

Junior Leader Club Scholarship

A Scholarship Fund has been set up by the Junior Leader Club for past and present club members. Two \$500.00 scholarships are offered annually. In the event that these scholarships are not awarded in a given year, the money will be earmarked for additional scholarships as needed in the following years.

Scholarship money is available for either college/university, or vocational/technical education on the undergraduate and graduate levels.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Applications are due at the Extension Office May 1st of each year, and scholarships will be awarded by August of that calendar year.
- Student(s) must not have passed their 23rd birthday as of January 1st of the current year.
- Student(s) must have completed 5 years of 4-H club work and be an active member of the County Junior Leader Club a minimum of 3 years, or have completed 3 years of leadership projects in their club.
- Student(s) must currently be currently enrolled as a 4-H member or a graduate of the St. Charles County 4-H program.
- Previous winners are not eligible.

JUDGING OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED

- A committee will be selected to judge applications for the 2 available scholarships and may do so on an individual basis rather than a group.
- The committee shall consist of some or all of these:
 - 1 Junior Leader Club Advisor
 - 1 St. Charles County 4-H alumnus
 - President of the 4-H County Council
 - St. Charles County 4-H Youth Specialist
- Any member(s) of the Judging Committee must excuse themselves from judging if they or a relative are applying for the scholarship.
- Names and other bio information will be detached form scholarship applications submitted to provide impartial evaluation of the applications.

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Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home _____

Cell Phone _____

E-mail _____

Years in 4-H _____ Years in Jr. Leaders _____

SECTION A – ACADEMIC INFORMATION

1. Name and address of High School:

2. Date of Graduation_____

3. Name and address of College or Trade School you are now attending or will attend:

4. Field in which you are majoring or plan to major:_____

5. Describe why you are interested in pursuing higher education and the reason for choosing your field of study:_____

SECTION B – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

1. Number of brothers and sisters in your family_____

2. Number of family members in elementary school this coming year_____

3. Number of family members in secondary this coming year_____

4. Number of family members in college this coming year_____

5. Have you completed the FAFSA?_____

6. List anticipated college or trade school costs for the next year?

Tuition Fees \$_____

Housing & Meals \$_____

Books & Supplies \$_____

Miscellaneous (Clothing, postage, travel, extra meals, social activities, football/basketball ticket packages, yearbook, parking permit, etc.)

\$_____

7. Describe how you would use this scholarship for meeting your financial need:

SECTION C – EXPERIENCES IN 4-H

- 1. Years in 4-H: _____
- 2. Currently participating in 4-H: Yes____ No____
If yes explain:

- 3. Major 4-H projects and number of years in project:

- 4. Major 4-H offices held (club, Jr. Leader club, state):

- 5. Major 4-H achievements:

Years as Junior Leader _____

County Council representative _____

State 4-H Council Area representative _____

Attended 4-H Camp _____

4-H Camp Counselor _____

Participated in County Fair _____

Participated in State Fair _____

Attended 4-H Teen Conference _____

Attended 4-H State Conference _____

Attended 4-H National Conference _____

- 6. Major 4-H awards received:
