## CATTLEWOMEN BEEF LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP

## APPLICATION FORM

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**ABSOLUTE DEADLINE:** March 4, 2020. No incomplete or late applications will be considered.

This scholarship was established in 2015 by Linda Hansen, Cynthia Kelly and Lazette Knoll as a legacy of the Lincoln County Cattlewomen who produced the *Grape and Sizzle* event for 11 years to feature beef and to raise funds for many worthy local causes in Lincoln County. This scholarship is administered by Mid-Nebraska Community Foundation.

- Who may apply? 1) Students who are a college freshman or above at a U.S. college or university including post-graduate students.
  - 2) Residents of one of the following Nebraska counties: Lincoln, Custer, Dawson, Frontier, Hayes, Hooker, Keith, Logan, McPherson, Perkins or Thomas.
  - 3) Students must have a grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in each of the three most recent complete or partial (of at least a semester) school years.
  - 4) Applicants must demonstrate experience working with cattle, including 4-H, FFA or similar activities.
  - 5) Applicants must plan to have a career in a beef-related field
  - 6) Applicants must plan to study in a college or university beef-related program.
  - 7) Selection criteria include: education and career plans, character, work ethic, voluntary community activities and potential to benefit from postsecondary education.

Where can scholarship be used? At any accredited U.S. postsecondary institution that offers a beef-related program of study.

One \$1,500 scholarship is available to be awarded for the coming school year. Scholarship **Number of scholarships and amount?** recipient will be notified by mail or e-mail. STUDENT'S NAME\_\_\_ MAILING ADDRESS FOR NOTIFICATIONS\_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE CITY, STATE, ZIP COUNTY OF RESIDENCE\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_BIRTHDATE\_\_\_\_ PERSONAL E-MAIL\_\_\_\_\_ NAME & PHONE NUMBER OF RELATIVE OR CONTACT PERSON NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL AND YEAR OF GRADUATION DESCRIBE ANY COLLEGE PROGRAMS YOU HAVE TAKEN, INCLUDING NAME OF COLLEGE \_\_\_\_\_\_ NAME OF COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY, TRADE OR TECHNICAL SCHOOL YOU PLAN TO ATTEND \_\_\_\_\_ CITY, STATE, ZIP\_\_\_ ANTICIPATED MAJOR\_\_\_\_ CAREER GOAL (if any)\_\_\_\_

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED WITH THIS APPLICATION FORM:

(NOTE: No incomplete or late applications will be considered.)

Use one side of 8 ½ x 11" paper only. Fasten application securely with a paper clip. Please do NOT staple any portion of application. Include the following in this order:

- 1. Copy of transcripts of three most recent school years high school and/or college.
- 2. A copy of current driver's license or state-issued identification.
- 3. A one-page Resume listing such things as education, experience working with cattle, employment, student activities and clubs, voluntary community activities, recognitions/honors and military service, if any.
- 4. A short Personal Statement about yourself that may include such topics as your goals, interests, career plans, meaningful activities, and how you plan to finance college education. (No more than 2 pages, double-spaced).
- Two recent letters of recommendation from unrelated people who can comment on your character and potential.

Complete application must be delivered or postmarked by March 4, 2020

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