



# *Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition 2010*

**Do you want to share your thoughts about a current agricultural or rural community concern?**

**Are you excited about a 4-H program/event or have a 4-H success story?**

**Or have you just had a stimulating conversation with a community leader?**

If you answered yes to any of these questions then be sure to create and submit your entry to the Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition. The grand prize of this award is \$100 (in both the Junior and Senior categories).

**Entries must be:**

- based on the current 4-H year
- a maximum of 500 words
- type written and double spaced with one inch margins
- in 11 point Arial font
- the original work of the member

**To enter:**

- Complete the Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition Application Form
- Write a 500 word entry based on one of the following, :
  - a. A report on a current 4-H program, 4-H event or 4-H success story;
  - b. A review of a current agricultural or rural community concern; or
  - c. An interview with a community leader.
- Submit both the Application Form and the entry to:

Attention: Opportunities Coordinator  
5653 Highway 6 North, RR 5  
Guelph, ON N1H 6J2  
email: [opportunities@4-hontario.ca](mailto:opportunities@4-hontario.ca)

Please note: when your entry is received by the Opportunities Coordinator you will receive a notification of receipt.

**Submissions will be judged based on the following criteria:**

- Content: 30 points
- Writing Style: 25 points
- Originality: 25 points
- Spelling and Grammar: 15 points
- Presentation: 5 points

Please note: presentation points include how instructions were followed (i.e. spacing, etc.).

**If you have any questions please  
contact the  
4-H Opportunities Coordinator**

**4-H Ontario**

5653 Highway 6 North, RR5 | Guelph, ON | N1H 6J2  
ph : 1 - 519 - 824 - 0101 x.472 | tf : 1- 877 - 410 - 6748 x.472 | fx : 1 - 519 - 824 - 8759  
em : [opportunities@4-hontario.ca](mailto:opportunities@4-hontario.ca) | web : [www.4-hontario.ca](http://www.4-hontario.ca)

# *Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition Application Form 2010*

Name of Applicant:		Name for Nametag		Check: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
				<input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior	
Home Phone Number:		4-H Association:		4-H Provincial ID #:	
Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy)		Age (as of Dec. 31, 2009):		Email:	
Parent/Guardian Full Name (1):			Full Civic Mailing Address: (Full street address, city/village)		
Parent/Guardian Full Name (2):			Postal Code:		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>I have included my entry for the Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition</i>					
<p><b>Authorization:</b>          I certify that the information contained within the Opportunity Application Form is a true and correct representation. Personal information on this form is collected and used for the administration and publicity of the 4-H program in Ontario. I allow my name and photograph to be published in media coverage and promotion of the 4-H program. My signature below indicates that I agree to the release of this information.</p>					
_____ Signature of Applicant			_____ Date		
_____ Signature of Parent/Guardian (if applicant is under 18 years of age).			_____ Date		

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