

OUTSTANDING NATIONAL YOUNG GUERNSEY FARMER APPLICATION FORM

Application Deadline ~ March 31, 2026

RULES

1. Applicant must be born from January 1, 1990, through December 31, 2004, and must be a member of the American Guernsey Association.
2. All entries must be postmarked or emailed to the AGA on or before March 31, 2026.
3. A maximum of one entrant per state may be eligible for national competition.
4. A national and first runner-up will be selected. The winner and his/her spouse will receive \$750 towards expenses for attending the 2026 annual meeting of the American Guernsey Association and the Eugene Harding Memorial Award, in addition to pictures and publicity. Recipient must be present at the Annual Convention to receive the award.
5. The first runner-up will receive \$200 to assist with travel expenses if he/she attends the 2026 annual meeting of the AGA.
6. This competition is to acknowledge the progressive attitude of young Guernsey breeders and considers their successes with the dairy businesses and farming operations.

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information contained herein is correct.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

State Guernsey Club President's Signature _____

Date _____

AGA Director, Field Representative or Consultant Signature _____

Date _____

Submit completed application form **and a color photograph of applicant** by March 31, 2026, to the American Guernsey Association, 1224 Alton Darby Creek Rd., Suite G, Columbus, OH 43228.

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Name(s) _____

Address _____

Telephone (____) _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____

Email Address _____

Farm Name _____

Spouse and/or Children

Name and Address of Local Paper(s)

Jr. Member (# of Years): County/District _____ State _____ AGA _____

Adult Member: County/District _____ State _____ AGA _____

Education: (High School, College or University attended):

Name & Location	Years Attended	Degree-Year
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

College Major: _____

Extra Curricular activities and awards/honors received:

Questions: Please attach typed responses and limit responses to 200 words or less per question.

1. How did you become involved in dairying? Why did you select Guernseys for your dairy?
2. Describe your breeding program.
3. Briefly explain your specific responsibilities with the dairy operation. (Are you the manager, owner or renter, etc.?)
4. Are you involved in another related business? If so, how does it assist you in your dairy operation?
5. What are your goals over the next five years to improve your herd and Guernsey operation to remain competitive in the dairy industry?