

# Wisconsin 4-H Horse Association Scholarship

## **Description:**

Up to six scholarships may be awarded if applicable.

## **Eligibility:**

- A. High school seniors and post-secondary students currently in their first year of higher education are eligible to apply.
- B. A minimum GPA 2.0 out of 4.0 is required to apply.
- C. A minimum of four consecutive years in the 4-H Horse & Pony Project (regular member or horseless horse).
- D. Applicants must attend an accredited, post-secondary school/program (i.e. 2- or 4-year collage or professional technical program, Farm & Industry short course program, vocational college or training of at least one school year in length).
- E. Applicants may pursue any major.

## **Minimum Requirements for Application:**

- A. Two letters of recommendation
  - 1. Project or club leader (quality of project work, leadership, role model).
  - 2. One from any other source (employer, teacher, school advisor, clergy) **not** from relative.
- B. Application
- C. Summary questionnaire

## **Comments:**

- A. All scholarship forms and letters of reference must be postmarked by March 1.  
Mail to: Wisconsin 4-H Horse Association, N3361 Sleepy Hollow Road, Kewaunee, WI 54216.
- B. Scholarship recipients will be notified by mail.
- C. Scholarships will be paid in the name of the school, or the school and the recipient after one semester is completed.
- D. Previous recipients of the Wisconsin 4-H Horse Association Scholarship are not eligible to apply.

Applications may be accessed at the Wisconsin 4-H Horse Association website. (see pages 2 & 3)

# Wisconsin 4-H Horse Association Scholarship Application

Please print or type

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

School presently attending: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Year in School: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of school you will be attending on September 1 of this year:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Field in which you plan to study: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of 4-H Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Years in 4-H: \_\_\_\_\_

List offices held in 4-H and year. List most recent year first.

<u>Office</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
1. _____	_____	4. _____	_____
2. _____	_____	5. _____	_____
3. _____	_____	6. _____	_____

List the 4-H projects that you were an active member and years in the project (limit of 10)

<u>Project</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Years</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

I prepared this application myself and certify that the information in it is accurate.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of 4-H Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of County 4-H Agent: \_\_\_\_\_

**For the following sections, please limit your answers to ½ page for each question**

**4-H Horse Project Activity Summary**

- A. Describe how you were an active and contributing 4-H member.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- B. Describe your involvement in the 4-H Horse Project. Include a description of any leadership roles you have filled.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- C. Describe your involvement in the WI State 4-H Association. Include volunteering and participation – MHF Used Tack Sale, Education Days, Youth Board and shows.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- D. How has involvement with the 4-H Horse Project impacted your life?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- E. What would you consider to be your greatest accomplishment in the 4-H Horse Project?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- F. What impact has 4-H had on your educational, career or personal goals?

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Applicant Rating Sheet – For Judges Use Only**

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Signature of 4-H Member & County 4-H Agent

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Transcript showing minimum GPA 2.0 out of 4.0 is required.

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Minimum of four consecutive years in the 4-H Horse and Pony Project

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Two letters of recommendation signed with their title

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Application

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Summary questionnaire

\* Application for Scholarship will not be processed without all these items enclosed.

Describe how you were an active and contributing 4-H member Possible Score (20) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your involvement in the 4-H Horse and Pony Project Possible Score (20) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your involvement with the WI State 4-H Horse Association Possible Score (20) \_\_\_\_\_

How has involvement with the 4-H Horse Project impacted your life Possible Score (20) \_\_\_\_\_

What would you consider your greatest accomplishment in the horse project Possible Score (10) \_\_\_\_\_

What impact has 4-H had on your education, career or personal goals Possible Score (10) \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL SCORE \_\_\_\_\_

Would you award this youth a scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_