

DEPARTMENT 33: YOUTH LEADERSHIP AND DESIGN YOUR OWN PROJECT

Superintendent:

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Rules:

1. Any Iowa County youth organization under adult leadership and with an educational program may enter this department.
2. The exhibit/display must be of an event or effort that happened after the last Iowa County Fair
3. An exhibit/display may be a mobile, photos, a model, something moving, an outline, or guide, actual articles or posters, or very likely a combination.
4. Poster/ photo displays and collage entries must be no larger than 14x22 inches and displays can be no larger than 28x40 inches.
5. One entry per lot
6. Each entry should have an index card no larger than 4x6 attached describing:
 - Statement sharing what leadership skills were learned or practiced in completing this activity/event.

PREMIUMS: Blue \$3.00; Red \$2.75; White \$2.50; Yellow \$2.25

Youth Leadership

1. Reflection on a leadership challenge—a display describing a leadership challenge faced, how it was handled, and what was learned
2. Youth voice or advocacy project—display showing how the exhibitor shared youth opinions, led a discussion, survey, or advocated for change in their club, school, or community
3. Mentoring or peer leadership—display of mentoring a younger member or serving as a role model/helper
4. Leadership through communication—examples: newsletter article, social media post series, public speaking outline, meeting agenda created and led by the exhibitor
5. Team leadership experience—display showing how the exhibitor worked as part of a leadership team, committee, or officer group and their specific role
6. Interactive or hands-on educational display—a game, model, or activity designed to teach others
7. Multimedia or digital project—video storyboard, podcast outline, website mock-up, or digital presentation
8. Career exploration or skill-building project—exhibit showing research or hands-on learning tied to a future career interest
9. Project planning and reflection—display showing idea development, goal setting, steps taken, and reflection on outcomes

Design Your Own Project

1. Educational poster
2. Scrapbook display