

# Geauga County 4-H Horse Committee Scholarship Application 2019

## Guidelines

- 1) Scholarship are available to Geauga County 4-H Horse Program member who meets the following requirements:
  - a. A current member of the Geauga County 4-H Horse Program for at least three years
  - b. A graduating High School Senior in the application year
  - c. Enrolled in a four-year college, two year college, or vocational school for the Fall 2019 term/semester (Course of study does not need to be equine related).
- 2) The scholarship award criteria is based on years of participation in the Geauga County 4-H Horse Program/leadership positions, extracurricular activities/leadership positions, community service not related to 4-H or school requirements, a required essay, and a minimum of 2 letters of recommendation.
- 3) Up to four (4) \$500.00 scholarships are available.
- 4) COMPLETE applications, which include essays and letters of recommendations, and completion of the remittance form, for the scholarship must be post marked by May 31, 2019 and sent to:

Ohio State University Extension - Geauga County  
Attn: Horse Committee Scholarship  
P.O. Box 387  
Burton, OH 44021
- 5) The scholarship will be awarded based on fulfillment of the application requirements and the scoring by independent judges with no affiliation to the Geauga County 4-H Horse Committee or Program
- 6) Scholarship recipient will be notified no later than August 1. The scholarship committee will announce the year's recipient at the 4-H Horse Awards Program during The Great Geauga County Fair.
- 7) The scholarship funds will be paid directly to the post-secondary education institution where the recipient is enrolled.
- 8) The committee reserves the right to require verification of High School graduation and/or enrollment at a post-secondary education institution.
- 9) The decision of the Scholarship Committee shall be considered final.



# GEAUGA COUNTY 4-H HORSE COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

College/University/Vocational School you will be attending and area of study:

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On separate paper, complete and attach the following requirements. Please type (12 font) and double spaced.

- 4-H Horse Program participation: Including years in 4-H Horse Program, club name(s), and offices held.
- List your extracurricular activities and leadership positions held during your high school years (sports, club activities, church). Include length of time in each.
- List any community service during your high school years other than 4-H or school requirements, and the length of time involved.
- Minimum of two letters of recommendation, written by a non-relative over the age of 21.
- Incorporate the following terms into an essay of 400 words or less that reflect your experiences and your intentions regarding your future plans: 4-H Program, community service, leadership, character, integrity, goals.

**PLEASE DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME ON YOUR ESSAY**

I agree to abide by the rules of this application and understand the judges' decision is final.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Required regardless of age of applicant)



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