DUANE P. JOHNSON 4-H SCHOLARSHIP

Donor: Duane P. and Mary E. Johnson and friends
4078 NW Dale Drive
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Award: One educational scholarship of $500.

Background:
Duane retired in 1999 following more than 40 years of service. Duane served in a number of roles – 4-H Agent in Multnomah County for 11 years, 4-H Specialist on the state staff for 16+ years and Oregon 4-H Program Leader for 13 years. Duane’s positive influence and contribution to the Oregon 4-H Program was significant. He provided leadership for development of many innovative and traditional programs in 4-H. Some of these included the Oregon 4-H Ambassador Program, Statewide Curriculum Committees, the Community Pride Program, the concept of volunteer middle managers and activity management committees, the computerized enrollment and program management process, the Program Assistant Concept to Oregon, global education through the 4-H Japanese & Korean Exchange Program, establishing a broad base recognition programs for professional faculty, volunteers, and youth and developing many of the currently used county and state management tools. Together with Duane and his wife Mary, family, friends and colleagues of Duane established this endowed scholarship in his honor upon his retirement from Oregon State University.

Eligibility:

- Applicant must be a 4-H member enrolled during the current year and has completed a minimum of three years in 4-H, including the current year.

- Applicant must be a senior in high school.

- Applicant must meet Oregon Admission Standards (3.0 GPA or a minimum of 2.75 GPA and a combined score of 1320 or above on the SAT, or 20 on the ACT).

- There is no financial need requirement.

Application Requirements:
1. State 4-H Scholarship application
2. Transcript of grades
3. Copy of SAT or ACT score report
County Selection of Nominees: It is the responsibility of the County 4-H agent to arrange for determining eligibility of finalists for this scholarship.

Nominations are made by the county using the State 4-H Scholarship County Nomination Form.

Nominations forms and applications are due at the State 4-H Office by March 1.

Payment of Scholarship:
Scholarship winner must successfully complete one term of college before the money is awarded. Scholarship awards will be distributed directly to the student's college account during the second term. The student must contact the State 4-H Office in writing and provide a copy of the first term’s grades before the scholarship money will be released.

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