

JAMES NATHAN REED SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Purpose: This scholarship was established by the four sons of James Nathan Reed to honor his contributions to agriculture, the Green Ridge Community, and to their success in agriculture. The purpose of the fund is to provide scholarships to graduates from the Green Ridge R-VIII High School to pursue advanced education.

Criteria: The recipient of this scholarship must be enrolled in a two or four year institution, community college or trade school to pursue advanced education or training in agriculture, agricultural education or agribusiness or other fields of higher education. The recipient shall be of good moral character. The recipient shall be selected based on community service (school, city, county, state or nationally with emphasis toward agriculture), financial need, and academic ability. Academic ability shall include a minimum of 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale and rank in the top 50% of the class. The recipient shall remain a full-time student during receipt of the scholarship. A current transcript must be included with application.

Guidelines: Scholarships will be awarded on an annual basis and disbursed at semester. Recipients must provide an official transcript at the end of each semester certifying the hours of credit taken and the GPA maintained.

Amount: \$1,000.00 per academic year (\$500 per semester). The checks will be made payable to the recipient and the school where the recipient is enrolled and will be sent directly to the educational institution.

Renewal: This scholarship is not automatically renewable. Recipients are encouraged to submit a new application each year.

Deadline: April 15th of each year. The Foundation will be responsible for notifying applicants as to their award or denial of the scholarship.

Please submit application and current transcript by April 15th to:

Green Ridge R-VIII High School Counselor

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

List any organizations in which you have been a member or jobs in which you have been employed. Organizations may include academic, athletic, civic, religious or social groups. Jobs may also include volunteer work or internships. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>No. of Years</u>	<u>Positions or Offices Held</u>

List any awards, honors or recognition received:

Which of the above experiences (participation in a particular activity, leadership position or honor received) has been most important to you and to others?

FINANCIAL DATA

(Please attach a copy of your ACT Financial Aid Need Estimator Report - if available)

Total Number of Family Members in Household (including yourself): _____

Number of Family Members in College this year (including yourself): _____

Father's Employer: _____ Job Title: _____

Mother's Employer: _____ Job Title: _____

Anticipated College Expenses:

Estimated Family Contribution:

Tuition & Fees \$ _____

Parents' Contribution:
(from income and assets) \$ _____

Room & Board \$ _____

Student Contribution
(from job and/or savings) \$ _____

Books & Supplies \$ _____

Other (please list)

Other (e.g. relatives; please specify)

_____ \$ _____

_____ \$ _____

Total College Expenses: \$ _____

Total Family Contribution \$ _____

Have you applied for other forms of financial aid at this time? ___ yes ___ no

Have you received other forms of financial aid at this time? ___ yes ___ no

If yes, please indicate the type, amount and source:

		Source(s):
Scholarships	\$ _____	_____
Grants	\$ _____	_____
Loans	\$ _____	_____
Workstudy	\$ _____	_____
Other	\$ _____	_____

(Please forward a copy of any current or future financial aid received from any source)

Do you plan to work during the school year? _____

If there are special financial circumstances which will affect your education, please describe:

How will your education benefit you and others? _____

I hereby confirm that all information provided on this application is correct and I understand that any intentionally false information automatically disqualifies me from eligibility.

(Signature of Applicant)

(Signature of Parent or Guardian)

(Date)

**Return by April 15th to:
Green Ridge R-VIII High School Counselor**