



MEMBER ACHIEVEMENT PLAN – 6

Silver Guard Pin

Application form

Name _____ Age _____ Years in 4-H _____

4-H Club _____ County _____

To receive the Silver Guard Pin, complete requirements 1-4 as listed below and 8 of the optional requirements during the current 4-H year. Check mark at left when completed. You may receive this pin only once, and you may receive only one achievement pin in a 4-H year.

_____ 1. Exhibit one or more of your projects at a 4-H club tour, 4-H club exhibit day, the county fair, or an event similar to a county fair but with another title.

Number of 4-H exhibits: _____ Event where exhibited: _____

_____ 2. Attend a majority (more than half) of the regularly scheduled meetings of your 4-H club. For new members, the majority of meetings will be computed based on the number of meetings remaining following enrollment into the club.

Number of meetings held: _____ Number of meetings attended: _____

_____ 3. Give a presentation at a 4-H project meeting or at another 4-H club or 4-H group meeting.

Presentation/Title: _____ Date: _____

_____ 4. Complete the current year's 4-H record book and turn it in to your 4-H leader.

OPTIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SILVER GUARD PIN

_____ 1. Take part in county 4-H Day as a contestant. Event: _____

_____ 2. Take part in a county or club 4-H quiz bowl or judging school or contest. Date: _____

School or contest: _____

_____ 3. Take part in a county 4-H event that is not already listed as a requirement.

Event: _____

_____ 4. Serve as a junior leader at a county 4-H event, i.e. room monitor at 4-H Day, assistant superintendent at county fair, 4-H Day Camp assistant, etc.

Event: _____

_____ 5. Serve as an assistant to a 4-H project leader. Project: _____

Number of 4-H meetings: _____ Number of 4-H'ers: _____

_____ 6. Serve as an officer in your 4-H club or 4-H group.

Office: _____

- _____ 7. Serve as chair of a committee in your 4-H club or 4-H group.
Committee: _____
- _____ 8. Serve as a member of a county 4-H committee.
Committee: _____
- _____ 9. Serve as a member of the county 4-H council. Number of meetings attended: _____
- _____ 10. Take part in Regional 4-H Day as a contestant. Event: _____
- _____ 11. Submit a 4-H related article, artwork, or photograph to the Kansas 4-H Office, High Plains Journal, or other similar publication.
Item: _____ Date submitted: _____
- _____ 12. Provide help to a new 4-H member throughout the year with projects, records, activities, etc.
Name of member/Assistance given: _____
- _____ 13. Receive 4-H recognition at the county 4-H achievement celebration.
Recognition received: _____
- _____ 14. Give one or more public presentations of 4-H work to outside groups such as schools, Extension Educational Units, service clubs (Lions, Kiwanis, Rotary, Pilot), or give a radio or television presentation featuring 4-H work.
Presentation/Group: _____
- _____ 15. Take part in a state 4-H judging contest, quiz bowl, or skillathon as a member of a county team.
Date: _____ 4-H Contest: _____
- _____ 16. Exhibit in a competitive 4-H class at a state or regional show such as the Kansas State Fair, Kansas All Breeds Dairy Show, National Western Livestock Show, American Royal Livestock Show, Kansas Junior Livestock Show, or other similar shows.
Fair/Show: _____ Exhibit: _____
- _____ 17. Participate in a state fair 4-H event such as a demonstration contest, Fashion Revue, dog or horse show. (This requirement goes beyond just exhibiting at state fair.)
Event: _____
- _____ 18. Participate as a host or delegate in a recognized 4-H exchange trip program such as IFYE, Japanese, or Interstate with another county/district, state, or country.
Trip/Program: _____
- _____ 19. Participate in a county or club 4-H community service project.
Describe participation: _____

I have personally prepared this application and believe it to be correct.

Signed: _____
4-H'er Date

Signed: _____
Parent/Guardian Date

Recommended
Approval: _____
4-H Leader Date

Recommended
Approval: _____
4-H Leader Date

Turn this form in to your 4-H Leader(s). If you have completed all requirements, the 4-H Leader(s) will sign the form and submit it to the Extension Office.

This document can be found online at: <http://www.geary.k-state.edu/4-h/forms.html> August 2015

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