

2018 Awareness Award

(National Contest)

Theme: Pollinator awareness

- Research different types of pollination and pollinators. Talk to a Master Gardener about their importance and what you can do to help.
- Create a pollination diagram and a flyer about the importance of pollinators; place flyers in your Grange hall and at local businesses.
- Encourage friends, family, and neighbors to not use toxic chemical pesticides.
- Find out what plants pollinators are drawn to and plant a pollinator garden.
- Build a 'bee condo,' 'insect hotel,' bird house, or butterfly house.
- Speak at your Junior or Subordinate/Community Grange about the importance of pollinators.

Submit a copy of your flyer, diagram, photographs of what you built and of your efforts to bring awareness. Include written testimonials about your efforts. Your Junior Leader must submit a letter stating your efforts. Submissions must be sent to the National Junior Director postmarked by **October 1** and have your name, age, Grange name and number, state, mailing address, and whether you will be attending the National Grange Convention to pick up your certificate. If not, it will be mailed to you.