

## **Scholarship Committee**

The scholarship committee will be made up of 5 NVDGA members who are not related to any of the applicants. They will be chosen after the scholarship applications have been received. If there are not 5 NVDGA members willing & able to participate, then there will be an odd # of members, minimum of 3.

The amount to be awarded each year will be up to \$1000.00. The scholarship committee will judge the applications received, & based on the merit of each applicant, decide the number & value of scholarships to be awarded. Each year scholarships will be given out on the merit of current applications, & not be affected by prior years' applications. An applicant may apply each year they qualify for the scholarship, but may only receive money 3 times.

Each application received will be judged by all 5 committee members & scored using a point scorecard. The points will be totaled to determine the top contenders. The applicant must receive a minimum point score to receive a scholarship.

## **Scholarship Criteria**

Applicant must have graduated from high school, have a GED, be a continuing student in upper level schooling, or may be graduating or receiving a GED during the current application year.

Applicant must be enrolled in or applying to an accredited college, vocational, or technical school.

Applicant must return the money to NVDGA if he/she does not attend an accredited school within 12 months of being awarded the scholarship.

## **General Information**

Applications will be available on yahoo by April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Applications must be post-marked by June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012, or received at the NVDGA June meeting on June 16<sup>th</sup>.

Decision of the committee will be made by July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012, & announced at the July meeting.

Funds will be disbursed by August 1, 2012

Please mail your applications to:

NVDGA C/O Antelope Vet Clinic 85 Belle Mill Road Red Bluff, CA 96080

**Scholarship Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

High Schools Attended or GED Acquired	Year of Grad	Cum. GPA
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Upper Level Schools Attended (if any)	Year of Grad	Cum. GPA
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

School You Are Planning To Attend  
\_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor: (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

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On 8 ½ X 11 paper type or print the following information: List up to 5 of your best, for each of the following 6 areas:

1. Dairy goat related awards & recognition (showmanship placings, fitting team placings, herdsman awards, goat related demonstration award, etc...)
2. Dairy goat accomplishments
3. Non dairy goat related awards & recognition (school awards, sports awards, church awards, etc...)
4. Non dairy goat related hobbies , interests, or accomplishments
5. Clubs &/or organizations you have been involved in (including NVDGA)
6. Leadership experiences – goat & non-goat
7. Community services & activities

Please tell about your dairy goat experiences—include how you got started, what goals you have attained, what you future goals are with dairy goats, & what you have personally gained from your dairy goat project. You may choose:

1. An essay using a 12 font, double spaced, up to 1000 words.
2. A power point presentation with a limit of 25 frames with pictures & narrative.
3. A video telling of your experience with your goats, up to 5 minutes in length.