



REGION 3 YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

Region 3 of the Arabian Horse Association offers one \$2000 scholarship each year to a graduating high school senior who is a member of a Region 3 club. This scholarship may be used for any full time undergraduate or graduate course of study at a post-high school accredited academic institution.

Criteria

The scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic ability, extra-curricular activities, involvement in equine activities and an essay.

Distribution of Funds

A check in the amount of \$500 will be sent to the scholarship recipient by Region 3 upon notification of full-time enrollment. Recipient must remain in good standing with their college or university. At the end of each consecutive semester or quarter, it is the responsibility of the recipient to forward a copy of the transcript showing successful completion of that academic period. Upon receipt of transcripts after each consecutive semester or quarter, a check in the amount of \$500 will be sent to the recipient for three respective terms, for a total of \$2000. If a term, semester or quarter is skipped the scholarship money will be forfeited. Scholarship money must be applied for within two years of high school graduation.

All applications and supporting materials become property of Region 3 and cannot be returned. All information will be held in the strictest confidence by the scholarship committee. Decisions of the committee will be final.

Postmark Deadline: April 1st of each current year

Essay Requirements

Topic: How an Arabian horse has affected my life.

Length: 3-4 typed, double spaced pages, font 10-12, not to exceed 1500 words

Specifics: Attach to application. (No folders of any kind).

Do not put your name on the essay.

Judging Criteria:

30% originality

30% content

25% grammar, punctuation and spelling

15% following guidelines

Application Materials

_____ Completed application

_____ High School transcript

_____ 3" x 5" photograph (to be used for publicity)

_____ Membership verification – copy of current years AHA card

_____ Essay

Send applications to: Deborah Johnson
Region 3 Youth Scholarship
15 Snowball Court
Reno, NV 89511

Direct questions to: 775.720.3548 or deborah@renotahoe arabians.com

Postmark deadline: April 1st of each current year

PRESS RELEASE

All applications must be accompanied by a recent photograph of the applicant. The photograph should be approximately 3" x 5" and include only the head and shoulders of the applicant.

Name of local newspaper: _____

Address _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Picture of recipient may be sent to local papers and the AHA. Pictures may also be used for advertising.

REGION 3 YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

NAME _____ EMAIL _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

AGE _____ REGION 3 CLUB _____

AHA MEMBERSHIP NUMBER _____

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY PLANNING TO ATTEND _____

MAJOR _____ MINOR _____

CAREER PLANS _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

List high schools attended – list most recent first

Name of School	Location	Dates Attended
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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

High School GPA _____ Rank in Class _____ Class Size _____

I plan to begin college in _____ for Fall/Winter Quarter/Semester
Month Year circle one circle one

ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

ACTIVITIES

Please type answers to the following questions and attach to your application. Include question with each answer.

1. List school related activities (student government, sports, clubs, etc.) Describe your involvement and any offices held.
2. List out-of-school activities (church, 4-H, FFA, AHA, AHYA, community services, etc.)
3. Which of the above activities has been the most meaningful to you and why?
4. How long have you been involved with horses?
5. Describe your involvement in equine activities (include daily or weekly log).
6. Describe your accomplishments in equine activities.
7. List any honors or awards you have received in any horse related or non-horse related activities.

THIS SECTION MUST BE SIGNED BY APPLICANT AND PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

“My child is a senior in High School. I have reviewed this application for scholarship and it is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.”

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

“The information in this application is true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge and I wrote the enclosed essay by myself.”

Signature of Applicant

Date

Please return with a postmark of April 1 or earlier to:

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Be sure to include:

- _____ Photo
- _____ Copy of Membership Card
- _____ High Transcript
- _____ Essay
- _____ Activity Questions and Answers