

Cornell Cooperative Extension Of Oneida County THE SEYBOLD/GUTH SCHOLARSHIP

Audrey Seybold and Raymond Guth were two very well known, local horse enthusiasts. They both passed away in 1998. Audrey spent many years working for Cooperative Extension as the coordinator of the Oneida County Horse Program. Prior to that, she was the leader of a very large 4-H Horse Club. Ray was the owner of Sky Hi Ranch, boarding and training facility in Sauquoit. He could almost always be found ringside at local 4-H horse shows and events, cheering the kids on. Audrey and Ray shared a love of horses and were firmly convinced of the positive effect that a horse can have in molding a youngster's character.



This award amount is \$250.00 and will be dispensed when student submits evidence of mid-term grades from the semester following the award.

Scholarship Criteria:

- Applicants must have been enrolled in the Oneida County 4-H Horse Program for at least 3 years.
- Applicants must have participated extensively in 4-H County activities such as the County Fair, Horse Bowl, Hippology, Horse Judging and Horse Communications and provide documentation
- Applicants must provide evidence of having performed Community Service.
- Applicants must be either a current High School graduate or have graduated within the last three years.
- Applicants must be pursuing some form of post-secondary education.

Application Process:

Applications Due: April 4, 2018

The Scholarship Committee will review all applicants and will interview by invitation.

Scholarship Recipient Announced: Week of May 18, 2018

The scholarship winner will be recognized through "On The Move", local newspapers, and at the 4-H Achievement & Recognition Ceremony in the Fall.



PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING FORM:

NAME:

FIRST

MIDDLE INITIAL

LAST

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

ZIP CODE

PHONE

Have you been accepted into a post-secondary education program? _____

Where? _____

Years in 4-H? _____ What club did you belong to? _____

Please write a short essay (and attach it to this application) explaining how your involvement with Horses and 4-H has prepared you for your future (300-500 words)

Along with your completed application and essay, you must submit three letters of recommendation.

- ⇒ **One recommendation should be from a 4-H leader or affiliate.**
- ⇒ **One recommendation should be from a teacher or school official.**
- ⇒ **One recommendation should be a personal reference from a non-relative.**

Signature of Applicant

Please return completed application to:

**Lisa Farney
Cornell Cooperative Extension
121 Second Street
Oriskany NY 13424**



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