



### **Manatee River Fair Association Youth Livestock Scholarship**

The Manatee River Fair Association will be offering up to three (3) \$1,000 scholarships. Applicants must be a qualifying member of FFA and/or 4-H who are a graduating senior planning their post-high school education. Student must be graduating from High School in the current year of the Scholarship Application.

The Manatee County Fair Scholarship Committee will consider the following:

1. Each applicant must have completed his/her livestock project at the Manatee County Fair within the last two years.
2. Each applicant must hold a 2.5 or greater high school grade point average (based on a 4.0 system). Official high school transcripts should be attached to application.
3. Each applicant must agree to apply the scholarship funds for tuition or fees at a two year or four-year college and carry at least 12 credit hours per semester. The funds will be assigned to and administered by the applicant's college or university. Should chosen applicant drop out of school for any reason any unused portion of scholarship will be returned to the Manatee River Fair Association.
4. Each applicant must have demonstrated participation in his/her school and community activities.
5. Each applicant must exhibit during the application process a desire to achieve the goals of which he/she is capable. Attach a typed narrative of up to 200 words which describes your educational plans and future goals.
6. Financial need will not be considered in the selection process.
7. The distribution of scholarship funds must be within one year of scholarship being awarded.

***Applications must be postmarked, or hand delivered by 5 PM on December 6, 2024 to the Manatee River Fair Association office.***

Manatee County Fair  
1303 17<sup>th</sup> St. W.  
Palmetto, Florida  
34221  
(941) 722-1639  
info@manateecountyfair.com

**NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED!**



**Manatee County Fair Youth Livestock Scholarship**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Current GPA :( 4.0 Scale) \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of High School Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

College Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been Accepted: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Activities and any Honors or Awards received: \_\_\_\_\_

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

List Church, Community, or Other Activities that you have participated in:

---

---

---

What activities did you benefit from the most? \_\_\_\_\_

---

---

---

List your Manatee County Fair projects by year and achievement with years and number of projects. \_\_\_\_\_

---

---

---

---

List community service hours and three major projects.

---

---

---

- On an attached page, answer in 100-200 words, "What is the significance of the Manatee County Fair to you?" (Please type)

-Attach typed narrative (100-200 words) which describes your educational plans and future goals.

-Official transcripts.

- Three (3) letters of recommendation must accompany your application.

- Return this application, essays, and letters of recommendation to the Manatee County Fair Office by 5 PM on December 6, 2024. No pictures please.

I certify that the above statements are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Current 4-H/FFA Advisor Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date