

IDA COUNTY 4-H FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Please review the requirements for the Ida County 4-H Foundation Scholarship.

Selection Process

Scholarship Applications may be picked up at the Extension Office and are due April 1, 2008. The final record book will be due during September 2008. Scholarship Applications will be reviewed by the 4-H Scholarship Committee to determine which applicants are eligible and how much each will receive. Announcement of Scholarship Awards will be made during the school award's program in May.

Scholarship recipients may choose to have their scholarship paid at the beginning of their "first year, second semester" or at the beginning of their second year of college. All scholarship recipients must show proof of at least a 2.0 grade point average for either their 1st semester or 1st year of college. The final record book must be submitted in September by the record book due date to be eligible. Payment will be a check made directly to the school, but delivered to the 4-H'er.

Eligibility Requirements:

- ◆ 4-H'er must have been in 4-H for five years, including their Jr. & Sr. years in high school.
- ◆ 4-H'er must have exhibited at the Ida County Fair, including at least one communications exhibit.
- ◆ 4-H'er must have completed a record-book for 5 years, including their Jr. & Sr. years in high school.
- ◆ 4-H'er must have served in a 4-H leadership role, such as club officer or council member.
- ◆ 4-H'er must have participated in a community service project.
- ◆ 4-H'er must submit a 4-H Scholarship Application Form.
- ◆ 4-H'er must have participated in all of the following fundraising efforts for the Scholarship Fund.
 1. Fruit/Butter Braid sale in the fall
 2. Club Basket Contest at the fair (the 4-H member's club must participate)
 3. Annual 4-H Foundation Hog Roast & Auction

A 4-H'er **must** help at the Hog Roast & Auction **and/or** donate 2 hours of labor to be auctioned. The two hours may be a specific type of labor, such as raking or babysitting, and may be auctioned with one or more other 4-H'ers. The 4-H'er may provide a certificate outlining the specifics of the work to be donated. Remember that members who are present will usually auction more successfully.

We hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity to apply for a scholarship. If you have any questions about the application, selection process or requirements, please contact Carol Goldsmith or Linda Burk.