

On a separate piece of paper, please answer the following questions.

1. Describe your involvement in with Columbia sheep, your role and responsibilities with their management, and your plans to stay involved in the sheep industry. Include any efforts to promote the breed.
2. How has raising Columbias impacted your life?
3. Tell about one or two production goals you have set for your flock in order to have a successful and profitable sheep operation. How do you plan to achieve this goal(s)?
4. Describe one challenge faced by the Columbia breed and a potential solution.
5. In one paragraph, explain the benefits of Columbias and why others should consider beginning a flock.
6. Share your education and career plans.

Your completed application must include:

- This completed application form
- Your response to application questions on a separate piece of paper
- A current transcript from your high school, college, or both if you feel it is necessary to demonstrate an acceptable academic record
- One letter of recommendation

The transcript and letter of recommendation may be mailed separately or included in sealed envelopes with the application.

I hereby certify that all information on this application is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____ Date _____

Mail the completed application to: Manda Davis
43W770 Rowe Rd
Elburn, IL 60119

You will be notified when your application is received by email if you provided an email address on the application.

National Junior Columbia Association Scholarship Rules

Who is Eligible?

- Individuals who are high school seniors through college juniors and will not have reached the age of 22 before the 2017 National Columbia Junior Show (June 10, 2017).
- Individuals who plan to enroll in a two-year or four-year college, university, or vocational/technical school.
- Demonstration of financial need is not necessary.
- It is strongly suggested that applicants be a member of the National Junior Columbia Association.

Scholarship Amount

- \$500 to be awarded to an individual only one time during their college career
- Award money is to be applied to educational expenses including tuition and fees, housing, or books and supplies.
- The scholarship check will be mailed after the individual has met scholarship conditions described below.

Scholarship Conditions

Upon being awarded the scholarship, the recipient must:

- Enroll as a full-time student during the year in which the scholarship was received.
- Provide proof of enrollment before receiving the scholarship check. A copy of the official class schedule will serve as proof.
- Complete the academic year, with the exception of family emergencies, illness, or military service.

How to Apply

- Send the completed scholarship application, letter of recommendation, and transcript(s) to:
Manda Davis, 43W770 Rowe Rd, Elburn, IL 60119.
- Applications must be postmarked by May 15, 2017.

Questions

If there are additional questions, please contact Manda Davis, Junior Advisor.

- Cell phone: 815-499-8112
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