

Danny Borelli Memorial Scholarship

\$500.00 Scholarship to be awarded at Banquet

Date: _____

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Best way to reach you: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Relationship: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

High School: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

Counselor: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Current overall GPA: _____

SAT or ACT score: _____

Trade School/College: _____

City & State: _____

Course of Study: _____

Expected Graduation: _____

Current overall GPA: _____

Which colleges or universities did you apply to? Which do you plan to attend?

What areas of interest do you plan to pursue in college?

Please answer all questions to the best of your ability. Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

1. How many years have you been a Dusty Boots Riding Club member? (List any activities you have participated in.)

2. List any extracurricular activities you have been involved with while attending high school and/or college, along with any awards/honors received and offices held.

3. List any activities or club affiliations not mentioned above.

4. Briefly explain why you should qualify for the Dusty Boots Memorial Scholarship?

5. In order to qualify for the Scholarship, you are required to complete 2 hours of volunteering for a Dusty Boots Riding Club. Please list services performed and who we may contact to confirm.

6. Attach 2 letters of reference. It may not be from a member of Dusty Boots Riding Club or a family member. At least one letter must be from a school representative or clergy member. Please list the name and contact number of the reference.

Scholarship Guidelines:

1. The scholarship application must be received **2 months prior** to current years' Banquet. Please mail to Dusty Boots Riding Club, PO Box 875, Ashtabula OH, 44005-0875.
2. Scholarship applicants must have been a member the current year applying and have a **paid membership** for the coming year.
3. Scholarship applicants must be between the ages of 15 and 25 as of January 1st.
4. Scholarship checks will be made payable directly to the trade school, university, or college the winner will be attending. **IF** there is not a tuition bill due to other financial awards having been received, special arrangements will be determined by the Scholarship Committee. Recipient is required to provide the necessary information to the scholarship committee.
5. A certified copy of either your high school or college **transcripts** must be attached to this application.
6. The funds will be held by the Dusty Boots Riding Club for a maximum of 3 years if the winner is not immediately enrolling in the trade school, college, or university.
7. You may be awarded the Memorial Scholarship a maximum of two (2) times.
8. Volunteering at a Dusty Boots show or fundraiser are examples of community service.
9. Applicant must attach a minimum of **250 word essay** about the lessons you have learned from showing horses, how has this impacted you as a person and how do you plan to use those lessons in your future?
10. Incomplete applications will be discarded.

Please submit only one application. Applications will not be judged by the scholarship committee, nor by any member of Dusty Boots or N.E.O.H.A. Applications will be given to a local community member(s) for judging. Their decision will be final. Judge(s) will be chosen by the committee and may consist of people that are business owners, teachers, lawyers or those of high ranking professional status.

Check list: ___ **Completed Application**
 ___ **Essay**
 ___ **2 References**
 ___ **Official Transcript**
 ___ **Membership**