BARRON COUNTY 4-H SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility
To be eligible for the Barron County 4-H Scholarship, you must:
1. Be a member of 4-H for at least three years, currently enrolled and achieved in 4-H the previous year.
2. Be graduating from 4-H in the current year.
3. Be attending or planning to attend a 4-year college, 2-year technical college or other accredited post-secondary training program.

Application Materials
A completed application consists of:
1. Two letters of recommendation from people not related to you. At least one must be from a 4-H volunteer.
2. 4-H Scholarship Application Form.
3. 4-H Essay.

Due Date
All applications materials should be returned to the 4-H Program Educator at the Barron County UW-Extension office by **May 1 of the current year**.

Scholarship Scorecard
Scholarship applications will be reviewed based on the following:

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Scholarship Distribution
Scholarship recipients will be notified by mail and honored at the 4-H graduation.

Scholarship recipients must provide a copy of their first grading period grades and next semester course schedule to the 4-H Association. This information should be sent to the UW-Extension office. Also to receive any scholarship funds you must complete and achieve your final year of 4-H. All scholarship funds must be claimed within one (1) year of date of award. Any extenuating circumstances will be reviewed individually by the Barron County 4-H Association Council.

For questions, contact the 4-H Program Educator at 715-537-6253.
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APPLICATION FORM

Return to: 4-H Youth Development Educator, UW-Extension,
335 E. Monroe Avenue Room 2206, Barron, WI 54812
Due: May 1 of current year.

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Address: ____________________________________________________________________________

Phone: (____)_________ Parents’ Names: ________________________________

Birthdate: __/__/____ Email: ____________________________________________

Club Name: ___________________________________ Years in 4-H: ______

Enrolling School: ___________________________________________________________________

City: ___________________________ State: __________________________

For the next 4 questions, please complete on a separate sheet of paper in list format (ie. Bullets
or dashes), not paragraph form.

1. 4-H Projects: List each of your projects, number of years in the project and indicate if
currently enrolled.

   Sample
   
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<td>Swine</td>
<td>7 years</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Dairy</td>
<td>5 years</td>
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2. 4-H Activities: List your 4-H activities by club, county, district, state, and national levels and
   the number of years involved.

   Sample
   
   4-H Club Activities          Years
   ♦ Roadside Clean Up          5
   ♦ Louie’s Brat Stand         5

   4-H County Activities       Years
   ♦ Barron County Fair        13

   4-H District Activities     Years
   ♦ Dairy Bowl                6

   4-H State Activities       Years
   ♦ N/A                       N/A

   4-H National Activities    Years
   ♦ N/A                       N/A
3. **4-H Leadership:** List your 4-H leadership roles by club, county, district, state and national levels and the number of years involved.

   *Sample*

   **4-H Club Leadership**
   - President: 3 years
   - Secretary: 5 years

   **4-H County Leadership**
   - Junior Leaders: 4 years

   **4-H District Leadership**
   - N/A

   **4-H State Leadership**
   - N/A

   **4-H National Leadership**
   - N/A

4. **4-H Awards, Honors and Recognition:** List each and the number of years you received them.

   *Sample*

   **4-H Club 4-H Awards, Honors and Recognition**
   - Perfect Attendance: 1 year

   **4-H County 4-H Awards, Honors and Recognition**
   - 4-H Secretary Book: 2 years

   **4-H District 4-H Awards, Honors and Recognition**
   - District Dairy Judging: 5 years

   **4-H State 4-H Awards, Honors and Recognition**
   - State Dairy Bowl: 3 years

   **4-H National 4-H Awards, Honors and Recognition**
   - N/A

5. **Essay:** On a separate page, please explain in detail what the 4-H program has provided for you throughout your 4-H career; and how you anticipate the skills you’ve learned in 4-H will help you in the future. The essay should be typed, 12-point font and double-spaced.

   Would you be willing to share a few words or your essay at the 4-H Graduation ceremony in July? (Your answer will not impact your scholarship award) Yes ___  No ___

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*I prepared this application myself and certify that the information in it is accurate.*

Signature of 4-H Member: _____________________________ Date: ___________

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____________________________ Date: ___________