

APPLICATION

County, business, or group name:

Submitted by:

Phone/Email:

Category:

Exhibit Theme/Name:

Description:

Display Location:

DEADLINE: November 15

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LET'S CONNECT!



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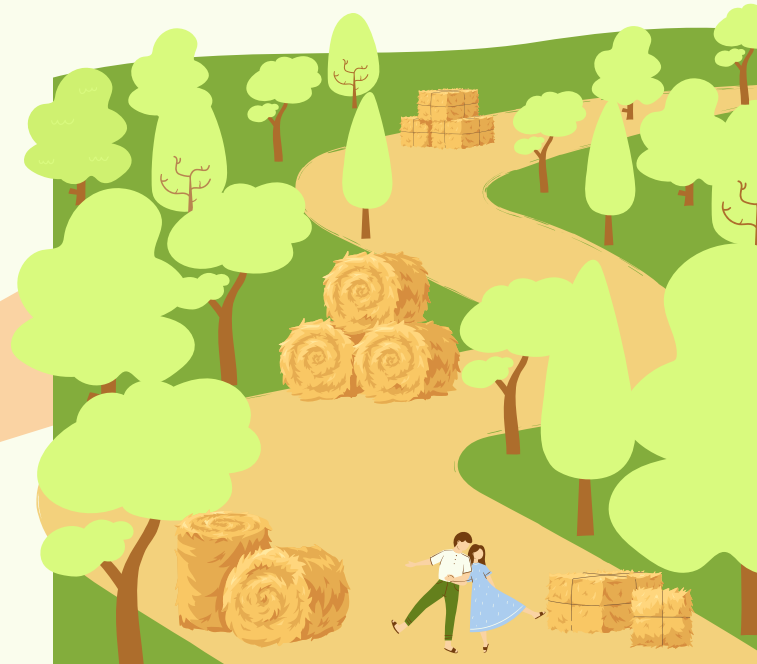
THE VFB WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP
PROGRAM PROMOTES AGRICULTURE
THROUGH EDUCATION, LEADERSHIP
AND ADVOCACY.



WOMEN'S
LEADERSHIP
PROGRAM

Hay Bale Decorating Contest

This contest is designed to
showcase and highlight agriculture
across the Commonwealth, engage
local communities, and spark
conversations about the food we
eat and where it begins.



WHAT YOU WANT TO KNOW?

Who can participate?

Anyone! Local businesses, schools, agricultural groups, individuals and more are invited to participate.

How can I engage my community?

There are so many ways. You can:

- Display brochures at the FB Office
- Promote the contest in the county FB newsletter
- Circulate flyers in the community - local schools and youth groups
- Share on Social Media
- Share with local media - newspaper, TV station, etc.



HOW TO PARTICIPATE

DECORATE A HAYBALE

Acquire a square or round bale of hay, put your creative hat on, and decorate away!

SUBMIT A PHOTO

Snap a photo of the decorated hay bale(s) from this calendar year, select a category to compete in, complete the application information (via QR Code or in the brochure), and submit your entry.



APPLY HERE!

WIN A CASH PRIZE!

*All submitted photo entries will become property of Virginia Farm Bureau and may be used in publications and social media platforms.

CONTEST DETAILS

CONTEST DURATION

The contest opens September 1st and closes November 15th.

DISPLAY CATEGORIES

- Junior (age 8 and under)
- Square Bale Display
- Community Spirit
- Most Creative
- Special Theme: 'Stars of Agriculture' - decorate your haybale like a celebrity or agricultural figure - real or fictional

HONORARY AWARDS

- Convention Favorite - selected by attendees of the VFBF Convention
- Most Creative - awarded by judges
- People's Choice - voted by on Facebook

