

“Accept the Challenge”

2009 National 4-H Congress
 November 27 – December 1, 2009
 Atlanta, Georgia

FORM MUST BE TYPED

YOUTH LEADERSHIP TEAM APPLICATIONS

STATE DEADLINE: August 28, 2009

RETURN TO:

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- INSTRUCTIONS:**
- Each state may nominate two 4-H delegates to serve as members of the 4-H Congress Youth Leadership Team.
 - Application must include two (2) Recommendation Forms, one completed by an Extension Agent/Faculty staff member, and one by a 4-H volunteer, leader, or community leader.
 - Application must include a CD, DVD, Flash Drive, or applicant can post a video on YouTube and provide a direct link to the video. **YouTube video must be posted by September 1, 2009 and must remain posted until November 15, 2009.** (Crackle.com postings are not acceptable.)
 - Video should include three components: (1) Speaking of the written script, (2) a 3-5 minute biography of the applicant telling about themselves, their family, personal interests, and (3) a 3-5 minute speech on what the National 4-H Congress theme of “Accept the Challenge” means to the applicant as a 4-H member and a young person.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____	Age on January 1, 2009: _____
Address: _____	Number of Years in 4-H: _____
City/State/Zip: _____	Major (if in college): _____
Phone: _____	YouTube Link: _____
E-mail: _____	

Provide a 35 WORD description of yourself for introductions. Include 4-H projects and community service facts about yourself.

Approved by State 4-H Leader or Staff _____

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YOUTH LEADERSHIP TEAM APPLICATION SCRIPT

APPLICANT Good morning, I am _____, Youth Leadership Team member from _____. I am pleased to welcome you to our general assembly. Eleanor Roosevelt once said, “The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams.” I am sure as you participate in the 4-H Congress, you will find that your dreams are achievable.

In keeping with tradition, we will begin with the flag pledges to be led by Frank Kralicek from South Dakota and Emily Robin from Louisiana.

FRANK American Pledge

EMILY 4-H Pledge

APPLICANT Thank you, Frank and Emily.

We now have a very special treat! The harmonious sounds of P.R.I.D.E., an acapella, five-part harmony group, have been singing together as a group for five years. They are all former 4-H ‘ers and 4-H performing arts leaders. They are currently serving as 4-H volunteers leaders in Operation 4-H P.R.I.D.E. where they are teaching younger groups stage presence, poise, and vocalization. They have performed for Senator Saxby Chambliss and at various colleges. Their national concert tour has included National Society of Black Engineers, and high schools and churches through the southeast.

(P.R.I.D.E. Performs)

APPLICANT Thank you, Gentlemen! Our appreciation to the Hyatt Regency Hotel for sponsoring their performance.

We are pleased to have a representative here from the United Soybean Board. The United Soybean Board is a producer-funded, producer-run organization that works to promote soybean and the profitability of U.S. soybean farmers within four program areas: International Marketing, Domestic Marketing, New Uses, and Production.

Today, the United Soybean is sponsoring our 4-H Congress inspirational speaker, from the United Soybean Board’s international Marketing committee is Tennessee soybean grower, Jimmy Barbour. Mr. Barbour.

