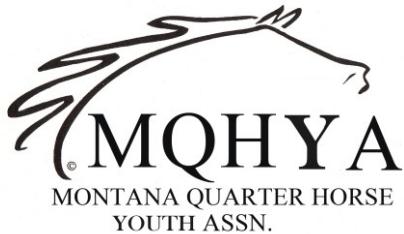


BILL & SHERRIE HARRISON MEMORIAL COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



The **Bill & Sherrie Harrison MQHYA College Memorial College Scholarship** is dedicated to the original contributors and founders, Bill & Sherrie Harrison. Bill and Sherrie shared an interest in the Chevron station in the center of Dillon in their early marriage. They sold their interest in the station and headed to the Big Hole Valley to ranch alongside Sherrie's parents, Blaz and Zella Lugar. They later purchased full interest in the Lugar Family ranch and added another ranch property in the Big Hole to the operation. During this time, Bill and Sherrie had two children, Thomas Dean and Lee Ann. Bill and Sherrie purchased the ranch North of Dillon after Blaz's retirement, and they moved the family to Dillon full time and used the Big Hole ranch for summer grazing. Bill and Sherrie settled into a ranching operation once again, putting a home together and feeding people who came to the feedlot. Ultimately, Bill and Sherrie "retired" to a small place just a couple of miles North of Dillon. During this time, Bill ran an owner operator cattle trucking business, they followed the quarter horse shows with their daughter and a business venture in Helena with their son. Sherrie showed quarter horses for a time with Lee Ann.

In Honor of Bill and Sherrie Harrison, the Montana Quarter Horse Youth Association may award no more than two(2) \$500.00 scholarships to two(2) Montana high school graduating senior(s). This scholarship is to recognize a Montana graduating high school senior(s) for their academic achievements, as well as their contributions to the Montana Quarter Horse Youth Association, the Montana Quarter Horse Association, their school, and their community.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

1. Graduate of an accredited Montana high school or have taken and passed a GED or an accredited correspondence course during the current school year.
2. Enrollment and attendance at an accredited college or university. The student must be enrolled full-time.
3. Parent(s) must have been a member the last two (2) years and be a current member of MQHA, or the student must have been a member the last two (2) years and a current member of MQHYA.
4. Must be an active member in MQHYA for at least 2 years
5. Definition of active will entail holding an officer position (or being defeated in election) &/or leading a committee &/or actively participating in fundraiser(s) plus attending 2 or 50% (whichever is greater) of MQHYA meetings from Convention to the application deadline.
6. Application must include:
 - a. Copy of student's high school transcript or records from an accredited correspondence course or the results of a GED.
 - b. Three (3) letters of recommendation.
 - c. A recent photograph suitable for duplication in newspapers due to MQHA Secretary – Montanaqha@gmail.com, no later than **August 1 of the current year**. For more information contact: MQHYA Youth Advisor(s)

RENEWABLE REQUIREMENTS:

The Secondary Education Scholarship(s) are renewable provided: the recipient submits proof of continued enrollment in college with a minimum of 12 credits and a GPA of 2.0. Applicants are also required to be a current member of MQHYA or, thereafter, MQHA. As a member of MQHA they need to sign up for one committee. The renewal deadline will also be 8/1. Email to MQHA Secretary – Montanaqha@gmail.com.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

AGE _____

PARENT'S NAME _____

HIGH SCHOOL _____

CUMMULATIVE GPA _____

MQHA MEMBER (Y/N) _____

MQHYA MEMBER (Y/N) _____

(YOU MAY SUBMIT YOUR ANSWERS ON A SEPARATE SHEET)

WHAT COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY DO YOU PLAN TO ATTEND AND WHAT ARE THE REASONS YOU HAVE SELECTED THIS INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

IN 500 WORDS OR LESS EXPLAIN WHERE YOUR INTERESTS LIE IN CAREER POSSIBILITES AND WHY YOU FEEL THAT THIS WILL BE A REWARDING FIELD FOR YOU.

HIGH SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS/ ACTIVITIES/HONORS:

HORSE RELATED ACTIVITIES/ORGANIZATIONS, OFFICES HELD AND HONORS OR AWARDS RECEIVED:

**NON-SCHOOL RELATED ACTIVITIES/ORGANIZATION OFFICES HELD AND HONORS OR AWARDS RECEIVED:
(NOT INCLUDING HORSE-RELATED ACTIVITIES)**

**TELL US ABOUT YOUR INVOLVEMENT IN YOUR COMMUNITY AND ABOUT VOLUNTEER WORK YOU HAVE
DONE.**