

Oregon Meat Goat Producers Scholarship Application



Oregon Meat Goat Producers encourages and supports youth involvement with meat goat 4-H and FFA education. To demonstrate this endorsement of educational activities and collaborative learning opportunities, a scholarship program was established within the organization to grant financial aid to students.

Eligibility: Graduating high school senior or college student attending college in an Agricultural based major.

Scholarship amount: \$500 Application Deadline: June 30, 2023

Please attach 2 LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Please fill out the following information (Attach extra sheet of paper if necessary):

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ County: _____ Zip: _____

School Currently Attending: _____

Future Education Plans: _____

Extracurricular activities (4-H, FFA, Orchestra, etc.):

Past Livestock Experience: _____

High school GPA _____

See Essay Questions on next page:

Essay Questions: (Please limit answers to 500 words or less for each question and use another sheet of paper if needed)

1-How have your livestock experiences helped you and others achieve goals?

2-As you are about to enter the next chapter of your life, give some thought as to the “rural/city divide” and how you would solve this? The “rural/city divide” is referring to the fact that approximately 1% of the population lives in the rural areas and are involved in agriculture. As a result, the 1% is subjected to the views of the other 99% on such issues as dust and noise control, water for food production, animal welfare, and other issues which, in many cases, the 99% have little or no knowledge and experience.

3- You are on a debate team where the topic deals with animal rights movements. Your team assignment is to represent livestock farmers and ranchers. IP13 initiative is currently collecting signatures for an Oregon ballot measure that would make farm management procedures illegal.

How would you and your team proactively defend and present the rights concerning all current invasive livestock management procedures such as tail docking, castration, artificial insemination, butchering and harvesting procedures performed for livestock management and production. Be sure to cover how these procedures affect the consumer regarding costs and availability of meat supplies.

Signature _____ Date _____

Application must be received by June 30, 2023. Send application to:

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