

CLAY COUNTY YOUTH TRUST FUND, INC.
Rosie & Vi Venard Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1000.00 PAYABLE IN TWO EQUAL INSTALLMENTS OF \$500.00 EACH – ONE INSTALLMENT PER SEMESTER. THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE PAID DIRECTLY TO THE INSTITUTION WHERE THE RECIPIENT IS ENROLLED AT THE TIME FINAL FEES FOR A SEMESTER ARE DUE. APPLICANTS MAY RECEIVE THE CLAY COUNTY YOUTH TRUST FUND ROSIE & VI VENARD SCHOLARSHIP ONLY ONCE.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1ST.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

- The applicant must be a current or former Clay County, South Dakota 4-H member.

- The applicant must be enrolled or planning to enroll in a private or public college or vocational school. Preference will be given to those attending institutions in South Dakota unless the applicant's designated study program is not available in the state.

- The scholarship must be used in the next fiscal school year. If not, the applicant will be eligible to reapply, stating reason why they did not use the funds.

- The applicant shall submit the following:
 - Scholarship application form.
 - A brief letter stating their plans for higher education.
 - Their most recent 4-H Record Book and Accumulative Report.
 - A copy of their most recent high school or college grade transcript.
 - A letter of recommendation from an academic advisor such as a high school teacher, guidance counselor, principal or college or vocational instructor. The letter should attest to the applicant's scholastic standing, leadership and character.
 - Recent black/white or color photograph in a sealed envelope to be used for publicity purposes.

- Application materials should be submitted by April 1st to:

Clay County Youth Trust Fund Scholarship Committee
515 High Street
Vermillion SD 57069

- Judging procedure:
 - The Clay County Youth Trust Fund Committee will review all applicants materials. Applicants will be judged on the following criteria:
 - ♦4-H activities and leadership – 40%
 - ♦Scholastic standing - 40%
 - ♦Character – 20%

ROSIE & VI VENARD SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Parent's Names _____

Parent's Address _____

Birthdate _____

Social Security or student ID Number _____

4-H Club Name _____

Name you want used in publicity _____

Name of school you will be attending _____

Address of school attending (financial add office address required*) _____

Field in which you are majoring or plan to major _____

Graduation date _____ Degree you plan to get _____

Name of high school attended _____

Address of high school _____

Year graduated _____ SAT score _____ ACT score _____

● Describe why you are interested in pursuing an advanced education.

● Outline your reasons for choosing your field of study.

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●List community service experiences and leadership responsibilities in 4-H.

●List offices held in your 4-H club or other organizations.

●List activities and honors received in 4-H.

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● Explain your need for financial assistance and your plans for meeting this need.

● Will you be receiving or will you be a candidate for any other scholarships for the next year?
Yes_____ No_____ If yes, please explain:

● Will you have any brothers or sisters attending college during the next year?
Yes_____ No_____ If yes, please explain:

● Have you completed a FASFA? Yes_____ No_____

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