## 2023 Fairfield County Alpaca Ambassador Application

Name:			
Address:			
Phone Number:			
Email:			
Age as	of 01/01/2023:	Birthdate:	
Parent or Guardian's Name(s):			
School:			
Grade:			
4-H Club/FFA Chapter:			
Years in 4-H/FFA:			
1.	What alpaca projects have you taken/are you c	urrently taking? (Please include years)	
2.	2. What awards and/or recognitions have you received through your alpaca projects?		
3.	3. What do you enjoy most about the alpaca projects?		
4.	What other Jr. Fair activities/projects are you in	volved in?	
5.	Why do you want to be the 2023 Fairfield Cou	nty Alpaca Ambassador?	
6.	What have you gained from being a member of	f the 4-H/FFA program(s)?	
7.	Outside of 4-H/FFA, what activities are you inv	olved in?	
8.	As the Alpaca Ambassador, what would you do fair?	o in your role to promote the alpaca program and the	

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## Why be an ambassador?

- To inform others and promote 4-H/FFA Alpaca/Llama programs while strengthening the species' image.
- 2. To encourage alpaca/llama projects in the 4-H/FFA programs.
- 3. To improve knowledge and presentation skills.
- 4. To build a portfolio of excellence for future reference.

## Responsibilities

- 1. Must be able to serve in this capacity for one year of service officially starting after selection announcement in October.
- 2. Applicants must have complete support from family members to pursue this position and fulfill the required duties.
- 3. Applicants are responsible for completing the application and submitting it by the set date for the current year's competition.
- 4. The Alpaca Ambassador will be required to attend and work the following events: Fairfield County Fair, Panorama, Livestock Sales, as well as other livestock shows and events.
- 5. Cooperate with the Alpaca/Llama Junior Fair Superintendent and Ambassador Coordinator.

Minimum Qualifications for the Fairfield County 4-H Alpaca Ambassador

Applicants must be active 4-H/FFA member(s), at least 14 as of January 1, 2023, and participate in an alpaca project at the Fairfield County Fair.

Applications must be turned into the OSU Extension Office by Friday, September 8, 2023. All applications will be reviewed by the selection committee, the top individuals will be selected for an interview by a panel of judges. Interviews will be conducted via phone.

The Alpaca Ambassador will be selected from individuals interviewed. The selected ambassador will be notified via phone following the completion of all interviews and will be publicly introduced at the 4-H Panorama during fair week.

Return completed applications to:

**OSU Extension Fairfield County** 

ATTN: Alpaca Ambassador Application

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