

SOUTHEAST TEXAS INDEPENDENT CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION

2024 SCHOLARSHIP RULES & ELIGIBILITY

The Southeast Texas Independent Cattlemen's Association (SETICA) will provide four (4) \$1,500.00 scholarship awards to four outstanding students graduating this spring semester from any high school in Chambers, Galveston, Hardin, Jefferson, Liberty or Orange Counties, as follows:

The selection criteria are as follows:

- A. **Priority** will be given to students whose parents, grandparents or guardians are **current SETICA members for two consecutive years prior to the date of this application deadline**. These applicants may attend any college of their choosing and enroll in any degree program. Applicant must meet the regular admission requirements of an accredited college of their choice (junior colleges included).
- B. Further consideration will be given to **ANY Texas FFA or 4-H Member** planning to major in an agriculture-related field.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. All applicants must complete the **official application form**.
2. All applicants must submit an **official high school transcript** indicating SAT or ACT score, or other entrance exam score.
3. All applicants must submit a **3x5 head and shoulder photograph** (color or black/white).
4. All applicants must submit **two (2) letters of personal reference** from **any** of the persons listed below. These letters should indicate character, determination to pursue a college education and any other factors which will assist in the evaluation of the applicant.
 - Extension agent or agriculture instructor;
 - Any active ICA member;
 - High School counselor, principal or teacher;
 - Someone with personal knowledge of applicant, other than a family member.
5. All applicants must submit a **typed narrative** of no more than three pages, double-spaced, 12 point Times New Roman font. Applicants should supply any information that they would like a scholarship committee to consider which could include school, extracurricular and community activities and career and personal goals.

All applicants must complete each section of application, signatures, and initial checklist before submitting. Applications not meeting all requirements will not be submitted to the scholarship grading committee.

APPLICANT EVALUATION PROCEDURES

The SETICA scholarship committee will review all **properly completed applications**. If the committee feels that interviews are needed, they will be set up with the finalists. All applicants will be notified of the scholarship committee's decisions. All decisions of the SETICA scholarship committee will be final.

PAYMENT OF FUNDS

Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the Financial Aid Office. One half of the scholarship (\$750.00) will be forwarded in the fall upon receipt of recipient's enrollment of twelve (12) or more semester hours. All scholarship recipients must receive at least a 2.0 grade point average the fall semester in order to receive funding for the following spring semester. (Note: For those who are awarded an Agriculture Scholarship, the twelve (12) semester hours **must include a minimum of three (3) hours of ag-related courses.**)

DEADLINE: APRIL 12, 2024

Applications are to be postmarked no later than April 12, 2024.

Mail applications to:
Southeast Texas ICA
P.O. Box 146
Hamshire, Texas 77622



PLEASE NOTE..... APPLICATIONS FAILING TO MEET ALL SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS WILL NOT BE SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOLARSHIP GRADING COMMITTEE FOR EVALUATION

If you have any questions concerning the scholarship requirements or completion of this application, please call or email:

Mike Broussard, Scholarship Chairman
409-651-9073 (cell)
mbroussard@hfhorns.net

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2024 Scholarship Application

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SECTION I: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date: _____
County: _____
Applicant's Name (Last, First, Middle): _____
Mailing Address: _____
City, Zip Code: _____
Phone Number (Home or Cell): _____
Social Security Number: _____
Date of Birth: _____ Email Address: _____
Gender (Check One): Male Female

If Applicable—ICA Member Name & Relationship: _____

SECTION II: PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Father's Name (Last, First): _____
Occupation: _____
Place of Employment: _____
Mother's Name (Last, First): _____
Occupation: _____
Place of Employment: _____

If Applicable—Sibling Information

Numbers of Brothers and Sisters (and Ages): _____
Siblings Currently Enrolled in College (Include Name of Institution): _____

SECTION III: FINANCIAL DATA

Range of Income for Parent(s):

- () Under \$15,000 () \$15,000-\$30,000 () \$30,001-\$50,000
() \$50,001-\$70,000 () \$70,001-\$90,000 () Over \$90,001

SECTION IV: INDIVIDUAL SCHOLASTIC RECORD

This record is to be completed by the applicant's high school counselor or principal.

Please provide an Official Copy of Applicant's High School Transcript.

Applicant's Full Name: _____

Name of High School: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

Applicant's GPA on 4.0 Scale: _____ Applicant's Rank in Class (i.e. 12th out of 146) _____

Was Applicant in Accelerated Program? _____

ACT Score/SAT Score: _____ Other Entrance Exam Scores (If Applicable) _____

Brief Statement by High School Principal or Counselor regarding applicant. *(Can attach letter if needed)

Signature: _____ Title: _____ Date: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

