

Outstanding Fair Person Award is awarded to fair board/county fair committee member being active 12 years or less.

## **OUTSTANDING FAIR PERSON: DISTRICT 1**

The Outstanding Fair Person Award is presented to Brooke Aertz of the Florence County Fair. Brooke's love for the fair started at an early age as an exhibiter, and then transitioned into helping with judging and registration. She served as the Florence County Fairest of the Fair and is currently a fair board member. As assistant manager, Brooke understand what needs to happen and makes decisions accordingly. She is our spokesperson; willing to help with advertising and do interviews before, during, and after the fair. Congratulations Brooke!



## OUTSTANDING FAIR PERSON: DISTRICT 2

The Outstanding Fair Person Award is presented to Cindy Van Dyk of the St. Croix County Fair. Cindy became a fair board member in 2011 as the treasurer. In this role she pays the bills, manages our accounts, gives monthly board reports, prepares the annual budget, and takes care of the taxes. She serves on the open class committee, and designed and created table skirting for the entire open class building. She is our “Entry Specialist” when it comes to submitting entries. She created entry protocol and spends countless hours handling everything related to entries, judges, tags, ribbons, judging results, premiums and premium book changes, year-end reports, and everything in between. Cindy is a true asset to the St. Croix County Fair. Congratulations Cindy!



## OUTSTANDING FAIR PERSON: DISTRICT 3

The Outstanding Fair Person Award is presented to Kory Ryan of the Lodi Agricultural Fair. Kory grew up on the Lodi Fairgrounds seeing first-hand the importance the fair is to the Ag community.

He is a fair board member and superintendent of grandstand events and parking. He is an idea person, bringing his energy and enthusiasm to improve each person's experience at the fair. Kory is a great problem solver. When we struggled for volunteers he brought in the baseball team. When more parking was needed, he designed areas to utilize more space. When setting up the seating areas for our grandstand events, he evaluates all angles. He even brought in more "Premiere" seating for our special passes that helped raise extra money for the fair. Kory always has a back-up plan and ready to implement new ideas for future events. Congratulations Kory!



## OUTSTANDING FAIR PERSON: DISTRICT 4

The Outstanding Fair Person Award is presented to Dick Pollen of the Manitowoc County Fair. Dick is the Vice Chairman of the Manitowoc County Fair Board and Vice Chairman of the Operations Subcommittee Liaison. He is directly involved with the AG Adventureland Tent with designing the layout of the tent and built feed containers for it. He has been instrumental in restructuring the parking lot. He has spent numerous hours working on signage, marking out the parking area, and creating a plan for entrance and exit of those areas to ensure that it make sense to our guests. He even obtains organizations to assist with parking. Dick is a key player with the release of animals and other exhibits at the end of fair. He helps to set up the dairy cattle show and does daily maintenance of the dairy cattle show ring. He event built flower boxes for the garden display area. Congratulations Dick!

