

To: 4-H Horse Leaders

The object of the Junior Achievement Award, also known as the “Elbow Grease” Award, is to recognize a Junior 4-H member for **extra** effort, improvement, and attitude. It will be awarded at the fair.

Points will be awarded as follows:

Records	20 pts.	Submitted by Applicant
Questions/Written Report	20 pts.	Submitted by Applicant
Interview with Judge	20 pts.	Submitted by Applicant
Participation in Events	20 pts.	Submitted by Leader

Record books will be judged by records judge. **Due July 13**

The Questions/Written Report is enclosed and is to be completed by the Junior member. **Due July 13.**

The Interview with the Judge is designed to draw the Junior out, not to intimidate. Two open-ended questions will be asked. Interview times and places will be scheduled through the leaders. The judge will narrow down the list of applicants after reviewing the records, written reports, and participation report, in order to interview not more than 10 applications. Interviews will be scheduled during fair.

Leaders will submit “Participation in Events’ report on each Junior they wish to nominate. Include county, club, and community horse related events. **Due July 13.**

