

CRITERIA

THE DONALD E. GRAF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSE: The purpose of the DONALD E. GRAF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP is to honor his memory by providing a scholarship(s) for a graduating public or private high school senior who has participated in the Carroll County 4-H Program and has exhibited livestock at the 4-H Fair . The DONALD E. GRAF MEMORIA SCHOLARSHIP will be awarded to a graduating, or for one additional year, to a continuing student pursuing an undergraduate degree at an accredited college, university or technical school who meets the criteria established for the fund.

FUND SELECTION CRITERIA:

- A. FUNDS will be awarded to an applicant who meets the following criteria:
 - 1. The student will be a member of the current year's public or private high school graduation class or, for one year, a continuing student who has participate in the Carroll County 4-H Program and has exhibited livestock at the 4-H Fair.
 - 2. The student will have been accepted at an accredited college, university or technical school.
 - 3. The student will have maintained a GPA of 3.0 or better for his or her high school career and have college worthy SAT or ACT scores.
 - 4. In addition to academics, extra curricular activities and participation in 4-H, need and availability of funds will be important considerations.

- B. The administration of the FUND shall be as follows:
 - 1. Applications shall be reviewed by the Donor or an advisory committee established for that purpose. Their nomination(s) must be approved by the Board of Directors of the Community Foundation of Carroll County. Donors reserve the right to make the award presentation.
 - 2. All income in the Fund shall be used for fund purposes.
 - 3. The money shall be transmitted by the Community Foundation of Carroll County

directly to the desired college, university or technical school and applied directly to the student's tuition and books. The monies shall not be remitted to the Student.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

RESPONSIBILITIES OF FUND

The Community Foundation will transmit a check made payable to the institutions of higher learning chosen on or about July 1 of each year. The transfers will be in accordance with applicable regulations and laws governing such funds.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF BOARD

- A. The successful student recipients will be selected in accordance with the selection criteria identified in the Agreement.
- B. The Community Foundation of Carroll County shall administer the program in a prudent financial manner and the funds may be commingled with other funds of the Community Foundation of Carroll County.



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