WARREN COUNTY FARM BUREAU AND FRED PURSLEY

SCHOLARSHIP

Overview and Eligibility

Warren County Farm Bureau offers a minimum of five scholarships per year for those pursuing higher education with a preference for majors in agriculture or agriculture related fields. These scholarships may be valued from $500.00 to $ 1000.00. Additionally the Family of Fred D. Pursley, is offering an additional $1000.00 scholarship, to honor his many years of service to the Warren County Farm Bureau.

The application process is twofold. The first phase requires the submission of a written application. Phase two requires an interview with the scholarship committee. Additional requirements include:

1. Applicants or their parents must be members of Warren County Farm Bureau by March 1st of the year in which they apply.
2. Applicants must attend or be accepted to an accredited college, technical or trade school.
3. Applicant must be a full-time student pursuing an undergraduate degree.
4. Preference shall be given to students pursuing a degree in agriculture or an agriculture related field.
5. Scholarships will be awarded a maximum of four times, to anyone individual.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name_____ Date of Birth_____

Permanent Address_____

City_____ State_____Zip Code_____

Telephone_____ Cell phone_____ e-mail_____

Name of Warren County Farm Bureau member(s)_____

FAMILY INFORMATION

Which best describes your family's permanent address?

Rural/Farm _____ Rural/Non-farm _____ Urban _____

Number of dependant siblings currently attending college, trade or technical school? ____

Number of siblings living at home? _____

EDUCATION INFORMATION

Name and address of the university (include college or department), trade or technical school you plan to or currently attend:

_____

This fall will be my _____ year in college.

Degree pursued (Bachelor/Associate) _____

Probable area of study or major (**be specific)** _____

Name and state of high school graduation _____

Do you plan a career in agriculture or a related field? _____

Briefly state your future career plan(s)

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FARM BUREAU PARTICIPATION

Are you or your family members of Warren County Farm Bureau? Yes ___ No ___

How have you or your family participated in this organization?

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Would you be willing to participate in Farm Bureau activities (Warren County Fair, Farmers Care Breakfast, etc.)?

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What has Farm Bureau, as an organization, done to promote agriculture in the state and our county?

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COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION/WORK EXPERIENCE

List the various community activities in which you have participated. Please include dates. (4H, church, service organizations, etc.)

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List the various work experiences in which you have participated. Please include the dates.

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Explain your home and/or farm responsibilities

_____

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

List any scholastic/extra-curricular honors or distinctions you have received.

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List any high school and college activities in which you have participated. Please list dates.

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FINANCIAL NEED

How do you plan to finance your college education?

_____

Have you received any other scholarships or grants? If so, please list and describe them:

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Is there anything else that you would like this committee to know?

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ESSAY

In 100 words or less, state your personal reasons and needs for applying for this scholarship

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This application must be accompanied by an official high school transcript. College students may use an unofficial transcript,

STATEMENT OF APPLICANT AND PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S)

We have examined this application and find the information to be true, complete and accurate to the best of our knowledge.

Applicant's Signature _____

Parent(s)'/Guardian(s)' Signatures _____

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 1, 2015

INTERVIEW DATE: APRIL 18, 2015 between 8-11am

If you are unavailable for the interview date, please contact the office for a possible alternate date.