



2011 MAFE Heritage Award

Every fair has those volunteers that for many years have been a huge part of the success of their fair. The MAFE board has approved a **new award** to honor our state's outstanding long term volunteers. Fairs couldn't last without volunteers and the special people that do it year after year need a special award to say thank you. We hope that every fair board will fill out an entry form for the First Annual MAFE Heritage Award.

The *volunteer of the year* award will still be awarded to those volunteers that in the past year have excelled at their fair. A youth from each fair can be nominated as Youth Volunteer of the year also.

Eligibility

1. Minimum of 10 years of event service to the Fair or Exhibition as a volunteer or management.
2. Receives less than \$1,000 annually in compensation from the Fair or Exhibition.

Application Process

1. Must apply by November 15, 2011
2. Nomination will consist of:
 - Official nomination form
 - A 750 word or less, typewritten, essay about the nominee submitted by a Fair or Exhibition representative
 - 2 letters of support from other fair board, exhibition members or the community.

Please return no later than November 15, 2011 to:

MAFE Heritage Award
PO Box 127
Munger MI 48747-0127



Heritage Award

Official Entry Form

Name of Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Name of Fair or Exhibition Associated with _____

Fair or Exhibition Address: _____

Name of Fair or Exhibition contact: _____ Telephone _____

Number of years that the nominee has been associated with the event: _____

Short Summation of nominee's participation at the fair or exhibition (3 lines or less).

Experience with fairs or exhibition in term of years of involvement:

| Position | Fair | Dates | Years |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Program Participant in MAFE convention or zone meeting:

_____ Year _____
_____ Year _____
_____ Year _____
_____ Year _____

MAFE Heritage Award Contest
Official Entry Form

Community Activities other than the fair or exhibition:

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| _____ | Years served | _____ |
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The 750 word essay and letters of support should be attached to this official entry form.

Fair or Exhibition Member's Signature

Date