

AMERICAN SADDLEBRED ASSOCIATION OF WISCONSIN SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.

THE AMERICAN SADDLEBRED ASSOCIATION OF WISCONSIN WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION AND AMERICAN SADDLEBRED ENTHUSIASTS. EACH YEAR, TWO SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE CONSIDERED TO PROMOTE THE INVOLVEMENT IN THE ASAW AND A COMMITMENT TO LEADERSHIP, SPORTSMANSHIP AND COMMUNITY SERVICE.

ELIGIBILITY:

One of the following:

- An individual membership in the ASAW, or a member of an ASAW family membership, high school senior or older.
- An individual participating in an American Saddlebred academy program.
- A 4-H Saddlebred project participant.
- An individual enrolled in a horse science program.

NOTE: An individual may only be a recipient of scholarship funds twice.

THREE scholarships will be awarded each year at the ASAW Summerfun Horse Show. ONE of these scholarships will be the Melvin and Marion Meyer (founders of Lee-Mar Farms) Memorial Scholarship, in the amount of \$3,000, and will be awarded specifically to a graduating high school senior. The second and third scholarships, the ASAW Scholarships, will be in the amounts of \$3,000 and \$2,000. The scholarships will be paid to the educational institute of the winners' choice in the first semester following the awarding of the scholarships.

APPLICATION:

THE COMPLETE APPLICATION AND ALL SUPPORTING MATERIALS, INCLUDING TRANSCRIPTS AND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION, MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31, 2010.

Note: An outside university source will review the applications for selection.

ASAW SCHOLARSHIP

The ASAW Scholarship Fund, Inc. invites applications for their three scholarships, which will be granted to eligible individuals, male or female, high school senior or older, for the 2010/2011 school year.

Applicants must be planning to attend a college, technical school or other school of his/her choice in the year of application, and must meet all the requirements for either a college, technical school or other school entrance.

Each applicant must submit the following materials:

- A completed application form
- Transcript of academic achievement
- A paragraph (on a separate sheet of paper) explaining the applicant's interest in the scholarship
- A letter of recommendation from a teacher or administrator.
- A letter of recommendation from an ASAW member affirming the applicant's contribution to the American Saddlebred Association of Wisconsin, OR
- A letter of recommendation from the participant's 4-H program leader (if applicable), OR
- A letter of recommendation from an American Saddlebred academy instructor (if applicable).

Criteria for judging includes:

- Character - .Judged by written recommendations.
- Scholastic record - Verified by school officials
- Evidence of intellectual promise judged by written recommendations
- Demonstrated ambition and leadership...judged on record of participation in school, church, or community activities as well as applicant's personal letter.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- A. All scholarship application forms, transcripts of academic achievement and letters of recommendation must be mailed to:

**Mary Markwiese
Secretary/Treasurer
ASAW SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.
2840 North 84th Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53222**

Note: *The applicants complete application package must be POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31, 2010. **Applications and letters postmarked after that date WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE.***

- B. Scholarship recipients will be notified on or about May 15, 2010.
- C. Upon notification of the award, the student will must provide to the Scholarship Committee a confirmation of college acceptance.
- D. Scholarships will be paid in the name of the school upon enrollment for the following Fall semester. Recipients must inform ASAW how the school wants this check made out.
- E. Applications will not be considered unless all items are submitted.

Any questions may be directed to:

**Mary Markwiese
Secretary/Treasurer
ASAW SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.
2840 North 84th Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53222**

**(414) 453-7282 (Evenings)
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American Saddlebred Association of Wisconsin Scholarship Fund, Inc.

Scholarship Application

Application should be completed by the Applicant and returned to:

Mary Markwiese
ASAW Scholarship Fund
2840 North 84th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53222.

NOTE: THE COMPLETED APPLICATION, ALONG WITH ALL SUPPORTING MATERIALS, INCLUDING TRANSCRIPTS AND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION, MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31, 2010.

FULL NAME: _____
(Please print or type name in full)

HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

BIRTH DATE: _____ TELEPHONE () _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

1. I am: _____ ASAW member
_____ 4H Saddlebred Project participant
_____ Saddlebred Academy student
_____ Horse Science Program student

2. Year of school (this Fall):

3. Incoming Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____ Graduate school _____

Field in which you plan to major/are majoring: _____

Indicate name and address of the school or college you plan to attend: _____

4. Schools attended (*Attach official transcript of grades*):

A. High School attended _____
(Name and address)

B. Date of graduation _____

C. Higher institutions attended (*Attach official transcript of grades*):

D.	Name of Institution	Dates of Attendance	Credit Hrs. Earned
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

5. List any college scholarships you have previously received, by year and name: _____

5. Parent(s) or Guardian(s): _____

Address _____

6. List on a separate sheet of paper your extra-curricular activities in high school and the community as well as any honors you have received.

**** Please use separate sheets of paper if necessary to answer questions 7, 8 and 9 ****

7. Describe your equine-related activities (*Specifically as it relates to the American Saddlebred*):

8. List your record of leadership experiences (*Kinds of activities, offices held, special activities, etc.*).

9. How do you perceive the future of the horse industry? How can you help?

Parent's or Guardian's Endorsement

I (name) _____, the parent () or guardian () of the above applicant for a scholarship, hereby declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing statements are complete and correct. I approve the applicant's application for a scholarship.

Date _____ Signature _____

Internal Use Only: