4-H Emerald Achievement Pin Application Hints and Suggestions

The <u>four</u> required items plus <u>five</u> of the optional requirements must be met during the current 4-H year to receive the emerald pin.

Required

- 1. Exhibit one or more of your projects at a club tour, club exhibit day, the county fair, or an event similar to a county fair but with another title.
 - -This must be a physical exhibit, not a speech
 - -Please fill in both blanks
 - -Examples for Event where exhibited: Morris County Fair, club tour, Tri-County Fair, Kansas Junior Livestock Show, spring shows (please specify which spring show you exhibited at)
- 2. Attend a majority (more than half) of the regular scheduled meetings of your 4-H club or group. For new members, the majority of meetings will be computed based on the number of meetings remaining following acceptance into the club. For members transferring from another club, the majority of meetings will be computed based on the number of meetings held and attended during the period of membership in the original club plus the number of meetings held and attended during the period of membership in the current club.
 - -Please fill in both blanks
- 3. Give a presentation at a 4-H project meeting.
 - -This must be a presentation for a 4-H group.
 - -This requirement can also be met by giving a talk or demonstration about one of your
 - 4-H projects at a club meeting.
 - -Please fill in both blanks

Optional Requirements

- 1. Serve on a committee in your 4-H club or 4-H group.
 - -This is a committee that you serve on within your 4-H club.
 - -Please list the name of the committee in which you serve on.

- 2. Attend a 4-H day camp, the county/district 4-H camp, and/or other state or area 4-H camps.
 - -Examples of Camps: County Camp (camper or counselor), State Photography Camp, State Shooting Sports Camp, Horse Panorama, State 4-H Venturer Program, Horse Judging Camp, Livestock Judging Camp
- 3. Attend a county/district or club achievement program.
 - -The only events that count for this optional requirement are the Morris County 4-H Achievement Banquet and your 4-H club's achievement recognition event, if one is held
- 4. Take part in a 4-H club or 4-H county/district quiz bowl or judging school or contest.
 - -Please fill in both blanks
 - -This only includes 4-H club and county events
 - -Examples of Events: Morris County Family and Consumer Sciences Judging Contests held in the summer, Livestock Judging Contest held at the Morris County Fair
- 5. Take part in the county/district 4-H Day as a contestant.
 - -Please specify which event you participated in
 - -Examples of Events: Project Talk, Public Speaking, Demonstration, Illustrated Talk, Show and Share, Reading, Model Meeting, Gavel Games, Instrumental Music, Vocal Music, Dance, Talent, Skit
- 6. Take part in a county/district event that is not already listed as a requirement.
 - -This must be an event sponsored by the Morris County 4-H program
 - -Examples of Events: Officer Training, Public Fashion Revue and Talent Showcase, Morris County 4-H Foundation Banquet, Barnyard Olympics, Project events on the county level (such as a county-wide photography workshop)
 - -This item would not include project required activities such as livestock weigh-in
- 7. Attend Regional 4-H Day, or a similar event, to encourage your club or members and/or as a contestant.
 - -This must be a 4-H event
 - -Morris County 4-H Club Day does not count for this requirement

<u>DO NOT</u> forget to sign you application. You also need to get the signature of your parent/guardian AND <u>two</u> club leaders for your application to be complete and considered for awards!