

THE RALPH KEELING LEADERSHIP AWARD

2017 Nomination Form

The Ralph Keeling Leadership Award is presented annually to an Iowan who has shown outstanding leadership in Iowa's dairy industry. This award is in honor of the late Ralph Keeling. Keeling operated a successful dairy farm and business, devoting much of his time and talents to progressing Iowa's dairy industry. The Award was established in 1967 to recognize those individuals whose leadership efforts contribute significantly to Iowa's dairy industry.

NOMINATIONS DUE MAY 5, 2017

NOMINATION FORM

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Sponsored by: IOWA STATE DAIRY ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

GENERAL INFORMATION:

NAME: _____
TITLE: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY/ZIP: _____
PHONE: _____
COUNTY: _____

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY:

PRODUCER INFORMATION:

Farm Organization: Sole Proprietorship Partnership Corp.

Farm Operation: Single Family Multi Family

Please list those actively involved in the farm operation, including children:

(NAME & RELATIONSHIP)

FARM DESCRIPTION:

ACRES OWNED _____

ACRES RENTED: _____

CROPS GROWN: _____

NUMBER OF MILKING COWS: _____

BREED OF MILKING COWS: _____

ROLLING HERD AVERAGE: _____

SCC HERD AVERAGE: _____

(Producer) What business innovations has this person employed to improve the operation's efficiency and profitability?

INDUSTRY

OCCUPATIONAL HISTORY:

PRESENT OCCUPATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

In one paragraph, describe how this person has contributed to the health and growth of the dairy industry in the state of Iowa.

Signature of nominator: _____

Print Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

NOMINATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE MAY 5, 2017.

Return to: Iowa State Dairy Association
101 NE Trilein Dr.
Ankeny, IA 50021

(Please type or print. Additional sheets of paper may be used. Up to three original, signed, letters of support may be attached.)