directions in the form) and submit it to the County Extension Office before the county deadline. County nominations must be submitted to the State 4-H Office prior to January 28, 2005.

Applicants should focus on their involvement in local government through 4-H, outline the experiences they had, summarize the knowledge and skills they gained, and describe the leadership and community service they provided. Criteria to be used in evaluating the applications will be: 25% on size and scope of the activity including experiences completed in the activity; 25% on knowledge, skills, and understanding related to the objectives of the program; 50% on results and impacts of the activity, including service and leadership provided.

Two OTA 4-H Local Government award winners will be selected at the state level by a State Awards Selection Committee.

The Award and its Presentation

A State 4-H Award announcement letter will be sent to County Extension Offices the first week of March so that Extension Educators can notify winners personally. Individual follow-up letters and commitment forms will be sent directly to winners after March 21.

The two OTA 4-H Local Government award winners will be publicly recognized at the Ohio 4-H Youth Recognition Banquet. Each winner will receive an award plaque for his/her outstanding work in completing a 4-H local government activity. In addition, each award recipient will receive a \$1,500.00 award from the Ohio Township Association.

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OHIO STATE JUNIOR FAIR BOARD

Background and Purpose

The Ohio State Junior Fair Board is comprised of outstanding individuals from each of the youth organizations represented at the Ohio State Fair, and serves to strengthen and help coordinate State Fair activities each year. Two 4-H representatives (one male and one female) are selected annually to serve a two-year term on the Ohio State Junior Fair Board.

Selection Procedures and Criteria

All 4-H members are eligible who: 1) are at least 16 years of age by January 1, 2005 and are not more than a sophomore in college; 2) are unmarried; 3) will be able to completely serve a two-year term; 4) are an active 4-H member in 2005; 5) have a permanent residence in Ohio at the time they serve; and 6) have not received this award before.

To apply for this opportunity, members need to complete a State 4-H Achievement Record (according to the directions in the form) and submit it to the County Extension Office before the county deadline. County nominations must be submitted to the State 4-H Office prior to January 28, 2005.

Applicants need to show an outstanding record of project accomplishment and leadership ability and should evidence of an outgoing personality, maturity, being responsible, and being able to get along with peers in a close, fast paced atmosphere.

Two 4-H representatives (one male and one female) for the State Junior Fair Board will be selected at the state level by a State Awards Selection Committee. Finalists may be invited to Columbus for a face-to-face interview with the Selection Committee.

The Award and Its Presentation

A State 4-H Award announcement letter will be sent to County Extension Offices the first week of March so that Extension Educators can notify winners personally. Individual follow-up letters and commitment forms will be sent directly to winners after March 21.

The male and female 4-H representatives to the State Junior Fair Board will be publicly recognized at the Ohio 4-H Youth Recognition Banquet. Each representative will receive an award plaque honoring their achievements. Award winners will then receive additional information about their service on the Ohio State Junior Fair Board from a representative of the Ohio Exposition Commission staff.

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OHIO DAIRY GOAT CONFERENCE

Background and Purpose

The purpose of the Ohio Dairy Goat Conference award is to provide recognition for outstanding 4-H members involved in the 4-H Dairy Goat program and to provide them with opportunities for further development of excellence in this subject matter. Four (4) state 4-H award winners are selected annually to attend the Ohio Dairy Goat Conference.

Selection Procedures and Criteria

All 4-H members are eligible who: 1) have at least reached their 14th birthday, but did not reach their 19th birthday, before January 1, 2005 (Note: 4-H membership ends December 31 of the year in which an individual attains the age of 19); 2) are currently enrolled as an Ohio 4-H member; 3) have a permanent residence in Ohio at the time they participate in the conference; and 4) have not received this award before.

To apply for this award, members need to complete a State 4-H Achievement Record (according to the directions in the form) and submit it to the County Extension Office before the county deadline. County nominations must be submitted to the State 4-H Office prior to January 28, 2005.

Selections will be made through the 4-H Awards Selection process based on the candidates' project accomplishments in the area of dairy goats and their leadership/citizenship abilities.

Four Ohio Dairy Goat award winners will be selected at the state level by a State Awards Selection Committee.

The Award and Its Presentation

A State 4-H Award announcement letter will be sent to County Extension Offices the first week of March so that Extension Educators can notify winners personally. Individual follow-up letters and commitment forms will be sent directly to winners after March 21.

The four state Ohio Dairy Goat Conference award winners will be publicly recognized at the Ohio 4-H Youth Recognition Banquet. Each winner will receive an award plaque honoring their achievements. In addition, The Ohio Dairy Goat Association will sponsor four (4) state 4-H award winners to attend the Ohio Dairy Goat Conference that is scheduled to be held at the Ohio State University sometime in September/October of 2005.



RETURN TO COUNTY OSU EXTENSION OFFICE BY: _____



2005 OHIO 4-H ACHIEVEMENT RECORD

NAME _____ AGE (1/1/05) _____ GENDER _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

COUNTY _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

PLANNED CAREER _____ SS# _____

CLUB/GROUP NAME _____ YRS. IN 4-H _____ GRADE IN SCHOOL _____

STATE OPPORTUNITIES: Check your choices. See State Achievement Record Instructions & Details on Pages H-2 & H-3.

_____ State Junior Fair Board	_____ National 4-H Dairy Conference	_____ Ohio 4-H Scholarships♣
_____ Ohio Dairy Goat Conference	_____ OTA Local Govt. Award	_____ International Programs♣
		_____ Ohio 4-H Ambassador Program♣

♣ - Requires completion of separate, specialized application form. Ohio 4-H Achievement Record not required for eligibility.)

National 4-H Congress/State Achievement Award:

___ Beef	___ Citizenship & Community Service	___ Clothing & Textiles
___ Dairy	___ Dairy Goat	___ Environmental Science
___ Family Life & Child Development.	___ Foods & Nutrition	___ Gardening & Horticulture
___ Health & Safety	___ Horse	___ Leadership
___ Mech. & Engineering Science	___ Personal Development	___ Rabbits & Poultry
___ Sheep	___ Shooting Sports	___ Swine
___ Veterinary Science		

COUNTY OPPORTUNITIES: Please rank your interests (1,2, etc.). See County Instructions and Details on page H-9 & H-10.

_____ 4-H Youth Conference	_____ 4-H Conservation Camp	_____ Carving New Ideas Workshop
_____ 4-H Sea Camp	_____ 4-H Leadership Camp	_____ Buckeye Leadership Workshop
_____ 4-H Citizenship Washington Focus	_____ Ohio Forestry Camp	_____ Fashion Board
_____ County Junior Fair Board	_____ County 4-H Scholarships	_____ Nutrition Board
_____ County 4-H Ambassador	_____ Teen Leadership Club	

4-H CAMP COUNSELOR♣: Please rank your 1st and 2nd choice of camps. See Details on page H-9.

_____ Intermediate Camp	Campers age 11 & 12
_____ Junior Camp	Campers age 9 to 11
_____ Beginners Camp	Campers age 8 to 10

APPROVAL OF THIS RECORD

I personally have prepared this record and certify that it accurately reflects my work:

Date _____, _____ Signature of 4-H member: _____

We have reviewed this record and believe it to be correct:

Date _____, _____ Signature of parent/guardian: _____

Date _____, _____ Signature of 4-H Advisor/Volunteer: _____

Date _____, _____ Signature of Extension Educator, 4-H: _____

STATE DETAILS FOR:

*** AWARDS *** TRIPS *** SCHOLARSHIPS *** HONORS

*** INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS ***

(* - May receive only once)

(♣ - Requires completion of separate, specialized application form. 4-H Achievement Record not required for eligibility.)

- * **State Junior Fair Board** - Is comprised of representatives from several different youth organizations in Ohio including 4-H Youth Development. State Junior Fair Board members help strengthen and coordinate State Fair activities in a fast-paced, action-packed month at the Ohio State Fair. Junior Fair Board members are expected to attend meetings and stay at the fair for the entire 12 days. The Ohio State Fair will be held in Columbus, Ohio and is scheduled for August 3 - 14, 2005.
- * **National 4-H Dairy Conference** - This national event provides delegates with an opportunity to learn more about the dairy industry and observe new dairy industry developments. The conference is scheduled to be held at the University of Wisconsin (located in Madison, Wisconsin) from October 2 - October 5, 2005.
- * **Ohio Dairy Goat Conference** - This conference provides delegates with the opportunity to learn more about the dairy goat industry and observe new dairy goat industry practices. The conference is scheduled to be held at the Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio sometime in September/October, 2005.
- * **OTA Local Government Award** - Two \$1,500 awards are available to any 4-H high school senior who has completed a local government-type activity that has had significant impact on the applicant's community, township or county.
- * **State Achievement Awards** - These 19 awards recognize a 4-H member's achievement in a specific area. Areas include: Beef, Citizenship & Community Service, Clothing & Textiles, Dairy, Dairy Goat, Environmental Sciences, Family Life & Child Development, Foods & Nutrition, Gardening & Horticulture, Health & Safety, Horse, Leadership, Mechanical & Engineering Sciences, Personal Development, Rabbits & Poultry, Sheep, Shooting Sports, Swine, and Veterinary Science. Each achievement award winner will receive a trip to National 4-H Congress that is scheduled to be held in Atlanta, Georgia from November 26 - November 30, 2004.
- *♣ **Ohio 4-H Scholarships** - There are 24 state 4-H scholarships available in 2005 and each has its own description and its own list of eligibility requirements. Completion of an Ohio 4-H Achievement Record is not necessary to be eligible for this award/opportunity. Instead, a separate, specialized application form is required to be completed. You should indicate your interest in this award/opportunity on Page 1 of this form and an Ohio 4-H Scholarship Application form can then be given to you by your County 4-H Professional.
- *♣ **Ohio 4-H Ambassador** - Each year, delegates are selected from each county to serve a one year active term as a State 4-H Ambassador. Ambassadors are selected based on their accomplishments in leadership, public speaking, and community service and are required to attend a comprehensive training, and represent Ohio's 4-H youth at various state and local events. Completion of an Ohio 4-H Achievement Record is not necessary to be eligible for this award/opportunity. Instead, a separate, specialized application form is required to be completed. You should indicate your interest in this award/opportunity on page 1 of this form and an Ohio 4-H Ambassador application form can then be given to you by your County 4-H Professional.
- ♣ **International Programs** - These programs allow 4-H'ers and alumni ages 14-30 to serve as a host to a youth from another country or to travel abroad as a 4-H representative to more than 30 countries around the world. Some scholarships are available for travel. Completion of an Ohio 4-H Achievement Record is not necessary to be eligible for these awards/opportunities. Instead, a separate, specialized application form is required to be completed. You should indicate your interest in this award/opportunity on page 1 of this form and an International Programs packet can then be given to you by your County 4-H Professional.

See COUNTY ACHIEVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES on page H-9.



State Achievement Opportunities



To be eligible for all state opportunities listed on the cover sheet of this form (not marked with a ♣ symbol), members need to complete this “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” and meet all of the criteria listed below. The “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” is comprehensive in nature and may take some time to complete. Work on it should be started as soon as possible. The completed form is due at your county OSU Extension office by the deadline listed on the cover sheet of this form.

STATE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 1) Applicants must have at least reached their 14th birthday, but not have reached their 19th birthday, sometime before January 1, 2005. (Note: 4-H membership ends December 31 of the year in which an individual attains the age of 19).
- 2) Applicants must be currently enrolled as an Ohio 4-H member.
- 3) Limit type/print to no more than 15 characters per inch (including 4-H personal story). (Note: 10 points will be deducted if this requirement is not followed.)
- 4) No additional pages may be added to any section (A through G) of the “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record.” (Note: 10 points will be deducted if this requirement is not followed.)
- 5) Your “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” should be stapled in the upper left hand corner. Do not use tabbed dividers, coversheets, or any type of folder/binder. (Note: 2 points will be deducted if this requirement is not followed.)

STATE REQUIREMENT CHECKLIST

When applying for (OHIO) 4-H ACHIEVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES, please submit the following items:

- Your completed “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” (each page single-sided). Stapled in the upper left hand corner. No tabbed dividers, coversheets, or any type of folder/binder. (90 points)
- A Personal 4-H Story: Share how 4-H contributed to your personal development, leadership skills, and/or career plans. Limited to two pages (single-sided, double-spaced). (5 points)
- Activity and project photos sheet: Limited to one 8 ½ x 11 inch page, one side only. (5 points)

SPECIAL REMINDERS:

- To apply for STATE (OHIO) 4-H SCHOLARSHIPS, it is not necessary to complete an “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record.” Instead, it is necessary to complete of an “Ohio 4-H Scholarship Application”. Please ask your county OSU Extension office for the appropriate form if you are interested in applying for a state 4-H scholarship.
- In order to apply for STATE 4-H AMBASSADOR, and/or INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS, it is not necessary to complete an “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” because each of these items requires the completion of a different, specialized form. Please ask your county OSU Extension office for the appropriate forms if you are interested in applying for one of these awards/opportunities.

A. 4-H PROJECT WORK (20 points): List by major projects and/or program areas. Use numbers when appropriate to show size, extent, growth, number of items, savings, etc. over time.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Project name</u>	<u>Things made, produced, learned, etc.</u>
2004	Woodworking	Made a bookshelf for my room; worked 57 hrs, \$72; saved \$100; learned to use a sander.

B. 4-H PARTICIPATION (20 points): List 4-H activities, field trips, tours, workshops, camps, judging events, contests, exhibits.

Year Event What I did; where event took place; including demonstrations and talks given.

2004 Field Trip Went with 4-H group to the Ohio Dairy Research Center; gave two talks to 4-H dairy clubs.

C. MAJOR 4-H HONORS (10 points): Include 4-H awards, recognition, and other sources of pride and self-esteem.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Honor</u>	<u>For what accomplishment</u>
2004	1st Place Trophy	State Fair Model Rocketry Evaluation

D. 4-H COMMUNITY SERVICE/CITIZENSHIP (10 points): Activities performed through 4-H to benefit community.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Name of Activity</u>	<u>What I did, accomplished, or learned</u>
2004	"Adopt-a-Road"	Picked up trash two times along a 2 mile stretch of road.

E. 4-H LEADERSHIP: EDUCATIONAL/PROMOTIONAL (15 points): Activities performed to benefit and strengthen 4-H.

Year What I did, organized, taught or accomplished

2004 Taught 10 members how to properly construct a birdhouse at our club meeting.

F. 4-H LEADERSHIP: OFFICE/COMMITTEE (10 points):

<u>Year</u>	<u>Office/Committee (elected/appointed)</u>	<u>What I did and/or learned</u>
2004	Treasurer, Splashers 4-H Club	Kept list of dues, wrote checks and gave reports.

G. NON 4-H EXPERIENCES IN SCHOOL, CHURCH AND COMMUNITY (5 points):

<u>Year</u>	<u>List your most meaningful participation in school, church and community organizations.</u>
2004	Directed Senior Class Play including a cast of 30 members.

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COUNSELORSHIP ***

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(♣ Requires completion of separate, specialized application form. 4-H Achievement Record not required for eligibility.)

- * 4-H Conservation Camp - A six-day camp (July 25- July 30) held at Camp Ohio, Utica. Primarily designed for youth interested in Environmental Sciences. Participants learn by doing, using Camp Ohio as their laboratory.
- * 4-H Leadership Camp - A six-day camp (July 25-30) held at Camp Ohio, Utica. This program focuses on helping youth develop leadership by actually planning, conducting, and evaluating major parts of the camp program.
Carving New Ideas Workshop - This program is conducted by Ohio State's Collegiate 4-H Club at Camp Ohio and emphasizes recreational leadership skills and fun activities.
- * Ohio Forestry Camp - This six-day camp is held at FFA Camp Muskingum, Leesville Lake, Carroll County. The program focuses on tree identification, silviculture, ecology and forest products (2 selected).
- ♣ 4-H Camp Counselor - All camps are held at _____. An Ohio 4-H Achievement Record does not have to be completed in order to be eligible for this award/opportunity. A separate, specialized application form is required to be filled out for this award/opportunity and you should indicate your interest on Page 1 of this form. A 4-H Camp Counselor application form can then be given to you by your County Agent.
- * County Junior Fair Board (current H.S. sophomores preferred) - Youth selected may serve up to two years. Those selected should be Juniors at fair time their first year served and Seniors at fair time their second year served (number selected varies by year).
- * County 4-H Scholarship (usually H.S. Seniors) - Request county 4-H scholarship eligibility requirements and application sheets from your County Agent. County scholarship applications are required to be turned in with a copy of your 'Ohio 4-H Achievement Record'.
- * Outstanding 4-H Boy & Girl Awards (1 Girl, 1 Boy selected).
- ♣ Buckeye Leadership Workshop (16 & older) - Learn recreational leadership skills at this outstanding event held in March at Recreation Unlimited Camp in Delaware, Ohio. Scholarships may be available for the Workshop.
- ♣ 4-H Sea Camp - Experience marine biology first-hand at Kelleys Island 4-H Camp on Lake Erie. Fishing, ecology, marine navigation, snorkeling, SCUBA, sailing and much more.
- ♣ County 4-H Ambassadors - Members are ambassadors of 4-H, promoting 4-H opportunities (camp, awards, etc.) and receive public speaking experience (many selected).
- ♣ Teen Leadership Club - Club focusing on international awareness, career exploration, current issues and socialization.

See STATE ACHIEVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES on page H-2.



COUNTY ACHIEVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES INSTRUCTIONS



To be eligible for all county opportunities/scholarships listed on the cover sheet of this form (not marked with a ♣ symbol), members need to complete this “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” and meet all of the criteria listed below. County selections are based upon program and/or project work, participation in 4-H events, exhibited leadership, community service, 4-H Story, project/activity photos and degree of interest described by applicant. The “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” is comprehensive in nature and may take some time to complete. Work on it should be started as soon as possible. The completed form is due at your county extension office by the deadline listed on the cover sheet of this form.

COUNTY ELIGIBILITY DETAILS

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- A Personal 4-H Story: Share how 4-H contributed to your personal development, leadership skills, and/or career plans. Limited to two pages (single-sided, double-spaced). (5 points)
- Activity and project photos sheet: Limited to one 8 ½ x 11 inch page, one side only. (5 points)

When applying for COUNTY 4-H SCHOLARSHIPS, please contact your County OSU Extension office for a list of County 4-H Scholarship Opportunities and their corresponding eligibility requirements and the necessary forms. The completion of an “Ohio 4-H Achievement Record” form may or may not be necessary as a reference during the winner selection process.