

NORTHEAST NEBRASKA  
*Ag Banquet*



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NORFOLK & MADISON  
◆ AREA CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE ◆

## **2016 Northeast Nebraska Ag Community Scholarship**

Scholarship offered by the Norfolk Area Chamber of Commerce and Madison Chamber of Commerce.

The four scholarships will be presented at the Northeast Nebraska Agricultural Community event on Thursday, June 23, 2016 at the Madison County Fairgrounds in Madison, 5:30 p.m.

### **BASIS FOR SELECTION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

1. Must be a high school senior.
2. Must have a "C" or higher grade-point average.
3. Must be a resident of Madison, Wayne, Stanton, Pierce, Antelope, Boone or northern Platte County.
4. Students will be required to complete a written application.
5. Students will be required to submit a letter of reference.

### **AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP**

1. The amount of each scholarship is \$750 (four \$750 scholarships will be awarded)
2. The scholarship will be awarded for the 2017 spring semester. Payment will be made to the college or university upon proof of enrollment.

### **PROCEDURES FOR APPLYING**

1. Applications can be obtained by calling the Norfolk Area Chamber of Commerce (402-371-4862) or the Madison Chamber of Commerce (402-454-2251).
2. Required: A letter of reference from an agricultural industry reference (i.e., Extension educator, 4-H or FFA leader, breed association leader, or banker). That person should primarily address your industry involvement/experience. This reference should not be a relative. The letter must be included with the application.
3. Applications are due no later than May 1, 2016.

4. Mail application to:

Norfolk Area Chamber of Commerce  
ATTN: 2016 Northeast Nebraska Ag Community Scholarship  
609 W. Norfolk Avenue  
Norfolk, NE 68701

OR

Madison Chamber of Commerce  
ATTN: 2016 Northeast Nebraska Ag Community Scholarship  
201 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Madison, NE 68748

Incomplete applications and applications postmarked after May 1, 2016 will be disqualified.

# 2016 NORTHEAST NEBRASKA AG COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

**Please write clearly.**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_

What school are you currently attending? \_\_\_\_\_

Date of high school graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to attend college the same year you graduate? Y N

What is the name of the two- or four-year college you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

What will be your area of study/major? (be specific): \_\_\_\_\_

List leadership experiences. Include volunteer, community and school activities and awards:

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What would you like to achieve in the agricultural industry and what role can you play in its future?  
(Please keep your response between 250 and 500 words – attach additional sheets, if needed.)