

United Suffolk Sheep Association Scholarship

APPLICATION DEADLINE: October 1ST



The United Suffolk Sheep Association is offering one \$1,000 Scholarship for graduating high school seniors or students enrolled at a college or university. Any United Junior Suffolk Sheep Association member who owns registered Suffolk sheep and whom is either a senior in high school or currently enrolled in a college or university is eligible. We encourage all eligible young breeders to join the competition. Funds will be paid directly to the winner's college or university and may be used for academic pursuits only.

To qualify an entrant must:

1. Complete an application form, either word processed or typed, but not hand written, which is available from the USSA Office or USSA website
2. Submit two letters of recommendation from teachers/professors, counselors or community leaders
3. A current transcript of scholastic credits

Finalists will be selected from the applications received. Finalists will be interviewed by the Scholarship Committee at the North American International Livestock Exposition (NAILE) held in Louisville, KY. Finalists in attendance to NAILE should check the USSA Display Table for an interview date and schedule. Applicants not able to attend interviews in person will be interviewed via the telephone. The scholarship winners will be announced at the USSA Annual Meeting held in Louisville, KY. Previous recipients of the USSA scholarship are ineligible for future scholarships. They are eligible to apply for the Let's Grow Scholarship available from the USSA Office or USSA website.

Applications must be received by the office no later than **October 1st**. Winners will be selected entirely based on merit.

MAIL APPLICATIONS TO: United Suffolk Sheep Association, P O Box 121, Holland, IA 50642.

Or

EMAIL APPLICATIONS TO: info@suffolks.org

Scholarship Application

Full Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade Point Average: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Applicant's Address: _____

Name of College/University to attend or attending and address: _____

1. What is your involvement with the Suffolk Breed?

2. Please list and describe your extra-curricular activities.

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3. Please list and describe your awards and achievements.

4. What have you done to help the USSA?

5. What are your future plans, both with respect to your career and to your involvement with the sheep industry?