Past recipients over the last several years. Here are the names since 1981:

**OUTSTANDING 4-H’ER**:

Traci (Stover) Spear, Brian Clugston, Rusty Newdigger, Roberta (Shideler) Sellers, Tammy Mercer, Suzanne Herron, Ruth (Virtue)Wydick, Martin Johnston, Sherrie (Atkinson) Nida, Lori (Maxwell) Simmons, Chris (Herrenbruck) Cranston, Shannon (Flanagan) Justice, Beth Sarwinski, Tracy (Grant) Simpson, Patty Herrenbruck, Jason Kelley, Jamie Walsh, Ronda (Clark) Herrenbruck, Chris Meyer, Serena (Alford) Brown, Andy Herrenbruck, Kerri (Evans) Matson, Mindi (Thiele) Eddington, Rebecca (Grant) Brassart, Macy (Jarrett) Crossland, Ragena (Clark) Duling, Beth Porter, Brad Wells, Andy Jarrett, Kevin Karsten, Brian Thiele, Amanda (Eckhardt) DePratt, Kara (Rennie) Parker, Carrie (Depenbusch) Trotter, Lacey Johnson, Jeff Karsten, Josh Paxson, Brad Westervelt, Josie Hall, Christina (Karsten) Martin, Whitney (Paxson) Moran, Raven (Zook) Elmore, Renae Downs, Jennifer Steinbach, Sarah Garner, Ira Moore, Kala Harrington, Jason Wright, Tyler Logan, Christine Hildebrandt, Zac Sellers, Bailey Zook, Lauren Peterson, Amanda Wright, Jordyn Abbott, Vanessa Walker, Amanda Barnes, Lucas Epler, Chelsey Humble, Chastin Leggett, Lindsay Nida, Randi Mercer, James Humble, Beth Mercer, Zachary Mullere, Zackary Gregory, Dalton Gregory, Marty Shanks, Heather Eckhardt, Grant Simpson, Hannah Gideon, Amber Helwig, Devin Elliott, Mya Hamilton, Emma Walker, Jade Ohmart, Parker Neely

**OUTSTANDING JUNIOR 4-H’ER**: (Began in 1988)

John Ed Alford, Scott Pritchett, Misty (Evans) Smith, Chad Hall, Valerie Flood, Nathan Jaeger, Joe Carlson, Lindsay (Drennan) Edmondson, Melissa Warner, Jake Hall, Amber Thompson, Carrie (Depenbusch) Trotter, Ryan Harrington, Justin Mooney, Lorie (Burgan) Johnson, Janelle Hodgson, Jeffrey Karsten, Diana (Jarrett) Harrington, Eric Lopp, Kenny Rippel, Zachary Robinson, Christina (Karsten) Martin, Paul Holding, Kayla Eckhardt, Dallas Logan, Jamie (Robinson) Bauer, Shiloh Williams, Jason Wright, Charla Atkinson, Tim Holding, Sarah Martin, Jessica Figgins, Vanessa Hart, Whitney Ulery, Amanda Wright, Daniel Clugston, Kortney (Moore) Adoremos, Bobbi Ann Shanks, Hannah Atkinson, Amber Figgins, Brian Martin, Kylee Robison, Erin Pearson, Rachelle Roth, Katrina Curry, Bailey Staponski, BreAnda Banzet, Ashley Newell, Chase Tabor, Phillip Underwood, Kindall Henning, Ashlynn Mullere, Grant Simpson, Tyler Bottorff, Eric Underwood, Jacob Wyckoff, Jamie Leeper, Savannah Meyer, Kenny Herrenbruck, Morgan Leeper, Kaylee Gum, Tyler Gum, Waycee Brassart, Preston Mullere, Haddie Gideon, Gracee Pritchett, Karsyn Youngblood, Emma Walker, Brylie Johnson, Parker Neely, Brooks Walker, Graci Jo Hall, Kora Welch

**ALUMNI**

John Paxson, Barbara Depenbusch, Sara Johnston, Dale Hall, Cora Belcher, Waldo Hall, Pete Jessee, Jr., Colleen Stover Johnson, Bob Epler, Judy Rosenstiel, Anita McColm, Chuck Sharp, Rusty Newdigger, Rick Atkinson, Liz (Meriwether) Simpson, Nancy Herrenbruck, Bill Harrington, Sue Eckhardt, Terry Paxson, Marlene Clark, Mary Frances Duffin, Paul Grant, Clark Hall, Paula Andrews, Joni Harrington, Martha Flanagan, Sonja Ledford, Carolyn Ward, Helen Kelley, Scott Williams, Elita Alford, Linda Parker Palmer, Judi Grant, Kent Warstler, Kenny White, Cindy Epler, Jim Martin, Angie Rippel, Dwight Westervelt, Sherry Clark, Rosalie Lopp, Rosalie Rennie, Jamie Walsh, Joyce Johnson, Bill Lyons, Anna Marie Martin, Shirley Thompson, Marta Brown, Shannon (Flanagan) Justice, Todd Hart, Rebecca Logan, Chris Meyer, Nicole Meyer, Terry North, Tracy Simpson, Ann Thiele, Kathy Wright, Mary Pat Burgan, Kyle Rennie, Steve Scott, Rhonda Zook, Galen Zook, Shane Eckhardt, Tammie Eckhardt, Joe Mooney, Anne Haggard, Nathan Jaeger, Dr. Manford Mansfield, Brian Clugston, Chip Herrenbruck, Ronda (Clark) Herrenbruck, Roberta Sellers, Dr. Rob Herron, Rosemary Pillar, Liz Simpson, Marta Shanks, Andy Herrenbruck, Bob Shanks, Betty Epler, Clark Hall, Jennifer Steinbach, Teresa (Helwig) Pearson, Sandy Mercer, Teresa (Walsh) Robison, Krystle Hall, Greg Jones, Christy Mercer, Connie Tabor, Wilma Handshy, Robert Wigton, Jeff Martin, Brad Wells, Mark Barnes, Tara Underwood, Gale Holt, Sherrie Nida, Rosie Heistand, Jennifer Leeper, Krystal Willhite, Lacey (Johnson) Branstine, Kathy (Allen) Denny, Dustin Major, Buck Sharp, Larry Hiatt, Barb Simpson, Scott Pritchett, Jenna Pritchett, Lorie Johnson, Amanda Walker, Renae Peine, KC Youngblood, Carla Karsten, Raven Elmore, Josie Welch, Jason Wells

**BUDDY BARKER**

Mona Tanner, Moore Johnson, Dr. D.L. Bower, Wanda Mercer, Ivan Paxson, Carrie Newdigger, Glenn Auman, George Sharp, Bill Brooks, Frank Lathrop, Cheryl Edmonds, Joe Davis, Joe Cook, Linda Grant, Ted Wary, Jim Pritchett, Salamanca Township - Mr. & Mrs. Paul Frazee, Shirley Evans, Ann Major, LeRoy Stevens, Eddy Alford, Terry North, Dr. & Mrs. E.E. Hollern, Lyman & Louise Pender, John Benedict, Neil Hale, Keith Warren, Darrell Shumake, Betha Williams, Richard & Julie Green, Leo Martin, James Shallenburger, Daryell Thompson, Brenda Grant, Oscar Lathrop, Phillip & Melinda Mooney, Marguerite Mosler, Sue Drennan, Pam Paxson, Larry & Pam Robinson, Laura Atkinson, Quinn Clark, John Lopp, Bob Burgan, Gary Drennan, Gary & Donna Hurlburt, Kristi Rennie, Melissa York, Becky Keith, Tom Peterson, Julie Becker, Jon Holt, Dawn Bonet, Cara Moore, Tom & Rhonda Wimmer, Hatfield Chevrolet, Betty Martin, Mae Simpson, Becky Curry, Kim Figgins, Susan Garrison, Rod Day, Pete Figgins, Mike Pearson, Becky Newell, Janice Rennie, Brad Daniels, Bill DeHart, Roger Porter, Jacob Weber, Steve & Lorrie Scott, Galen & Rhonda Zook, Jimmy & Linda Hendry, Teresa Greninger, Betty Karnes, Dr. Kurtis Gregory, Gary & Amy Gideon, Sally Davis, Chad Johnson, Amy Henson, 2016 - no nominations, Cathy Metcalf, Jodi Helwig, Susan Archer, Julie Thomas, Karen Densley

**FRIEND OF 4-H** (Began in 1987)

Cherokee County Livestock Improvement Association - CCLIA, Sam & Betty Ross, Benn Shaffer, Dale Hall, Columbus Telephone Company, Orin & Shirley Eckhardt, Norman Harrington, Ace Hardware, Farmers Coop, Midwest Color Graphics, Mary Frances Duffin, George & Doris Mosler, Cherokee County Farm Bureau, Columbus Daily Advocate, Columbus Saddle Club, Paul Atkins, Calibrated Forms, Farm Credit Services, Butterball Turkey Company, Custom Poultry Bedding, Pat Smith, County Commissioners, Farm Talk, Richard & Karen Karsten, D & D Construction, Don Holding Family, B.E.S.T. Plumbing, Harold & Joanne Shideler, Robert & Lois Wigton, Modern Jewelry, Orlan and Lucille Shanks, Nancy Herrenbruck, Moncriefs Greenhouse, Angie Rippel, Larry Dunn/CUHS, Barbara Paxson, Columbus Public Library, Thelma Thiele, Dr. Kurtis Gregory, Lloyd & Vera Helwig, Meadowbrook Mall, Columbus Lions Club, Columbus Locker, Jim & Frona Walsh, J. R.’s Western Store, Lawrence Tack, Maple UnCommon, Harold & Barbara Depenbusch, True Value, Bob Brassart Construction, Jason & Lorie Johnson, Galena Sentinel Times, Carolyn Eddington, Dean Jessee, Team Outfitters-Mary Jones, Greg Freeman, Quinn & Sherry Clark, Dale Helwig Ag Choice of Weir, Landon Packard with Columbus Meat Locker, Michele Hamilton, Constance Asher, David Holmes, Mike Houser