

## CARROLL COUNTY 4-H LIVESTOCK CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

### CRITERIA

#### Eligibility Requirements:

1. Currently a 4-H or FFA member in Carroll County;
2. Be a graduating senior or high school graduate;
3. Be accepted at or already attending college or post secondary school
4. Must have shown or exhibited livestock in the Carroll County Program;
5. Applicant must have completed units for the previous year's livestock projects and must submit completed units with the scholarship application.

#### Selection will be based on:

1. 4-H/FFA accomplishments, 4-H/FFA participation, financial need and high school/college grades.
2. Applicant must furnish a transcript of high school as well as college grades if college courses have been taken.
3. Two letters of recommendation; one from a high school teacher/college professor and one from a 4-H leader or educator. **Use attached form.**
4. Decision of the selection committee will be final.
5. All candidates must be interviewed.
6. Selection committee may decide not to award a scholarship if there are no worthy applicants.

The amount of the scholarship is \$500.00 and the scholarship will only be awarded once to each individual. However, if extra money is available winners may be eligible for a second scholarship based on service to the 4-H program during the following year. See the Livestock Club leader for details and eligibility.

Scholarships will be announced at the 4-H/FFA Livestock Sale at the Carroll County Fair.

Completed application, letters of reference and grade transcripts are due to the Carroll County 4-H Office by June 15. Applicants will be notified of the interview schedule.

Applications are available from: Carroll County 4-H Office, 700 Agriculture Center  
Carroll County High School Guidance Offices  
Community Foundation of Carroll County, Inc.

**CARROLL COUNTY 4-H LIVESTOCK CLUB  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Applicant Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
4-H/FFA Club(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of year in 4-H/FFA \_\_\_\_\_

**You may attach your 4-H Resume in lieu of answering the following information.**

Officers held in each club: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Major 4-H Achievements: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Community Service Activities and Achievements: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**High School and College Information**

Name of High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month and Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of college or technical school you plan to attend or are currently attending:

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted at the above institution? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate your class in college in September:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Freshman \_\_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior

**Scholarship Information:**

In your own words, state why you want to attend college or technical school:

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State why you need scholarship assistance:

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Attach high school/college transcript to this application, along with the two letters of recommendation and mail to the address below.

**The undersigned verifies that the above information is true.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Submit to: Carroll County 4-H Office  
Attn: Livestock Club Scholarship  
700 Agriculture Center  
Westminster, Md, 21157

Application Deadline: June 15<sup>th</sup>

**CARROLL COUNTY 4-H LIVESTOCK CLUB  
SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE FORM**

Applicant's name \_\_\_\_\_

The above individual is applying for this scholarship. Please evaluate her/him for these characteristics by placing a check in the appropriate column. You may attach a separate sheet if needed. Thank for your time.

Characteristic	Lack evidence to rate	Additional experience needed	Not as good as most	About average	Better than most	One of the best you know
Leadership						
Reliability						
Maturity						
Integrity						
Enthusiasm						
Organizational ability						
Initiative						
Perseverance						

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity have you known the applicant?

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Additional comments:

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Day time phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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