

2024 FIRST YEAR Junior Market Exhibitor Application Application deadline: August 1, 2024

Please return completed application to UP State Fair- LBMA 1001 N Lincoln Road, Escanaba, MI 49829 or email to info@upstatefair.org

Name:_____

Phone: _____

Specie(s) to be shown at this year's UP State Fair:_____

-REQUIREMENTS-

- Completed Application.
- A first year Junior Market Livestock Exhibitor.
- A Letter of Recommendation from an individual of your choosing.
- A Letter of Recommendation from:
 - a UPSF Representative (ex. Department Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, Department Representative, DAC member, UPSF management, UPSF Authority member)
 - Teacher or School Official
 - Club leader
 - 4-H Educator
 - Coach

Recipients will be announced during the Junior Market Livestock Auction Awards may be utilized by recipient for ANY financial intention. This award may only be received by an exhibitor one time. Questions: Steve Palosaari 906-370-4210 or Ann Harrington 906-399-6827

*Note there are 2 award categories- One for first year Jr. Market Exhibitors and one for all Junior exhibitors meeting requirements, be sure you are using the proper form.

Essay: Complete the following questions in a minimum paragraph format.

Goals: How would you utilize the award if chosen as a recipient?

Experience: What does the UP State Fair mean to you?

Focus on YOU: Discuss a special attribute or achievement that sets you apart from the other candidates. Tell why you feel you are deserving of this award.

<u>Positive Impact</u>: Who in your life has been your greatest influence or supporter? Tell about how you know this person, for how long, the ways in which he/she has supported you, and anything else you would like us to know about this positive role model.

<u>Challenges</u>: What has been the biggest challenge you have faced in your first year of raising livestock to exhibit? How have you overcome it?