



Sheboygan County 4-H Horse & Pony Project Scholarship

Due: April 1

Description:

Up to two (2) \$500 scholarships will be awarded.

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 3.0 out of 4.0 is required to apply.
- c. A minimum of three consecutive years in the 4-H Horse & Pony Project (regular member or horseless horse groom).
- d. Applicants must attend an accredited, post-secondary school/program (i.e. 2- or 4-year college 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, club leadership).
 2. One from any other source (employer, teacher, school advisor) **not** from relative.
- b. Application

Interview:

- a. A panel of judges will conduct a face-to-face interview with finalists at a date and time to be determined.

Comments:

- a. All scholarship forms and letters of reference must be received at the UW-Extension Office, 5 University Drive, Sheboygan, WI 53081 by April 1.
- b. Scholarship recipients will be notified no later than April 1 and recognized at the Sheboygan County Fair 4-H Horse & Pony Awards Ceremony (Monday afternoon of fair).
- 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 4-H Horse & Pony Project Scholarship are not eligible to apply.

Applications may be picked up at the UW-Extension Office or are available online at <http://sheboygan.uwex.edu/4hscholarshipapplications.html>

**Sheboygan County 4-H Horse & Pony Project Scholarship
Applicant Rating Sheet-For Judges Use Only**

Applicant's Name: _____

Possible Score

• 4-H Horse & Pony Leadership & Involvement

Comments: _____

_____ 30 _____

• 4-H Horse & Pony Service Activities

Comments: _____

_____ 15 _____

• Learn and growth in 4-H Horse & Pony Project

Comments: _____

_____ 15 _____

• Other Extracurricular Leadership & Involvement

Comments: _____

_____ 15 _____

• Other Service Activities outside of 4-H Horse & Pony Project

Comments: _____

_____ 5 _____

• Accomplishments & Awards

Comments: _____

_____ 5 _____

• Quality of Application (grammar, spelling, neatness, etc.)

Comments: _____

_____ 10 _____

• Interview

Comments: _____

_____ 30 _____ Total

**Sheboygan County
4-H Horse & Pony Project
Scholarship Application**

Please print or type.

Due: April 1
UW-Extension
Office 5 University
Drive
Sheboygan, WI 53081

Applicant's Name: _____

Permanent Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ 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 while using this scholarship.

Field in which you plan to study. _____

4-H Club and Project Information

Name of club to which you belong(ed). _____

Years in 4-H: _____ Years in Youth Leadership: _____

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 taken and the number of years in each project (please limit to the 10 most active projects).

*Please note, applicant must have been in the 4-H Horse & Pony Project a minimum of three consecutive years.

Project Years Project Years

For the following sections, please add space where needed.

4-H Horse & Pony Activity Summary

Describe the leadership and/or teaching responsibilities you have had in the 4-H Horse & Pony Project. Include any local, county, district or state leadership roles. Give the year(s) for each activity.

List and briefly describe your 4-H Horse & Pony Project related service activities in club, community, and county.

What have you learned and how have you grown through the 4-H Horse & Pony Project.

Other Extracurricular Activity Summary

Describe other leadership and/or teaching responsibilities you have had outside of the 4-H Horse & Pony Project including other 4-H and extracurricular opportunities (i.e. school, church and/or service club related). Give the year(s) for each activity.

List and briefly describe your extracurricular service (volunteer) activities in club, community, and county.

List awards and/or accomplishments (horse & non-horse related, including trips selected).

Please share other horse-related activities outside 4-H.

Signature of Applicant Date