

2026 4-H Shining Star Award (May be Completed by Nominee)

Due in the Riley County Extension office before noon on September 18, 2026.

Here in Riley County, we have a strong tradition of partnerships between our 4-H youth and adult volunteers who give their time and energies to molding those young people into the leaders of tomorrow. These volunteers embody the values and traditions that make our 4-H programming what it is today. Let's recognize these individuals for everything they do for our Riley County youth.

The Riley County 4-H Foundation will sponsor a special award to be presented to a person who has provided leadership and service to the Riley County 4-H Program. The award is designed to show appreciation to: a project leader, award donor, business person, news media, fair superintendent or others who have provided leadership for your club or the county. It could also be someone who has assisted your club with Club Day presentations or other special events. The nomination can come from an individual or a 4-H club.

I _____ would like to nominate _____ for the Riley County Shining Star Award.

Years of Service _____ Address _____ Phone _____

Explain (in 250 words or less) how this person has provided leadership and service to your club or program. Include: 1) Scope of service given to 4-H 2) Local or County involvement 3) Number of people reached 4) How is this service or contribution unique.