



2016 Overall Sportsmanship Award for Gem/Boise County 4-H

A true sportsman is not necessarily the individual that wins or loses a competition. Sportsmanship is the behavior the individual displays while competing. A true sportsman takes defeat without complaining, even if it means they cannot show. They temper the thrill of the victory with modesty and without gloating. Opponents are treated with fairness, courtesy and generosity. Any 4-H member involved in the Gem/Boise County 4-H Program promoting a positive experience for themselves and their peers is a candidate for the Overall Sportsmanship Award.

The sportsmanship nominee should be in good standing with his/her club and the 4-H program. He/she should abide by the signed code of conduct.

The Overall Sportsmanship Award goes to someone who:

- Puts others before themselves
- Exhibits a sportsman-like attitude
- Is a good role model and sets a good example for other members to follow
- Puts others feelings before their own
- Is helpful to others and to the project
- Uses their 4-H project(s) to grow as a person and as a 4-H member
- Shares their knowledge with others
- Accepts wins/losses with dignity and respect
- Is enthusiastic, honest, and helpful
- Sets a good example throughout the year
- Participates at the County Level in activities-please list activities on nomination

Guidelines:

1. 4-H Members cannot nominate themselves.
2. Each Gem/Boise County 4-H Leader can nominate one 4-H member per month per 4-H Club. A 4-H Leader that is also a parent may certainly nominate their own child.
3. Nominations must include a brief summary on a separate sheet sent in about the member. This nomination should reflect how the nominee meets the above criteria. Make sure to include 4-H member's name and club.
4. Nominations should be mailed or delivered MONTHLY to the Gem County Extension Office, 2199 South Johns Avenue, Emmett, Idaho 83617. Absolute deadline for ALL nominations is September 1, 2016 to the Gem County Extension Office.

Gem/Boise County Overall Sportsmanship Award Nomination Form

Month: _____ Year: _____

Name of Nominee: _____

Nominee's Club: _____

Please list County Level Activities: _____

Brief Summary of why you are nominating this member:

Leader's Name (Print): _____

Leader's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please mail completed form to:

Gem County Extension Office
2199 South Johns Avenue
Emmett, ID 83617

DEADLINE FOR ALL APPLICATIONS IS Tuesday, September 1, 2016.

Questions? Call or email the Gem County Extension Office at (208) 365-6363 or gem@uidaho.edu