Manatee River Fair Association Youth Livestock Scholarship

The Manatee River Fair Association will be offering up to three (3) \$1,000 scholarships. Applicants must be a qualifying members of FFA and/or 4-H who are a graduating senior planning their post-high school education. Student must be graduating from High School in the current year of the Scholarship Application. Scholarships will be awarded at the Manatee County Fair awards presentation on Saturday, January 20, 2018 at 7 PM.

The Manatee County Fair Scholarship Committee will consider the following:

- 1. Each applicant must have completed his/her livestock project at the Manatee County Fair within the last two years.
- 2. Each applicant must hold a 2.5 or greater high school grade point average (based on a 4.0 system). Official high school transcripts should be attached to application.
- 3. Each applicant must agree to apply the scholarship funds for tuition or fees at a two or four year college and carry at least 12 credit hours per semester. The funds will be assigned to and administered by the applicant's college or university. Should chosen applicant drop out of school for any reason any unused portion of scholarship will be returned to the Manatee River Fair Association.
- 4. Each applicant must have demonstrated participation in his/her school and community activities.
- 5. Each applicant must exhibit during the application process a desire to achieve the goals of which he/she is capable. Attach a typed narrative of up to 200 words which describes your educational plans and future goals.
- 6. Financial need will not be considered in the selection process.
- 7. The distribution of scholarship funds must be within one year of scholarship being awarded.

Applications must be postmarked or hand delivered by 5 PM on December 1, 2017 to the Manatee River Fair Association office.

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NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED!