2025 4-H HORSE SCHOLARSHIPS

This year the 4-H Scholarship Committee in conjunction with the Kentucky Quarter Horse Association and the Kohnhorst Foundation will offer over $4,000 in scholarships to qualified seniors in the 4-H Horse Program. Applications are due by June 1st, winners will be awarded at the 2025 Drill team Competition. Applications will be judged on GPA, Essay quality, and Activities in which the 4-H'er is involved. Winners must show proof of continuing education after high school. Proof of continuing education is due to the 4-H Scholarship Committee by 12/31/25. Eligible applicants should be graduating High School Seniors only. Applicants may only apply in the year of their graduation.

The Application must include:

- Personal information
    - Name, address, city, state, zip code, phone number
    - County & District
    - Age & date of birth
- High School Information
    - Name of High School attending or attended
    - Cumulative GPA
    - ACT or SAT Scores (if taken)
    - Involvement in clubs or activities at school
    - Awards and recognition at school
- College/technical school, etc. you are planning to attend
    - Prospective area of study or major
    - You can also include the letter of acceptance
- 4-H Information
    - Number of years in 4-H
    - Club name (if applicable)
    - Projects held: be sure to include 4H Horse Project Activities
    - Offices or positions held in your club
    - Awards and recognition in 4H
    - Add community service, volunteer work, involvement with your community, etc.
    - Expand on your involvement with your community, let us know what you do to better, improve and help your community.
- Essay (no more than 3 pages) describing what 4-H and the 4-H Horse Program has meant to you.
- Photograph of applicant (no larger than 4x6).
- Three letters of reference with addresses and phone numbers will also need to be submitted with your application.

Applications are due June 1st

You may email your application to: kyhorsescholarship@gmail.com
(If the file size is too big, please use a file share program like google doc and email a link to the shared file)