



Lassen County 4-H Outstanding Junior/Teen Leader Nomination

This application is to be completed by the nominating project leader.

The Outstanding Junior/Teen Leader program is to reward youth leaders who have gone the extra mile in assisting their project leader with their project. Two applicants will be selected each year; one girl and one boy. Recipients will be given financial support to help them attend Cal Focus, Washington D.C. Focus, or the State Leadership Conference. Once the recipient has received a grant, they may not apply again. Nomination applications are due November 17, 2009 in the 4-H Office.

- Applicant must be in the 8th grade or above.
- Completed nomination application.
- Nominating project leader's recommendation and answers to five questions. If the leader is the applicant's parent they cannot nominate their child. The assistant project leader or community club leader may write the recommendation.
- Recommendation from a second leader from another club.
- Applicant's record book must be submitted with nomination application.
- Applicant must attend a personal interview.

Name of project leader submitting nomination: _____

Name of nominated junior or teen Leader: _____

Date of birth: _____ Age: _____ Years in 4-H: _____

4-H Club: _____ Current 4-H projects: _____

Junior/Teen Leader project area: _____

How many years have he/she been a youth leader for you? _____ Number members in project: _____

What leadership conference does nominated youth plan to attend? _____

Please answer the following five questions on a separate sheet of paper:

1. How has the youth leader helped others in the project?
2. What was the greatest challenge the youth leader faced when in this leadership role?
3. How does the youth leader manage time for this project in relation to other 4-H projects?
4. What is the one quality the applicant possesses when working with youth?
5. Why is nominated youth leader deserving of this award?

NOMINATED YOUTH LEADERS WILL BE EVALUATED BY THE FOLLOWING RUBIC: Total 50 points

0-10 POINTS

4-H record book – complete, service on committees and as committee chairman, presentation days, etc.	
Up to date Junior Leader form.	
Active in countywide events.	
Helped with fundraisers for club/county events and activities.	
Personal Interview.	
TOTAL POINTS:	

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR/TEEN LEADER NOMINATION
Recommendation from Nominating Project Leader.

Nominated Junior/Teen Leader: _____

Why is this youth leader outstanding to you? (Nomination can be typed.)

Signature of Project Leader: _____ *Date:* _____

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR/TEEN LEADER NOMINATION

Recommendation from a second leader from another club.

Nominated Junior/Teen Leader: _____

Why is this youth leader outstanding to you? (Nomination can be typed.)

Signature of project Leader: _____ *Date:* _____

Club: _____ *Community Club or Project Leader:* _____

Project you lead: _____