

The Gainesville Riding Club offers

2017 Rodeo Gainesville

Higher Education Scholarships

Two - \$750 Scholarships for Graduating Seniors

To be considered for one of the two **Rodeo Gainesville** Higher Education Scholarships, applications must be received by the stated deadline, April 10, 2017. The Gainesville Riding Club is not responsible for applications lost or delayed in the mail.

Applications must also include a certified copy of the student's transcript and two letters of recommendation. The applicant must include a 200 word essay on the subject title,

"What Does It Take To Be a Champion?"

Also, please submit a photo (suitable for publication- wallet size up to 4"x6") to be used in advertising and promotions. Enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope if you wish photo to be returned. Applications submitted without an essay and picture will not be considered.

These scholarships must be used to enter an accredited two or four year college or university or an accredited vocational school in the fall of 2017. Scholarship checks will be made payable jointly to the student and the school to be attended, and must be endorsed by both.

The **Rodeo Gainesville** scholarship committee reserves the right to interpret and review the conditions and procedures of the scholarship program and to make changes at any time, including termination of the program. The scholarship winners will be announced in May 2017.

By signing below, I give my permission to discuss and disclose any information on this application to the Selection Committee for review and consideration of the **Rodeo Gainesville** Scholarship. I hereby give my permission for publication, promotional, website, media press releases and advertisement purposes any portion of the application. I consent to and authorize the use and reproduction of my information without compensation. GRC reserves the right to use my (winner's) photo and essay in any of its print or electronic publication. I agree to hold harmless Gainesville Riding Club and its representatives from any liabilities in this regard.

Applicant _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian _____ Date: _____

2017 Rodeo Gainesville Higher Education Scholarship Application

Deadline April 10, 2017

Please print or type

Incomplete applications will not be considered

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ County: _____

Gender (circle one)

MALE

FEMALE

Name of High School or Home School: _____

Date of Expected Graduation: _____

Name of Parents or Guardian: _____

Siblings: (N/A if none)

Currently Living at Home

_____	YES	NO
_____	YES	NO
_____	YES	NO
_____	YES	NO

What number of child are you? _____

Please use this space to list activities you have participated in and honors you have earned.

Member FFA? _____ # years? _____ Honors? _____

Member 4H? _____ # years? _____ Honors? _____

Rodeo/Playday participant? _____ # years? _____ Honors? _____

Other horse/animal event? _____ # years? _____

Other Ag related: _____

Other leadership activities (Church, Community service/ Volunteer or other):

List any work experience that you have had:

What is the date of your 2017 Academic Award Ceremony? _____

High School Grade Point Average (through last completed semester) _____

SAT and /or ACT score: _____ SAT

_____ ACT

Name of College or Vocational School you plan to attend: _____

Have you been accepted? (If yes please include a copy of your letter of acceptance) _____

What major have you chosen? _____

What is your preferred career choice? _____

INCLUDE ATTACHMENTS:

Essay, 2 letters of Recommendation, Certified copy of transcript, Photo

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS April 10, 2017

Return application to:

Rodeo Gainesville Scholarship Committee, GAINESVILLE RIDING CLUB, P.O. BOX 241

GAINESVILLE, TEXAS 76241

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