

Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association

Scholarship Application



Scholarships up to \$1,000.00 per scholarship are funded annually by the Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association. Up to three (3) scholarships may be awarded each year. Scholarship applications will be reviewed by the current PQHA President, Secretary, Treasurer and Scholarship Committee members.

Eligibility

1. Scholarships are limited to Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association members (PQHA/PQHYA) with intent to be enrolled as an undergrad or graduate student in an accredited university, college or technical school.
2. Applicant has shown determination for classroom academic achievement.
3. Applicant has shown a dedication to the sport of equestrian riding.
4. No candidate shall be denied being recipient of a scholarship on the basis of race, creed, sex, religion, national origin, or any other basis which is prohibited by Section 501 (C) (3) of The Internal Revenue Code.

Application Procedure

Applications may be picked up at the Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association show office or can be downloaded from the PQHA website. If you would like an application emailed to you, please contact either wcbhorseshow@yahoo.com or harperm767@gmail.com or call 814-880-0965.

Completed applications should be returned to the PQHA Home Office.

PLEASE NOTE: A Completed Application includes:

- **Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association Scholarship Application**
- **High School Transcript with GPA**
- **Personal statement about applicant's career aspirations**
- **Personal statement about the impact of the sport of equestrian riding in their life**
- **2 Letters of Recommendation (excluding family members)**

Application Deadline

Completed applications including the two letters of recommendation are due no later than **June 30, 2023**. Applications received after this date will not be considered.

PQHA Home Office
% Scholarship Committee

PO Box 166
Coburn, PA 16832

PENNSYLVANIA QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Student Information

1. **Name in full** _____
2. **Address** (street or box) _____
(City, state, zip code) _____
3. **Home Phone** _____ **Cell Phone** _____
4. **Email address:** _____
5. **Parents'/Guardians' name(s):** _____
6. **College/University you plan to attend this fall:** _____
Address: _____
Phone Number of Financial Aid Office: _____
7. **Major** _____
Minor or area(s) of concentration _____
8. **ACT or SAT Score** _____
9. **Are you a member of any other quarter horse affiliations? If so, please list:** _____

*** Attach High School transcript with GPA and/or most recent college transcript.**

By signing this application, I give permission to the Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association to publicize my scholarship award if chosen as the recipient.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Recipient must provide the Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association office with verification of university, college, or trade school registration for scholarship payment.

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Student Information

Provide evidence of your school activity participation, community involvement, achievements, and leadership skills supporting your application:

School Activities _____

Community Activities _____

Significant honors, awards, and accomplishments that you have received: _____

Leadership position and offices held: _____

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**Personal statement about applicant's career aspirations and how
the equestrian sport has or will impact your future plans and goals.**

**PLEASE COMPLETE BELOW, ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER,
OR ON THE REVERSE OF THIS FORM**

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Personal statement about the impact horses and riding has had on your life.

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Failure to receive this information by the scholarship deadline disqualifies the applying student.

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PENNSYLVANIA QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Name of Applicant _____

The person named above is applying for the Pennsylvania Quarter Horse Association Scholarship. A description of the characteristics and abilities of this applicant would provide supplementary information to the Scholarship Committee.

Please briefly explain, how long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

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Signature: _____

I can be reached at: phone _____ email _____

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