

TOM GATES MEMORIAL BEEF SCHOLARSHIP

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2018 High School Scholarship

The Napa Solano Cattlemen's Association will award a \$1000 scholarship to an outstanding student graduating from a Napa County or Solano County high school. Applications must be submitted by March 31, 2018.

Eligibility

- ❑ Student will be graduating from a Napa County or Solano County high school during the 2017/2018 school year.
- ❑ Student will be enrolling as a full time college student for the 2018/2019 school year.
- ❑ Student must have significant hands on experience in the beef industry via fair exhibits, employment, or other experience.
- ❑ College major must be consistent with an agricultural career goal.

Selection Criteria

- ❑ Academic achievement
- ❑ Career goals
- ❑ Extracurricular activities, including junior beef projects
- ❑ Demonstrated leadership skills
- ❑ Commitment to agriculture

To apply, submit the following:

- ❑ Resume stating how you meet the eligibility and selection criteria.
- ❑ Copy of high school transcripts.
- ❑ 250 word essay about a current issue facing the beef industry.
- ❑ Two letters of recommendation. If a member of 4-H or FFA, one letter should be from your 4-H Leader or FFA Advisor.
- ❑ You may include any other materials you feel appropriate.

All candidates will also be considered for a \$500 scholarship from the Napa Solano Cattlewomen's Assn. Interviews will be held at a convenient time in April. The winner will be announced in early May. Mail application materials to:

Napa Solano Cattlemen's Assn.
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Fairfield, Ca. 94534

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