

DONALD R. HANKINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

To: JBAA Members Requesting Scholarship Program Information

From: Donald R. Hankins Memorial Scholarship Committee

Subject: JBAA Scholarships

Enclosed you will find the guidelines and an application for the Donald R. Hankins Memorial Scholarship (DHM) program. Please review the program guidelines before completing your application.

DHM scholarships are awarded to current JBAA members on the basis of scholastic excellence in high school and/or college, demonstrated JBAA or associated affiliate leadership, interest in the cattle industry, and youth leadership activities.

The DHM Scholarship Fund requires applicants to be an active, paid member of the JBAA for a minimum of 2 years prior to applying. Applicants must be a senior in high school or a freshman in college. In addition, applicants must have participated in JBAA Jr. Nationals for a minimum of the past 2 years.

The number of DHM scholarship recipients and the dollar amount awarded shall be determined each year by the executives of the Donald R. Hankins Memorial Fund. Scholarships will be sent directly to the recipient's educational institution of choice. For the year 2019, one \$500 scholarship will be awarded, pending application by a qualified candidate.

To be considered for the DHM scholarship, you must complete the enclosed application. Your completed application, including the necessary signatures and an official copy of your most recent college transcript, or your high school transcript if you will be a first semester freshman, and all three letters of recommendation must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2019 and mailed to the DHM Scholarship Committee Director, Attn: Jessica Bartley, 348 Correnti Court, Springdale, AR 72762.

You are encouraged to enclose all of the required scholarship material in one envelope. If the material is sent separately, it will be the applicant's responsibility to ensure the appropriate individuals or institutions have forwarded the required material. The DHM committee will not contact applicants if a portion of their required material has not been received.

Scholarship recipients will be announced at the 2019 Braunvieh Jr. National Awards Banquet.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Jessica Bartley at 817 925-3154. We look forward to receiving your application.

DONALD R. HANKINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

1. Scholarship applicants must be paid members of the JBAA for a minimum of two years, and must have obtained at least senior year status in high school or be a college freshman when applying. In addition, applicants must have participated in the Braunvieh Jr. Nationals for a minimum of the past two years.
2. Scholarship recipients must be enrolled full time (minimum of 12 semester hours) in an accredited college or university.
3. Applications will be scored by the Donald R. Hankins Memorial (DHM) Scholarship selection committee.
4. The number and amount of DHM scholarships will be determined each year by the executives of the memorial fund.
5. Each DHM scholarship selection committee member shall independently review and score each selection received and select the recipient(s) based on the following criteria:
 - 1-10 scholastic record
 - 1-10 demonstrated JBAA or affiliate leadership
 - 1-10 interest in the cattle industry
 - 1-10 other youth leadership activities
6. The scores shall be compiled by the DHM scholarship selection committee, and the winner(s) will be announced at the awards banquet, held in conjunction with the Braunvieh Jr. National.
7. Half of the scholarship amount will be issued in the fall and half in the spring. Prior to the issuance of the stipends, scholarship recipients must submit the following two items to the DHM Scholarship Committee:
 - A. Proof of full-time enrollment and good standing from the college or university's registrar's office.
 - B. An official copy of the student's academic transcript, showing a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or above, based on a 4.0-point system. To obtain the spring stipend, 12 semester hours must be completed.

DONALD R. HANKINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST

Your scholarship application is considered complete when you have submitted each of the following:

(Check the line if material is enclosed.)

_____ Scholarship application is signed and dated with **all 3 required signatures**

_____ An official copy of your most recent college transcript (high school transcript if you will be a first semester freshman)

_____ Three (3) letters of recommendation (If more than 3 letters of recommendation are sent, it will be at the discretion of the scholarship committee to randomly disregard additional letters to reduce the number of recommendation letters to 3.)

NOTE:

You are encouraged to enclose all of the required scholarship material in one envelope and send it to the address noted below.

Do not write or type on the back of the application. Include additional pages, if necessary.

If material will be sent separately, it will be the applicant's responsibility to ensure the appropriate individuals or institutions have forwarded the required material. The DHM scholarship committee will not contact applicants if a portion of their required material has not been received.

JBAA membership dues for the past two years must be paid in full for the application to be considered by the scholarship committee.

Send scholarship material to:

Donald R. Hankins Memorial Scholarship
Attn: Jessica Bartley
348 Correnti Court
Springdale, AR 72762

All scholarship material must be postmarked by April 30, 2019.

Enclose this checklist form with application.

DONALD R. HANKINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name_____

Date_____ BAA Breeder #_____ DOB_____ Age_____

Home Address_____

School Address, if in college_____

Cell Phone_____ Parent's Phone_____

E-mail address_____ Fax_____

Name of Parents/Guardian_____

EDUCATION:

Name of High School_____

Years attended_____ Graduation Date_____ Grade average_____

Name of College or University_____

If currently enrolled in college:

Years completed_____ Grade average_____ Major, if decided_____

Career objective, if decided_____

RECORD of 4-H and/or FFA EXPERIENCE

Number of years in 4-H _____ Number of years in FFA _____

Types of Projects _____

Offices held _____

Recognition/Awards received in 4-H and/or FFA _____

Responsibilities held in 4-H and/or FFA _____

RECORD OF JBAA EXPERIENCE

Name _____

Number of years as JBAA member _____

Offices Held _____

Responsibilities within JBAA _____

Recognition/Awards received in JBAA _____

RECORD OF OTHER ORGANIZATIONS OR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Your name _____

Name of organization(s) and number of years involved _____

Offices held _____

Responsibilities within organization _____

Recognition/Awards received _____

Summarize other interests and activities such as church, extra-curricular activities, hobbies _____

Name _____

State reasons for deciding to study the field you have chosen in college and any other factors you may wish the committee to consider in determining your eligibility for the scholarship.

We have examined this application and find the records true, accurate, and complete. We hereby permit for publicity purposes the use of any information included in the application with the exception of the following: _____

Applicant's signature Date

Parent/Guardian's signature Date

Name & title of 4-H or FFA leader, or other non-relative with Date
knowledge of applicant's programs/experiences

Your scholarship application is considered complete when you have submitted each of the following:

1. Three (3) letters of recommendation from the following: minister, school official, 4-H leader, FFA advisor, county agent, college advisor/dean, and/or active adult JBAA or affiliate member.
2. Your most recent original college transcript (high school transcript if you will be a first semester college student)
3. Scholarship application with all required signatures

Applications must be postmarked by **April 30, 2019**. It is advised that you collect all of the above information and send it in one envelope.

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Springdale, AR 72762