



## 2024 FOND DU LAC COUNTY FAIREST OF THE FAIR APPLICATION

### CONTESTANT INFO

CONTESTANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL AND YEAR IN SCHOOL OR YEAR OF GRADUATION:

\_\_\_\_\_

### POST SECONDARY EDUCATION (IF APPLICABLE)

NAME OF COLLEGE: \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR IN SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR/MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETED DEGREE (IF GRADUATED): \_\_\_\_\_

### ABOUT YOU

You may add space as you wish in these next sections.

**GOALS AND AMBITIONS:**

**EMPLOYMENT – CURRENT, HISTORY & TYPE OF WORK**

**LIST SCHOOL (HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE) HONORS AND AWARDS:**

**LIST SCHOOL (HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE) CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS:**

**LIST 4-H AND FFA FAIR PROJECTS (IF APPLICABLE):**

**LIST COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (NON-SCHOOL RELATED, VOLUNTEER WORK, ETC.):**

**LIST ANY OTHER HONORS AND AWARDS (OTHER THAN SCHOOL):**

**HOBBIES:**

**WRITTEN 30-SECOND PSA (Radio Advertisement):**

**This advertisement should promote the 2024 Fond du Lac County Fair. *See last page for examples.***

## OTHER APPLICATION MATERIALS:

1. Headshot or photo (can be a senior photo) to be submitted with application.
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
  - *May **NOT** be completed by friends or family members.*
  - *May be your boss, a 4-H or FFA Leader, a teacher/professor, etc.*
  - **Recommendations can be emailed directly to [cayleyvandeberg@gmail.com](mailto:cayleyvandeberg@gmail.com)**

## **APPLICATIONS ARE DUE: SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024 BY 11:59PM**

Email all application materials to [cayleyvandeberg@gmail.com](mailto:cayleyvandeberg@gmail.com).

\*ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE TYPED. PLEASE USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY.\*

## QUESTIONS:

Cayley Vande Berg: [cayleyvandeberg@gmail.com](mailto:cayleyvandeberg@gmail.com) or Cell: (920) 960-7632

Emily Vander Grinten: [efranke1234@gmail.com](mailto:efranke1234@gmail.com) or Cell: (920) 539-4814

## DATES TO KNOW:

**Orientation:** Date and Time, TBD depending on school schedules

**Radio Interviews:** Thursday, May 16, 2024 at 8-9 AM, KFIZ Radio Station

**Interviews & Crowning Event:** Saturday, May 18, 2024 Thelma Sadoff Center for the Arts (FDL)

## **RADIO ADVERTISEMENT EXAMPLES**

*Join us July 15-19, as we celebrate 164 years of food, fun and family entertainment at the 2015 Fond du Lac County Fair! Get ready to rock the grandstand with 70's blues, rock band Grand Funk Railroad, 80's rockers Great White and Slaughter and country favorites, Montgomery Gentry. Stop into the Leinie's Lodge for a great mix of music from The Jimmy's, The Presidents, The Crankin' Yankees and the Back Home Boys. With affordable fun for the whole family, you won't want to miss the truck, tractor and horse pulls, Fondy Fair 5K, the Agromatic Ag Birthing Center, Fondy's Got Talent Competition, 4-H projects and shows and who could forget the fair food and rides! With something for everyone, we hope to see YOU at the 2015 Fond du Lac County Fair, July 15-19! For more events and information about the Fair, visit our website [fonddulacountyfair.com](http://fonddulacountyfair.com) or visit our Facebook page.*

*Knock, knock!*

*Who's there?*

*Guess!*

*Guess who?*

*The Guess Who at the 2019 Fond du Lac County Fair who are going to rock the night away!*

*Join us July 17-21 for fun, food, and affordable family entertainment. You won't want to miss the Sea Lion Splash Show, live births in the Ag Birthing Center, 4-H exhibits and livestock! The annual truck and tractor pull and demo derby are back in the grandstand! Oh, and "In Case You Didn't Know", we're crazy about Brett Young coming to the fair! I hope to see YOU at the Fond du Lac County Fair July 17-21!*

### **Tips for Radio Ad:**

- When you pay for a radio ad that is 30 seconds, it is strictly 30 seconds of air time.
- When is the fair?
- Use the fair website to help you become knowledgeable about what is happening at the fair this year.
  - Do not try to list every piece of entertainment at the fair
  - What is new this year?
  - Highlight free entertainment
  - Food & rides
  - 4-H and FFA exhibits, the agriculture heritage
- Where can I go to learn more about the fair?
- The radio advertisement does not need to be memorized. Put some energy and enthusiasm behind it while reading it. You want to sell the fair to the audience as an experience they won't want to miss.