Scholarship Guidelines

Contact Amy Ring with questions or concerns. Email: <u>amyring64@gmail.com</u> Call/Text: 336.970.7485

Application Due Date: May 1, 2020

"2019/2020 North Carolina High School Rodeo Association Scholarship Packet"

- 1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is May 1, 2019. (NO EXCEPTIONS)
- 2. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.). Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- 3. If any question does not apply to you in this application, please put N/A in the space.
- 4. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you.
- 5. The winning applicant(s) will be awarded at the 2019/2020 North Carolina High School Rodeo State Finals in May 2020.
- 6. If you have any questions about the application, please call Amy Ring.

PURPOSE

The mission of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance to individuals enrolled for undergraduate study in community colleges, colleges, trade schools and universities. The North Carolina High School Rodeo Association Scholarship principally targets two and four year academic programs; however, certificate/licensing programs including but not limited to fields such as paralegal training, IT, ultrasound techs, medical records personnel and nursing, are also eligible.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The North Carolina High School Rodeo awards scholarships on the basis of a comprehensive process. Areas that are reviewed by the committee include, but are not limited to the following: Academic Accomplishments, Community Service, References, and Personal Essay. The North Carolina High School Rodeo Association pays scholarship funds directly to the recipient's school. The North Carolina High School Rodeo Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, color, ethnicity, gender or sexual orientation. Scholarships awarded are based upon the availability of funds and additional qualifying criteria.

CRITERIA

 Applicants must be an active member of North Carolina High School Rodeo Association.

- Applicants must be completing or have completed high school successfully with a minimum unweighted GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must be accepted as a full time student at a college, university, or trade school program for the upcoming academic semester. If scholarship money is awarded, this is the only program that will receive the funds on behalf of the applicant.
- Applicants must complete and submit a Scholarship Application by May 1, 2020.

PROCESS

NEW SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

- Completed application form.
- Official high school transcript in a sealed envelope from the institution.
- Two academic references from a guidance counselor or teacher.
- A Completed letter of reference from an employer or other community member.
- Proof of acceptance at an academic, vocational or technical school for post-secondary studies.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- Award notification will be given at the 2019/2020 North Carolina High School Rodeo State Finals.
- Applicant must provide their
 - o student ID
 - the correct mailing address of their institution and the department where their scholarship check is to be received.
- Award amounts will be distributed each semester after a student's final grades are received by North Carolina High School Rodeo Association.

Deadline for the application is May 1, 2020. Applications postmarked after this date will not be considered.

Please mail to address below OR submit application in person to:

NCHSRA Scholarship Committee c/o Amy RIng 2431 NC Hwy 801 N Mocksville, NC 27028

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the North Carolina Rodeo Association Scholarship Committee is true, correct and without forgery.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to North Carolina Rodeo Association scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of Applicant	Date
Witnessed by	
Witness Name Printed	

The deadline for this application to be received by North Carolina High School Rodeo Association is May 1,2020. <u>No exceptions!</u>