

PEGGY BOLLING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Educational and Vocational Scholarships

The Peggy Bolling Memorial Scholarship encourages excellence in youth by providing scholarships to outstanding young men and women in Mason County youth equestrian projects.

The following is a general outline of the program:

1. Scholarships will be available annually. (a) scholarships for future education and (b) scholarships for equine clinics and events.
2. Scholarships may be paid directly to a college or university, trade school or vocational training program after the award of the scholarship or, upon receipt of the award, a written request from the recipient may be made for payment.
3. The program is open to any young man or woman involved in a Mason County equestrian program.
4. All applications are reviewed on a competitive basis. Scholarship award winners are selected on the basis of the following criteria

Current or former equine involvement in a Mason County equine project.

Broad equine experience, and outstanding achievement in 4-H, FFA, or other equine program.

Scholastic excellence and the ability and aptitude for serious study.

Leadership, citizenship, volunteer and community service contributions within and outside of the equine field.

Years of equine involvement.

Desire to share knowledge with local community.

Thoroughness in completing application requirements.

Neatness of application.

5. Applications and three (3) reference letters relative to character, ability, and achievement, with the most recent transcript from school. Applications for clinics or events will be analyzed on a project by project basis.
6. If, in the opinion of the Selection Committee, no applicant meets the standards as set by the Committee, the scholarship funds will be held within the scholarship account.

PART I - PERSONAL PROFILE		
Legal Name_____		
Last	First	Middle
Birth Date_____		
Permanent Mailing Address_____		
Street/PO Box/ Apt#		

City	State	Zip Code
Home Telephone Number_____		
Father's Name_____		Occupation_____
Mailing Address_____		
Mother's Name_____		Occupation_____
Mailing Address_____		

# Children in family	# Children at home	# Children in College

PART II - ACADEMIC PROFILE

Secondary School Name _____

Address _____

Present Grade _____ GPA _____ (Based on 4.0)

University or event (planning to attend) _____

Location: _____ Tuition: \$ _____

Major (Enrolled in or planning): _____
(for continuing educational scholarships, not applicable for clinic/ events)

Career Goal: _____

PART III - EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Information to be considered must appear on this page only.

List honors or academic awards you have received: _____

Work and Volunteer Experience: _____

List extracurricular activities and offices you have held: _____

Describe any leadership roles you have held and how they have influenced you and others: _____

What has been your equine involvement for the last 2 years: _____

How long have you been riding? _____ Showing? _____ Other? _____

PART IV - APPLICANT ESSAY

In 250 words or less, explain (1) What your experience with horses has meant to you, (2) Why you desire to continue your education, (3) Any circumstances regarding financial need, and (4) How you will share your knowledge with others in your community if you receive this scholarship.

Submit your handwritten essay on a separate sheet of paper.

I hereby acknowledge the information contained in this application to be true to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that incomplete or fraudulent applications will not be considered by the Scholarship Committee.

Signature of Applicant

Date

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Read the Scholarship Information Sheet thoroughly.
2. Complete the Application form.
3. Request character references from three references.
4. Request the most recent transcript from your school.
5. Send the completed application, related material, and/or any questions regarding this application to:

The Peggy Bolling Memorial Scholarship Foundation
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SHELTON, WA. 98584