

TEAM AG ED -- National Distinguished Contributor Nomination Form

Local Affiliates: If applicable submit to your state office in accordance with state deadlines
State Associations: Submit to the National FFA Alumni Office, 6060 FFA Drive, PO Box 68960, Indianapolis, IN 46268-0960
To be judged all entries submitted to National **must** be postmarked by **July 1**

Name of Nominee: Mr. John H. Leiterman

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Title or Occupation of Nominee: Retired Dairy & Livestock Farmer/Manager at GB Packaging, Inc.

Purpose: To honor individuals, groups/organizations, or companies who may or may not be Alumni members and make significant contributions as part of the TEAM AG ED concept.

Has nominee ever been employed as a teacher state staff or teacher educator of agriculture education? Yes No

PLEASE BE AS SPECIFIC AS POSSIBLE IN ANSWERING THE FOLLOWING. ADD NO MORE THAN ONE ADDITIONAL PAGE, IF ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY.

In what way has the nominee been a "Distinguished Contributor" to agricultural education, FFA and the FFA Alumni? (Contributions of time, expertise, talent, money, facilities, equipment or sacrifices made beyond expectations will be considered.)

Local (25 points):

Served 5 yrs on Denmark FFA Alumni Board, Served ALL officer positions for one term, Chair of 2 ISC State Fastpitch Tournaments hosted by Denmark FFA Alumni (raising approx. \$32,000 for our local students), Chaired Softball Tournament fundraiser, Chaired donation Committee for local Blue and Gold Golf Tournament (8 yrs.), Served on over 20 local FFA alumni Raffle Committees, Chaperoned and provided transportation for Ag Survey, Dairy Production, & Horse Production classes and FFA educational field trips both during the school day, as well as weekends and evenings, sponsor of the Ag Mechanics Proficiency & FFA Band & Chorus awards at local FFA Banquet each year, assisted with Brown County Breakfast on the Farm (5,000 + attended), charter member of the Denmark FFA Alumni

State (25 points):

Served 11 years on WI State Alumni Council (5 yrs. as Sectional Rep., 1 yr. as Pres. Elect, 1 yr. as Pres., 1 yr. as Past Pres.) Attended the WI FFA Alumni Conv. the past 15 yrs. (Delegate, Speaker, Workshop Leader on Fundraising Ideas for Affiliates, Attended several Workshops, Donated and purchased items at the Silent & Live Auctions) Recipient of Distinguished Service Award at the State FFA Convention, Honorary State FFA Degree Recipient, Judge of FFA Scrapbook Contest at State Convention, Creed & Extemp Contest State Judge, Lifetime State Alumni member, Speaker at State FFA Convention, presented numerous awards on state representing Wis. FFA Alumni Association, presented educational scholarships to retiring State FFA Officer team, assisted with Alumni Booth

National (50 points):

Attended the National FFA Conventions in Kansas City and Louisville (22 years), Served as a delegate from Wisconsin at all but one of these National Conventions (took a year off for daughter's wedding!), Candidate for National Alumni Officer (At-large Candidate), Outstanding Achievement Award Recipient, Chair of State Leaders Conference (where officers from around US gather to develop more leadership skills and share ideas with other states), Hosted this event in Green Bay, WI, arranged tours, speakers, meals, lodging, and more. Donated items for the National FFA Alumni Auction many, many, times (live and silent auctions), Coordinated Cheese Baskets, and the State Basket for the National Auction, National alumni Life member, Judge for National FFA Proficiency Award

Nominated by the State of: **Wisconsin**

Date (mm/dd/yy): **02/09/06**

State FFA Alumni Leader: Mrs. Darlene Arneson
(Printed)

(Signature)

Address: 1416 Lincoln Avenue

City: Stoughton

State: WI Zip: 53589-