Bradford County High Schools,

Attached is an application for students at your high school to become a member of the Troy Fair’s Junior Board. If you would please announce to your students that applications are available in your office, it would be greatly appreciated.

The Troy Fair is Bradford County’s largest entertainment and agricultural event and a great asset to our county. Being a member of the Junior Board provides each student a unique educational opportunity.

If you have any questions, please contact Troy Fair Junior Board Eileen Murphy at 570-297-3648 Applications can be emailed to info@troyfair.com, or mailed to 436 Gate 1 Lane, Troy, PA 16947.

Thank you!

TROY FAIR

**Junior Fair Board Application**

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
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Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

High School/College/University you attend: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) / Guardian(s) Names: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s / Guardian’s address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Parents’ / Guardian Phone Number (if different): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following questions. You may attach another sheet if needed.**

List school and community activities, you are involved in:

List your hobbies, special interest, and talents:

Explain why you want to serve on the Junior Fair Board?

Please provide a signed letter of recommendation from a non-family member (teacher, counselor, coach, community member, etc) for your participation on the Troy Fair Junior Board. Attached are the qualifications and responsibilities of Junior Board members. Membership is for a one-year term. By signing below applicant affirms that they aware of the responsibilities of being a Troy Fair Junior Board member and the parent / guardian consents to their child’s participation.

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Applicant’s signature Date

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Parent/Guardian's Signature (Not needed for Intermediate Board) Date

**Troy Fair Junior Board**

**Qualifications**

* Be between the ages of 12 and 18 as of January 1st
* Be able to fulfill a one-year term as a Junior Fair Board member (January to August)
* Complete the Junior Fair Board application including signed parent / guardian consent
* Have a signed letter of recommendation from a professional advisor (advisor, teacher, guidance counselor, youth leader, etc.)

**Responsibilities**

* Be willing to promote the fair in a positive manner and as a positive educational opportunity for youth
* Abide by the rules and the responsibilities set for the Troy Fair Junior Board
* Maintain a professional and cooperative attitude with fair goers, Junior/Intermediate/Senior Fair Board members, and/or other Fair staff and volunteers
* Use appropriate dress, behavior, and language when representing the Troy Fair
* Support the decisions, policies and activities of the Junior Fair Board, Intermediate, and Senior Fair Board
* Attend at least 1 Troy Fair Senior Board meeting each year (Typically a specified meeting)
* Attend 75% of all Junior Fair Board meetings each year
* To perform, in a satisfactory and cooperative manner, all duties and tasks as assigned to him or her prior and/or during the fair.
* Duties and tasks assigned to junior board members will vary greatly. Duties may include assisting/shadowing applicable Fair Board Member(s)/Department(s) in any area of the fair prior to the week of fair (Shadowing during fair week is applicable if discussed and decided upon with chosen individual) - helping or coordinating with certain events (Kid’s Day, At least 2 Community Tent/Ag Tent activities, concert, entertainment stages, livestock shows) - selling 50-50 tickets - taking surveys, office tasks when asked - transporting people or items via golf cart - other duties as assigned/asked.
  + - Technically this is Community Service with Physical demands at times.

**Benefits to Junior Board Members**

* Be a part of the Troy Fair, Bradford County’s largest entertainment and agricultural event while learning how the Troy Fair works
* Learn and develop time management, communication, teamwork, leadership and goal setting skills
* Learn to plan, prepare, cooperate and carry out certain fair events led by the Junior Fair Board
* Have a "voice" in improving the Troy Fair and the Junior Board activities.
* Free Admittance to Troy Fair with additional privileges/perks

**Intermediate Fair Board**

* Older than 19, graduate of high school and/or been an active member of the Junior Board
* Follow all Junior Board Responsibilities
* Supervise, mentor and work with Junior Board members
* Take on leader / coordinator roles of certain fair activities
* Shadow with department head and/or Senior Board Director when applicable/appropriate
* Attend at least one senior board meeting and 2 junior board meetings (work bees, Alparon Park festivities, office help, and other fair related activities can count as meeting times at Junior Board Director’s discretion)

**Code of Conduct – Dismissal**

* Any Junior or Intermediate board member who does not perform his or her responsibilities to the satisfaction of the Junior Board Director and/or the Senior Board may be dismissed at any time prior to or during the Troy Fair.