

AES Cattlewomen's Vocational & Alternative Trade Scholarship

Contribution Information

The **AES Cattlewomen's Vocational & Alternative Trade Scholarship** was established in 2026 to support students and graduates pursuing vocational training, apprenticeships, technical certifications, licensing programs, academies, and other skilled-trade career pathways.

This scholarship was created to recognize that strong agricultural communities, rural economies, and the beef industry depend not only on traditional college pathways, but also on skilled trades and hands-on professions that allow individuals to live, work, and contribute locally. The scholarship is intended for applicants from **Amador, El Dorado, or Sacramento** counties who demonstrate a connection to agriculture, the beef industry, and their rural communities.

The AES Cattlewomen's Association has approved an annual contribution of up to \$1,000 from the AES Cattlewomen's Heritage Fund to support this scholarship. AES Cattlewomen is honored to accept private contributions in support of the Vocational & Alternative Trade Scholarship Fund. These gifts help expand our ability to invest in local youth pursuing vocational, technical, licensing, and skilled-trade pathways that strengthen our rural and agricultural communities. We are grateful to each donor who chooses to support this scholarship and help encourage the next generation of hardworking students, tradespeople, and agricultural community leaders.

How to Contribute

Private donations may be made by check. Checks should be made payable to:

A CALIFORNIA CATTLEWOMEN HERITAGE FOUNDATION, INC.

Please include the following note in the memo line:

Vocational & Alternative Trade Scholarship Fund

Please mail checks along with the ACCHFI form to AES Cattlewomen's President at:

**AES Cattlewomen
c/o Katherine Kussman-Collins
3370 Dry Creek Rd.
Ione, Ca. 95640**

Donors may include their name, mailing address, phone number, and email address with their contribution so AES Cattlewomen may properly acknowledge the gift. For each tax-deductible donation, please complete the Heritage Foundation form [[hyperlink](#) or attached].

Thank you for your generous consideration and support of the AES Cattlewomen's Vocational & Alternative Trade Scholarship.

DONATION FORM

A CALIFORNIA CATTLEWOMEN HERITAGE FOUNDATION, INC.

A Non-Profit 501(c)3 Organization
TAX ID# provided upon request



A California CattleWomen Heritage Foundation, Inc., is a 501(c)3 non-profit public benefit corporation. Our mission is the advancement of leadership education, and to assist in the promotion of agriculture and beef through education and science. *All ACCWHFI members donate their time and talent.*

To make a charitable donation to "A CALIFORNIA CATTLEWOMEN HERITAGE FOUNDATION, INC." please fill out this donation form and specify for which purpose you'd like to donate. The donation is fully tax deductible.

☒ CCW County Unit: Amador ~ El Dorado ~ Sacramento CattleWomen <OR>
☐ ACCWHFI Board Discretion: _____ <OR>
☐ Other: _____

If this is a memorial donation or a personal tribute, a message will be sent from ACCWHFI acknowledging the donor to the parties involved:

In Memory of: N/A

Donor Information:

Name: _____
Phone #: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____

YOU CAN APPLY YOUR CHARITABLE OR GRANT DONATION FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSE:

☐ Education to promote beef.....	Amount: \$ _____
☐ Leadership Education (Beef Industry).....	Amount: \$ _____
☒ Scholarship for Agriculture/Beef.....	Amount: \$ _____
☐ ACCWHFI General Fund.....	Amount: \$ _____
☐ California CattleWomen Scholarship.....	Amount: \$ _____
☐ ACCWHFI Scholarship.....	Amount: \$ _____

Please make your check payable to:

"A CALIFORNIA CATTLEWOMEN HERITAGE FOUNDATION, INC." (ACCWHFI)

Mail to: ACCWHFI Attn: June Kester | 68102 Slack Canyon Road | Parkfield, CA 93451

Contact June Kester at: Phone 805-441-3812 | email: JuneKester49@gmail.com

Thank you for your donation!