



September, 2011

Dear Prospective Jr. Fair Board Member:

Thank you, in advance, for applying to the Great Kern County Fair Junior Fair Board and good luck! It is a great way to meet kids from other schools and a wonderful way to serve your community. Junior Fair Board members have a lot of fun, but the work is hard. The following is a brief outline of the duties and responsibilities of the Junior Fair Board so you and your parents know in advance what is expected of you and the time that will be required.

The Junior Fair Board will begin work in January with monthly Thursday meetings and possible community activities i.e. parades, street fairs, etc. As the time gets closer to fair, meetings may be held bi-monthly or weekly. The meetings begin at 6:00 pm and last 1-1 ½ hours. Fair activities will be scheduled as to have no impact on school attendance.

Work begins in earnest the week before the fair starts. If you have an animal at the fair, we will work around your show times with your scheduled activities. There will be many activities that will be planned by the Junior Fair Board during the fair. In the afternoons we meet and then sponsor activities, possibly until 9:00 pm. (This is a very busy and tiring week and a half. It can be difficult to keep up the pace and your studies, too. Even the best student's grades can suffer. Some of our activities every member is expected to participate in, so bear this in mind when you apply.)

Junior Fair Board shirts will be provided for members. You are expected to wear shirts tucked in at all times with proper clothing. As representatives of the Fair, many people will closely scrutinize your behavior. Behavior deemed unacceptable by the senior Fair Board or Junior Fair Board advisors may be cause for dismissal.

Interviews are tentivly scheduled for November, 2011. You will be notified by telephone as to your exact interview time.

We look forward to meeting you at your interview. Please sign and also have a parent or guardian sign below. Return this with your application to the Kern County Fair office. This will verify that you and your parents understand what is expected of you if you are selected to serve as a member of the Great Kern County Fair Junior Fair Board.

Good Luck!

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Parent (Guardian) Signature _____ Date _____

**KERN COUNTY FAIR
JUNIOR FAIR BOARD APPLICATION**

Please Print

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ ZIP _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

SCHOOL: _____ GRADE: _____ G.P.A.: _____

PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S) NAME: _____

CLUBS AND/OR ORGANIZATIONS ACTIVE IN (INCLUDE OFFICES HELD):

LIST ALL ACTIVITIES IN OR OUT OF SCHOOL (USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY):

HOBBIES & INTERESTS _____

WHY DO YOU WISH TO SERVE ON THE JUNIOR FAIR BOARD?: _____

WHAT PROJECTS OR IDEAS DO YOU HAVE IN MIND TO FURTHER THE ACTIVITIES OF THE JUNIOR FAIR BOARD?: _____

HAVE YOU BEEN INVOLVED IN THE KERN COUNTY FAIR BEFORE? ____ YES ____ NO

IF YES, IN WHAT WAY AND FOR HOW LONG? _____

DO YOU PLAN TO HAVE AN ANIMAL AT THE 2012 FAIR? WHAT KIND AND HOW MANY?

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED AT KERN COUNTY FAIR OFFICE BY 5:00 P.M. ON Tuesday, November 1, 2011.