

Volusia County Fair Association, Inc.

Volusia County Fair Scholarships Application

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

DUE DATE: October 10, 2016

The Board of Directors of the Volusia County Fair Association will award a \$1000 college scholarship to qualifying graduating high school seniors who best exemplify their support of the Volusia County Fair and Youth Show. Up to a total of twelve (12) \$1000 scholarships may be awarded to students that meet exceptional qualifications. These twelve (12) scholarship are inclusive and includes the Cultural Arts Scholarship, the George Wilkins Scholarship, the Elvin B. Daugharty Scholarship the Volusia Stock Show Syndicate and the Volusia County Fair Scholarships. The applicants personal initiative in extra - curricular activities, and their own personal attributes that will ensure their success in the pursuit of higher education. A scholarship is to encourage young people to pursue a college education. Applicants must be or have been participants in the Volusia County Fair and Youth Show to qualify. Applications must be delivered to the Fair office on or before the due date. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

1. Applicants must be a graduating high school senior from an accredited high school in Volusia County and be a resident of Volusia County.
2. Each applicant must submit documentation showing they passed the FCAT exam and official document for PSAT, SAT, or ACT test requirements for high school graduation and include an official SAT and ACT test score report.
3. Each applicant must hold a 3.0 high school grade point average (based on a 4.0 system).
4. The applicant must be a member of FFA, 4-H or may be an Independent exhibitor at the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show.
5. The applicant must have participated as an exhibitor at the Volusia County Fair and Youth Show the past two (2) years.
6. The applicant must apply the scholarship funds for tuition or fees at a two or four year college and carry at least 12 credit hours. The funds will be assigned and administered by the applicant's college or university. Upon receipt, by the Fair office from the college or university, the funds will be mailed to the respective school. Should the chosen applicant drop out of school for any reason or not carry 12 credit hours, any unused portion of the scholarship funds will be returned to the Volusia County Fair Association.
7. The scholarship deadline for the use of funds will be March 31st following high school graduation; an exception will be made if the applicant will be serving as an FFA State Officer. Upon proof of the applicant's appointment as an FFA State Officer, the applicant will have two (2) calendar years after high school graduation to apply for the scholarship funds.
8. Upon receipt of confirmation of acceptance to your college or university, the funds will be sent by the Fair office to your account.
9. The award will be presented at an official activity of the Volusia County Fair & Youth Show.
10. The Committee will use the following criteria for awarding scholarships:
 Scoring - The Committee will use a 100-point system, as follows:
 - a. Scholastic Achievement..... 30 Points
 - b. School and Community..... 25 Points
 - c. Essay "How the Scholarship Will Benefit My Future."
(Approximately 300 words).....20 Points
 - d. Degree of Fair participation..... 25 Points

100 Points

For more information, contact: Mr. F. E Dulac, Director, Scholarship Committee Chairman, Volusia County Fair Association, 3150 E. New York Ave., Deland, FL 32724, (386) 734-9514, E-mail: info@volusiacountyfair.com

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Submit only one (1) application to be considered the Elvin B. Daugharty, George Wilkins, Volusia Stock Show Syndicate and Volusia County Fair Scholarships.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Date: _____

Name _____ Age: _____

Address, City, State, Zip _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Father's Name: _____

Address, City, State, Zip _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Mother's Name _____

Address, City, State, Zip _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Are your parents members of the Volusia County Fair Association? _____

High School you attend/attended _____ Graduation Date _____

Address of School _____

College Choice: _____ State _____

Address, City, State, Zip _____

Have you applied for admission? _____ If not, when? _____

Have you heard from the college? _____ If so, are you accepted? _____

Major Career Objective: _____

What are your plans after graduation from college? _____

Other schools you have attended _____

High School Activities and any Honor or Awards received: _____

Community Activities _____

What projects or activities have benefited you the most? _____

Work Experience _____

IMPORTANT:

1. Attach the required essay.
2. SAT, ACT or PSAT scores, an official document must be included with the application.
3. Arrange for your high school to submit your official transcript and official documentation of having met FCAT and all other graduation requirements.
4. Three (3) current letters of recommendation must accompany your application. Do not send separately or place in a sealed envelope.
5. All documents must accompany the official application.
6. Submit five (5) copies of application and paperwork in a manilla folder with your name on the outside.

Five (5) copies of the scholarship application and documentation must be submitted for the judges evaluation.

I hereby certify that all statements I have made are correct.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Completed application, documentation and recommendation letters and are to be in the Fair office on or before the due date to: Scholarship Committee, Attn: Mr. F. E. Dulac, Director, Volusia County Fair Association, Inc., 3150 E. New York Avenue, Deland, FL 32724.

Office Used Only:

General Manager Signature _____ Date _____

Director Signature _____ Date _____

Scholarship Awarded: _____ Date: _____