

# **Wisconsin Association of Fairs Awards**

## **V.I.P. Award - Outstanding Fair Person Award - Hall of Fame Award or Volunteer Group Appreciation Award**

### **Definition of Awards:**

**V. I. P. Award:** Awarded to an individual or couple (any two people) non-fair board member/non-committee member, no specific length of service required.

**Outstanding Fair Person Award:** Awarded to fair board/county fair committee member being active 12 years or less.

**Hall of Fame Award:** Awarded to fair board/county fair committee member based on 12 years or more of active service.

**Volunteer Group Appreciation Award:** Awarded to a true volunteer group that receives no monetary compensation for the volunteer service. Only one overall winner selected unlike the other categories where one per district is awarded.

### **Entry Form:**

All awards will use the same entry form. Simply select which award you are submitting on the award form. The official entry form is available online at [www.wifairs.com](http://www.wifairs.com) or by e-mailing a request to [info@wifairs.com](mailto:info@wifairs.com). Please complete the entry form using the fillable pdf form available online. Entry form is limited to two 8 1/2 x 11' pages using only the space provided. Please submit official entry in black and white. If mailing it must be postmarked by October 1. If submitting via e-mail, it must be e-mailed by October 15.

**Regulations:** A maximum of one entry or nomination per fair per category will be allowed yearly.

Non-winners may be re-submitted in following years. WAF or award committee will not correct incorrect category submissions. Entries in wrong categories will be disqualified.

- 2 One award per category per district will be selected. If none are submitted in specific award, only one in each of remaining categories will be awarded.
- 3 The selection committee shall consist of all the members of the Resolution and Awards committee and all the WAF Directors. They are authorized to call individuals for consultation if they deem necessary or where a conflict of interest may arise.
- 4 Each individual selected will receive appropriate recognition at the annual convention: in the convention program and a plaque will be awarded at the awards banquet.
- 5 The completed entry/nomination form must be postmarked by October 1 to the Wisconsin Association of Fairs, 5320 County Road L, Merrill, WI 54452. If you are submitting via e-mail, it must be e-mailed to [info@wifairs.com](mailto:info@wifairs.com) by October 15.
- 6 The fair nominating a candidate must be a member in good standing of the Wisconsin Association of Fairs.
- 7 The nominee must have been actively involved in their local fair.
- 8 Award Forms are available on line at [www.wifairs.com](http://www.wifairs.com) or by e-mailing a request to the Wisconsin Association of Fairs office at [info@wifairs.com](mailto:info@wifairs.com).

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Award Category:

*(V.I.P., Outstanding Fair Person, Hall of Fame or Volunteer Group Appreciation Award)*

District:

Fair Represented:

Candidate Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Length of Service to Fair:

Position(s) held in relation to Fair: (could be superintendent, employee, fair supporter, etc.)

Responsibilities/Contributions to the Fair before, during and/or after:

What has this nominee done above and beyond the call of duty for your fair?

Responsibilities and activities on an area and statewide basis in relation to fair activities:

**If your award nominee is selected, you will be asked to provide a photo to be used for the awards banquet at convention. A photo from them working at the fair is preferred.**

Has this person been submitted for this award previously and not received it?

Yes:  No:  If yes, when:

Individual submitting this nomination:

Name:   
Address:   
City:  State:  Zip:   
Fair:   
Position with Fair:   
Telephone Number:

Name of Local Newspaper:   
Address:   
City:  State:  Zip: