

Scholarship Application

Scholarship Eligibility:

The Jackson County Scholarships are available to current Jackson County CattleWomen's Association and Jackson County Stockmen's Association members with dues paid prior to submitting the scholarship application OR must show active participation in agricultural related high school activities, i.e. 4-H, FFA, rodeo, or equestrian team for the 2023-2024 school year as verified by activity adult leader. All Applicants must demonstrate school and/or community involvement.

The Application deadline is April 1, 2024. Scholarships totaling up to \$10,000.00 will be awarded for the 2024-2025 academic year. All recipients will be notified of their award by phone or mail no later than June 1, 2024. Scholarship recipients will be announced during the OCW and OCA Mid-Year conference to be held June 2024 in Medford. All scholarship recipients are encouraged to attend the banquet and will receive free one-day registration and a ticket with notification to the Scholarship Committee by June 7th. The Jackson County CattleWomen's Association will make payments directly to the institution.

Instructions:

- 1. Application Deadline is April 1, 2024. All requirements must be met, and the attached application must be completed in full and postmarked or hand-delivered on or before April 1, 2024 to be considered by the Scholarship Committee.
- 2. Applicant is responsible for completing application in full and seeing that all requested materials are postmarked or received by the Scholarship Committee by the application deadline of April 1, 2024.
- 3. An Official Transcript must accompany the application. If more than one school was attended during the last year, applicant must submit transcripts from all schools.
- 4. Signature and Authorization, your signature and complete contact information are an essential part of this application. A signed and dated "Photo Release and Scholarship Terms Agreement" must be returned with the application. Applications with incomplete fields or signature are ineligible.
- 5. Application format must be utilized. Please do not use report covers or binders.

Thank you and good luck!



Scholarship Application Procedure

Letter of Application must include the following in the following order:

- 1. Name, mailing address, phone number, email address.
- 2. Are you affiliated with Jackson County CattleWomen's Association or Jackson County Stockmen's Association? If so, please describe your involvement.
- 3. State the eligibility criteria on which you rely. If you are relying on participation in high school agricultural related activities to qualify for this scholarship, include a signed statement from your adult leader, advisor, or coach verifying your active involvement in the activity during the 2023-2024 school year.
- 4. Identify the most recent educational program you attended and state your current cumulative GPA from that institution.
- 5. State the name and address of the educational institution or program you plan to attend in 2024-25. Please describe your course of study and how it will benefit the agricultural community.
- 6. Provide a two-paragraph statement describing yourself.
- 7. Provide a one- paragraph statement describing your school and/or community involvement during the past year.
- 8. Briefly share your plans regarding financing your secondary education include family assistance, employment, loans, and grants.
- 9. Enclose two letters of character reference from school, community, or workplace associates.
- 10. Enclose Official Transcript.
- 11. Enclose the signed and dated "Photo Release and Scholarship Terms Agreement".

Incomplete or Late Applications Will Not Be Considered

PLEASE MAIL APPLICATIONS TO ADDRESS BELOW

Jackson County CattleWomen's Association ATTN: Scholarship Committee 3975 Dodge Rd. White City, OR 97503



Photo and Scholarship Terms Agreement

Must be signed and returned with your scholarship application.

If awarded a scholarship by the Jackson County CattleWomen's Association, I give my permission for my name and photo to be used on social media as it pertains to this scholarship.

I understand that if I do not complete the 2024 -25 academic year for the college, trade, or certificate program, I will forfeit the scholarship and immediately begin facilitating the return of the funds to the Jackson County CattleWomen's Association from the institute paid.

Printed Name			
Signature:			
Date:			