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**Junior Farmers’ Association of Ontario**

***Building Leaders. Building Communities.***

**The JFAO Central Canada Exhibition Grant Program**

**History:** The Central Canada Exhibition, also known as Ottawa SuperEX, was an eleven-day annual exhibition held in Lansdowne Park in Ottawa every August. Beginning in 1888, it included exhibits, entertainment, and fun for all ages each year except during World War 2. In 2010, the fair came to an end and despite many efforts to bring it back, it was decided in 2015 that it would not be returning. The land was sold, and the members of the board chose to use the money to continue to support the local community. In 2021, the Junior Farmers’ Association of Ontario was selected as one of the recipients with the hope that the money would be used by clubs in Eastern Ontario to continue bettering their community with our motto, "Building Leaders. Building Communities."

**Eligibility:**

This grant is open to any affiliated JFAO club from the East Zone.

**How to Apply:**

Clubs that are interested may apply by submitting a written proposal to the President at [president@jfao.on.ca](mailto:president@jfao.on.ca). This shall include an explanation of how the funds will be used, how it will benefit the community as well as information for a contact person in the club. Proposals will be reviewed by the executive at a monthly meeting and a member of the executive will follow up with the club contact. The grant program will continue as long as funds are available, and consideration will be given to sharing it among the clubs in the zone. The executive board holds the authority to approve the full or partial request of the proposal.

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**Central Canada Exhibition Grant Proposal**

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| **Club Name** |  | **Date of Request** |  |
| **Club President** |  | **Club Provincial Director** |  |
| **Proposal Contact** |  | **Phone Number and Email** |  |

**Requested Amount:**

**Title of Proposal:**

Justification for request:

* What will the money be directly used for?
* When would the amount be used?
* How will the grant benefit your club?
* How will it benefit the community?