

## **GEM / BOISE COUNTY 4-H PROJECT MEDAL RECOMMENDATION**

Youth must have been enrolled in and completed project listed to be nominated for project medal. Youth must have completed a minimum of two years in project applying for. Youth can received three times: Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. Recommendation to be completed by a 4-H Leader.

Project nominated must have a current blue ribbon in the Record Book

**Due in the Extension Office by the end of September 4-H Leaders' meeting.**

I recommend that \_\_\_\_\_ be considered for the project medal.

Please check the member's level of activity below:

	Did Not Participate	Somewhat Active	Active	Very Active
Completed project, demonstration, record Book, exhibit, etc. Attended a high level of Project meetings (at least 80%).				
Club meetings, club activities, etc.				
Community Pride or Community Service Project.				
Participation in county activities and events, ie: county demonstration day, county horse bowl, county livestock workshop.				
Participation in District activities or events, ie: District demonstrations, District Judging, District Fashion Revue, 4-H Camp				
Participation in State activities or events, ie: State judging contests, KYG, Teen Conference, 4-H Ambassadors				
Extra (please explain)				

Comments on member's 4-H leadership qualities and experiences:

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Comment on general character, integrity and miscellaneous information which was considered in making this recommendation:

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Leader's Signature

Club

Address

Phone Number

# GEM / BOISE COUNTY 4-H PROJECT MEDAL AWARD GUIDELINES

## What is a county medal?

A county medal is a form of recognition awarded to a 4-H member for outstanding achievement and project work, above and beyond the project level at the fair. It takes into account goal setting, accomplishments, knowledge and skills gained, leadership and citizenship, communication and promotion.

- A separate recommendation must be filled out for each medal applied for. ***Applications must be completely filled out by the 4-H Leader or Extension Staff.***
- All recommendations must be made on the official recommendation form.
- The portfolio will be used as part of the criteria for evaluation.
- All recommendations must be received by the Extension Office no later than the September Leaders' Meeting.
- Award selection will be made by the Gem/Boise 4-H Awards Selection Committee made up of qualified 4-H leaders. An Extension Staff member will act as advisor to this committee.
- Awards will be made only to deserving 4-H members.
- Submitting a recommendation does not mean a member will automatically receive the award.
- The decisions of the Awards Selection Committee are final.

County Medals are available in the following areas as included in the National Model for Recognition.

### A. Plants and Animals

Agriculture  
Alpaca  
Beef  
Poultry  
Cat  
Dog  
Dairy  
Goats  
Horse  
Sheep  
Swine  
Rabbits

### B. Communication Arts

Public Speaking  
Performing Arts  
Visual Arts  
Photography

### C. Science and Technology

Entomology  
Plant Science  
Vet Science  
Aerospace  
Electricity  
Engines  
Wood Science  
Industrial Arts (leather crafts or welding)

### D. Personal Development

Leadership  
Achievement

### E. Environmental Stewardship

Forestry  
Wildlife  
Outdoor Education  
Shooting Sports  
Waste Management

### F. Consumer and Family Science

Clothing  
Consumer Education  
Home Environment  
Consumer and Family Science  
(breads, cake decorating, handwork)

### G. Healthy Lifestyle

Food & Nutrition  
Healthy Lifestyles  
Safety  
Bicycle

### H. Citizenship