



THE CHASE WILSON MEMORIAL 4-H SCHOLARSHIP
 Administered by the Coastal Bend Community Foundation



APPLICATION FORM

Completed applications due to the Coastal Bend Community Foundation by June 19

Applicant: _____
First Name M.I. Last Name Last 4 of SS#

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Date of Graduation from High School: _____

College or Trade School You Plan to Attend: _____

Number of Years Enrolled in 4H: _____

List Project Areas:

Chase Wilson Memorial 4-H Scholarship Information

Background During the early spring of 1985, tragedy struck the 4-H Program, when an accident took the life of a former outstanding Nueces County 4-H member, Chase Wilson. Chase was a senior student at A&M University in the College of Agriculture. He was due to graduate in the spring of 1985 with plans of a career ahead. Chase was a member of a loving and caring family who could not let his life end without making certain that others remembered and benefitted their own lives as a result. To make this happen, Charles and Linda Wilson, his parents, Linlea Wilson Shelby, his sister, family members, and friends have established a scholarship in the name of Chase Wilson.

Purpose To encourage 4-H members to continue their education beyond the high school level.

Amount The scholarship will be in the amount of \$2,000.00 payable in installments of \$500.00 per semester. The amount per semester and the total amount of the scholarship are subject to change at the sole discretion of the trustees depending on available financial resources or other pertinent factors.

Selection Committee The Selection Committee members will be persons who are familiar with the ideals and objectives of the 4-H Program and its organization. The committee is appointed by the Nueces County 4-H Extension Agent. The committee will consist of at least three (3) persons to include at least one (1), but preferably two (2) Extension Agents from another county(ies) that is(are) familiar with the 4-H Program, and two (2) persons who are residents of Nueces County and are familiar with the 4-H Program.

Eligibility Requirements

- One outstanding Nueces County 4-H member, boy or girl
- Plans to attend a college or university or accredited vocational school
- A graduating or incoming high school senior

Selection Guidelines

- Criteria for selecting the most deserving applicant will be an individual who has demonstrated
- growth in leadership, projects, community service, and involvement as evident by the record book and other information submitted during the interview.
- This scholarship will be awarded only one time to an individual.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING LISTED TERMS. IF I DO NOT FULFILL THESE POLICIES, I UNDERSTAND THAT I WILL JEOPARDIZE THIS SCHOLARSHIP.

Scholarship Policies:

- If the recipient has not completed high school and entered college, the scholarship will be held by the Coastal Bend Community Foundation. In such cases, the scholarship will be used the school year following graduation.
- The recipient must maintain a full status in accordance with the school they are attending.
- Maintain or exceed the academic requirements of said school.
- Failure to meet the said school requirements will render the recipient ineligible for further scholarship support.
- Scholarship will be disbursed at the rate specified, not to exceed two years or the said amount, whichever comes first.
- First payment will be made upon receipt of a copy of the recipient's first semester registration slip to the Coastal Bend Community Foundation, 555 N. Carancahua St., Suite 900, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401, telephone 361.882.9745, no later than six (6) weeks after the semester begins. Thereafter, it is the recipient's responsibility to submit a copy of their grade report for the prior semester and a registration fee slip for the upcoming semester to the Coastal Bend Community Foundation scholarship office not later than six (6) weeks after the semester begins.
- These policies apply throughout the duration of the scholarship and must be complied with before payment is issued, otherwise the scholarship will be discontinued.

**Submit your completed application to:
Coastal Bend Community Foundation
Chase Wilson Scholarship Committee
555 N. Carancahua St., Suite 900
Corpus Christi, TX 78401**

Questions regarding the application should be directed
to: Chase Wilson Memorial 4-H Scholarship Committee
710 East Main Avenue, Suite 1
Robstown, Texas 78380-3148
Telephone 361.767.5220

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____