

## **Richland County Farm Bureau Fair Ambassador**

### **Overview:**

Richland County Farm Bureau is looking to hire one to three Ambassadors for the 2017 Richland County Fair. This paid position will require an Ambassador to set up the displays, work scheduled days of the fair from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m., and help tear down displays and activities. Total hours worked will not be in excess of fifty (50) hours over the ten (10) day period beginning August 4 through August 13.

### **Job Description**

- Position summary:
  - To promote a positive image of Ohio agriculture at the Richland County Fair Farm Bureau Tent and to provide a memorable experience for fairgoers.
- Primary Duties:
  - Serve as an ambassador for Ohio agriculture to fair attendees.
  - Build relationships with Farm Bureau members and the non-farming public
  - Provide a family-friendly attraction that will generate positive conversations about the Richland County Fair
  - Ensure Farm Bureau, Our Ohio and Ohio agriculture policies and goals are well represented in the exhibit
  - Must be comfortable talking to the public, answering questions, and promoting agriculture
  - Engage with the public, share Farm Bureau history & purpose and explain member benefits
  - Work closely with county Farm Bureau volunteers to prospect new members and grow all classes of membership
  - Answer fair-goers questions and serve as a host
  - Collaborate with businesses and organizations who share similar attributes as Farm Bureau
  - Present educational demonstrations to fairgoers
  - Cooperate with volunteers and other ambassadors to ensure the displays are well-staffed and well-supplied, the area stays clean, and visitors are having a worthwhile and encouraging experience
- Minimum educational qualifications:
  - High school graduate preferred but not required
- Minimum skill qualifications:
  - Ability to take initiative and follow-through
  - Good communication skills (written and oral)
  - Self-motivated and willing to work independently
  - Capable of working extended hours
- Preferred qualifications:
  - Broad knowledge of modern agriculture
  - Familiar with Farm Bureau
- Benefits and compensation:
  - Hourly compensation at the rate of \$8.30 per hour
  - Fair pass if needed for work days
  - Relevant work experience and references to add to résumés

All inquiries can be made to Abra Dunn at (419) 512-5551.

All interested applicants shall send a resume to [richland@ofbf.org](mailto:richland@ofbf.org) no later than July 5.