



J.O. & MARIE PARKER SCHOLARSHIP

SUPERINTENDENT – JERRY MOYER FAMILY

Committee Members – Ralph & Reba Moore, Eddie Kinzer Family, OCA President & Farmers Co-op rep.

Rules

1. Applicant must have been a member of Washington County 4-H or FFA member at the time of High School Graduation.
2. Applicant must have exhibited beef cattle at the Washington County Fair in the junior department for a minimum of 3 years.
3. Applicant must show proof of entrance into a Arkansas School of higher education. Applicant may be attending a 2 year school, Technical Trade School, Nursing School, Cosmetology or other school. Applicant does not have to be enrolled in 4 year college.
4. Applicant must have a least a 2.0 grade point average in the last semester before applying for this scholarship.

Point System

If more than one applicant has met all the Qualifications the following point system shall help determine the scholarship winner or winners.

1. The base of need will be given the most amount of consideration. (Parent tax return or financial statement may be requested) A list of other scholarships the student has received will need to be provided. A maximum of 50 points will be given to the most need worthy applicant.
2. If the applicant is pursuing a degree in the field of Agriculture at the University of Arkansas, applicant can receive 15 points. If their field of study is Animal Science or related Animal Husbandry field applicant will receive an additional 10 points.
3. If the applicant has shown Hereford influenced cattle 2 of the 3 years needed to meet the qualifications, applicant will receive 20 points.
4. If the applicant has been on a livestock judging team while either in college or at the high school level they will receive 5 points.

The J.O. and Marie Parker Scholarship will be given under the direction of the Washington County fair Board and the Selection Committee, consisting of;

- 1) The current president of the Ozark Cattlemen's Association or a representative thereof.
- 2) A representative of Farmers Co-op.
- 3) A member of the Eddie Kinzer family.
- 4) Ralph and Reba Moore.

The only exception would be if an immediate family member of one or more persons on the selection committee has applied, then the remaining 3 appointed committee members will choose the winner. If a committee member needs to be replaced for any reason, the new committee member will be selected by the Jerry Moyer family and will be required to meet the approval of the Washington County Fair Board.

Applicants must complete the Washington County Fair Scholarship application. **The application and required information must be turned in to the Washington County Extension office by August 1.**

The following paperwork must accompany the application.

1. Transcript that includes last semester of school grade point average.
2. Proof on enrollment in an approved school with that schools address included.
3. A list of other scholarships the student has received.
4. A financial statement may be requested by the committee.

The selection committee will determine the number of scholarships and amount (minimum \$500) for each scholarship in any given year.