



## HERITAGE FOUNDATION

Dear Students & Advisors,

The Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation would like to invite all active 4-H and FFA participants to apply for this year's Heritage Foundation Scholarship and the chance to raise the 2016 Heritage Animal. Along with raising the Heritage Animal, the scholarship winner will receive a \$1,500 scholarship (see requirements below), and a \$500 cash prize.

### Basic Student Requirements (for complete list of requirements, see page 2)

- Must be a Contra Costa County high school student, who will be attending an accredited trade school, junior college or university.
- Must be willing to raise an animal for sale, with all proceeds benefiting the Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation.
- Submit the scholarship application, three letters of recommendation and attend an in-person interview with the scholarship committee.
- Act as an ambassador for the Heritage Foundation through the 2017 Contra Costa County Fair

### Scholarship Winner Receives

- \$1,500 scholarship – must provide proof of enrollment
- \$500 cash prize
- Two passes to Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation Hospitality Room (if not Heritage Members)
- Reimbursement for expenses related to raising the 2017 Heritage Animal, including: Animal purchase, feed and basic equipment (with prior approval).

All materials must be postmarked no later than November 15, 2016. Interviews will be scheduled between December 5 – 8, 2016 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Contra Costa County Fair in Antioch.

Over the past year, the Heritage Foundation has raised more than \$20,000.00 to contribute towards improvements directly benefiting the Livestock department and facilities at the Contra Costa County Fair, including the Livestock Camp Restrooms at the 2014 Fair and small animal cages in 2015. For 2016 we updated the computer programs and purchased more chairs and tables for functions held in the buildings. The Heritage Foundation is currently working on projects to help the fair and livestock department continue to thrive. Please consider applying and helping be part of Contra Costa County Heritage Foundation history.

Scholarship Application available on CC Fair website or request at email address below:

Questions or comments, please contact:

Laurie Limrite  
Heritage Foundation Director/Treasurer  
Cell: 925-963-3276  
Email: [info@eheritage.net](mailto:info@eheritage.net)



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### Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation Scholarship Winner Requirements

- Attend Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation Member Dinner on Saturday, January 28, 2017 and introduce yourself.
- Attend at least one Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation Board Meeting prior to the Contra Costa County Fair to give a short (3-5 minute) presentation introducing yourself.
- Create a presentation board or power point presentation about yourself, your animal and your achievements to display at the Heritage Hospitality Grove during the Contra Costa County Fair.
- Attend several FFA and/or 4-H meetings to encourage livestock exhibitors to purchase Heritage Foundation Buyer Gifts.
- Introduce yourself and your animal during the Junior Livestock Auction at the Contra Costa County Fair.
- Send out buyers letters to potential buyers for the Heritage Foundation animal.
- Promote the Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation
- Keep accurate project record books including receipts for all purchases and detail all expenses.
- Turn in all academic paperwork completed and on-time

Applicant Acknowledgment of all Scholarship Requirements:

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Livestock Scholarship Application



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# HERITAGE FOUNDATION

4-H or FFA Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Year in High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list three references, one personal and two academic or professional references

Name	Relationship	Contact Phone Number	E-Mail Address

List any offices you currently hold or have held within your club and dates the offices have been held, beginning with current offices first.

Position	Dates Held
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List any offices you would like to hold in the future and why

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List your school and community involvement, both past and current (starting with most current)

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List all 4-H and/or FFA projects you have actively participated in, starting with the most current

Project	Dates Participated
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**Why Should You Be Chosen to Raise the Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation Scholarship Animal?**

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**What is the mission of the Contra Costa County Fair Heritage Foundation and what does the mission statement mean to you?**

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