

BRUCE PECK MEMORIAL AWARD ANNOUNCEMENT

Sponsored by the Douglas County 4-H Foundation

The Bruce Peck Memorial Award has been established to honor a Douglas County 4-H member who has demonstrated perseverance in the face of obstacles or “bad luck” in his or her chosen livestock or horse project in the current year. The award memorializes Bruce Peck who used his hands-on knowledge and love of all types of livestock to benefit numerous children with his help and counsel. Mr. Peck epitomized grit, determination, persistence, and learning by doing.

Nominations will be accepted from the 4-H staff, livestock or horse superintendents or livestock or horse project leaders. The recipient will be determined by a panel of five persons chosen by the 4-H Foundation and the choice will be announced ***Wednesday, October 10, 2018*** at our Achievement Night Program. Applications are due **Wednesday, September 5** to the Extension Office.

The award consists of \$500 cash (sponsored by the Herman Schacht Scholarship Fund through the Fair Foundation) and a belt buckle (sponsored by the 4-H Foundation) acknowledging the perseverance, tenacity and determination demonstrated by the recipient during the current project year. The award is designed to reinforce a positive response to a difficult situation, resulting in learning and personal growth. Member cannot win this award two consecutive years.

BRUCE PECK MEMORIAL AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Name of nominee: _____

Name of person making the nomination: _____

Phone or contact information: _____

Please describe in the space below how the 4-H member being nominated has demonstrated perseverance in the face of obstacles during the current project year in their chosen livestock or horse project.

Thank you for your nomination and interest in this candidate's positive response to a difficult situation, resulting in learning and personal growth.