

What is a 4-H Exhibitor of Character?

4-H Exhibitors of Character are young people who carry out their projects, exhibit at one or more fairs, and who treat other 4-H members, fair colleagues and spectators and their animals according to the six pillars of character:

Responsibility, Trustworthiness, Respect, Caring, Fairness and Citizenship.

- ◆ Feeds animals on time and provides clean, fresh water at all times.
- ◆ Handles and treats animals properly.
- ◆ Uses only approved drugs in accordance with directions for use on the label or as instructed by a veterinary professional.
- ◆ Follows recommended procedures for fitting and grooming.
- ◆ Does his/her best in the show ring at all times.
- ◆ Is accountable for on-time paperwork.
- ◆ Submits accurate and truthful information.
- ◆ Treats spectators, other exhibitors and 4-H members with courtesy and respect.
- ◆ Is helpful to and thoughtful towards other exhibitors.
- ◆ Assists other 4-H members.
- ◆ Demonstrates and maintains high standards of personal behavior and conduct.



Exhibitor of Character Awards

All Waldo County 4-H members are eligible to be nominated for this award. If you have observed someone during the fair and during the remainder of the 4-H year who you believe should be nominated for this award, please fill out the 4-H Exhibitor of Character Nomination Form and send it to the address on the form. Anyone can nominate, and you can nominate one or more 4-H member. To request additional copies, call the Extension Office at 1-800-287-1426.

4-H Exhibitor of Character Waldo County 4-H Program

I want to nominate _____
to receive the 4-H Exhibitor of Character Award. Awards will be presented at the
2008 4-H Achievement Night.

I have read and checked the criteria that I have observed my nominee perform:

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Nominator

Date

List at least one fair at which this nominee exhibited in 2008:

(Name of Fair)

Send to: Waldo County 4-H Program
922 Waterville Road
Waldo, ME 04915

Must be Received in the Extension Office by October 1, 2008