Alison Armstrong  
Jr. First-year Swine Member Award

PURPOSE: This award was established by the parents of Alison Armstrong. Alison was just beginning her 4-H career when a deadly allergic reaction suddenly ended that career in May of 2005. Alison had enrolled in the swine, clothing and foods projects. She was a giving person and for this reason this award was established in her name to “give” a beginning Junior 4-Her an opportunity to enroll in the swine project and then be able to “give back” at the end of that year.

ELIGIBILITY: All Jr. 4-H members enrolled in the swine project for the first time.

REQUIREMENTS:

☐ Be a Junior 4-H member (4th – 6th grade).
☐ Enroll in the swine project for the first time.
☐ Submit an Alison Armstrong Jr. First-year Swine Member Award Application (attached).

AWARD: Cost of a hog (up to $125 max.), cost of feed and equipment (up to $175 max.), and a plaque. Checks will be made payable directly to the producer (hog) or reimbursed to the award recipient with proof of purchase (receipts) for the hog and feed/equipment, etc.

Turn in the application to:

4-H/OSU Extension Office, 215 Ringuette St., Grants Pass, OR 97527

FEB 1st

DEADLINE: End of business, January 31st.

For further information call: 476-6613
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Application

NAME: ___________________________ GRADE: ______

PRIMARY CLUB: __________________________

PHONE: ___________________ E-MAIL: __________________________

Tell the committee (in 100 words or less) why you would like to have this award and include any needs you and your family might have:

Describe the place where you will keep the hog (include a sketch of the hog’s housing):
Describe what you plan to do to learn to care for your hog (visit with your 4-H swine project leader for help in developing and explaining the plan):

4-H Member and Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

If selected for this award, my parents/guardians and I agree to the following:
1. Provide the best possible care for my hog.
2. Be a positive 4-H role model.
3. After the Junior Livestock Sale, return $150 within two weeks of receipt of my sale check to help continue the Alison Armstrong Jr. First-year Swine Member Award (Check is to be made payable to: Josephine County 4-H Leaders' Association).
4. Write a "Thank You" note to the Armstrong family for this opportunity (Deliver or send the note to the 4-H/Extension Office).

_________________________________________  ______________________
Signature of 4-H member                                      Date

_________________________________________
Print 4-H member name

_________________________________________
Signature of parent/guardian                                 Date

_________________________________________
Print parent/guardian name

4-H Swine Project Leader:

As the swine project leader for the ____________________________ 4-H Club, I will do my best to educate and insure that the applicant of this award has a successful swine project, should he/she become the recipient of this award.

_________________________________________  ______________________
Signature of 4-H Swine Project Leader                                      Date