

2024 SONOMA-MARIN FAIR

GEORGE GROSSI FUTURE LEADER AWARD

\$500.00

This award is in memory of George Grossi, a dedicated leader in the dairy community. He was a 4-H dairy leader and served as Chairman or President of many organizations and Committees such as the Dairy Replacement Heifer Committee, Petaluma High School Agricultural Advisory Committee, Dairy Herd Improvement Association, and the Marin County Farm Bureau.

This award is open to a 4-H or FFA exhibitor at the Sonoma-Marin Fair. The recipient will be selected based on leadership success in 4-H or FFA, their school, and community. Applicants must be 14 years of age or older. All applications must be returned to the Sonoma-Marin Fair Administration Office, 175 Fairgrounds Dr, Petaluma, CA 94952 by **5:00 p.m. Friday June 7th, 2024**. The award will be presented at the awards ceremony on Sunday June 23rd, 2024.

(No record book is required; two letters of recommendation are required)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

NAME OF SCHOOL: _____

What occupation or profession do you plan to enter? _____

What are your future plans? _____

Transcript of all high school grades completed.

Include with this form:

- A separate list of all community and school organizations and clubs you have been a member of, any offices held, awards or honors received.
- Two letter of recommendation: 1 **must** be from an FFA teacher or a 4-H leader; 1 should be from a teacher, school counselor, mentor, or coach who is familiar with your leadership growth.
- A 250-word personal letter on why you feel you qualify for this scholarship. Please explain your growth as a leader and your leadership contribution to your 4-H club and/or your FFA chapter.

Scholarship and award recipients are decided by the scholarship or award sponsor or committee, and their decisions are independent of the Sonoma-Marin Fair. The Sonoma-Marin Fair serves as venue for the application and presentation of the awards.