Ohio Pygmy Goat Association Scholarship Award and Application

General Guidelines

- Up to two \$250 scholarships will be awarded by the OPGA each year to deserving applicants applying or currently enrolled full or part time in an accredited college, university, vocational, technical or trade school. This is a one-time award. Applicants not receiving an award may apply in upcoming year(s).
- 2. This scholarship is open to applicants of any age.
- 3. All applicants must be part of an immediate family in which one or more people have current OPGA membership and have been an OPGA member for at least two full consecutive years.
- 4. Awards are based upon activity in the pygmy goat world, character, academics, and written recommendations.
- 5. Activity in the pygmy goat world also consists of four hours of volunteering at a show or shows, for a total of four hours during the application year. Examples would be helping the Show Chair with running the showmanship classes and/or handing out ribbons for classes. Mentoring a child or children new to showing would be another.
- 6. Payment of the award will be by check directly to the educational institution.
- 7. All information gathered by the Scholarship Awards Committee will be held in strict confidence.
- 8. Applying for the scholarship, no matter how many or how applications are submitted to the OPGA, does not guarantee a scholarship to be awarded.
- 9. All portions of the application must be returned to the Scholarship Awards Committee on or before June 1, 2021.

Send applications to: Lynne Sanders 5757 Osman Road Cridersville, Ohio 45806 <u>lynne.sanders1026@gmail.com</u> This application in its entirety is due to Lynne Sanders no later than June 1, 2022

Part 1: General Information

Name:		
Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
School you are presently attending:		
College or training program you plan to atte	end:	
Educational Goal:		

Part 2: Activities

Please list and explain your involvement in the goat world. Use more paper if necessary.

1. What is it that you have learned from raising pygmies that will influence your life:

2. List any activities in which you have participated. Please include offices, awards, recognition, etc.

3. List and explain community activities in which you have been involved.

4. List your work experience.

Part 3: Guidance Counselor, Faculty Member, or Professional Reference

To be completed by a guidance counselor, faculty member, or professional reference and returned under separate mailing directly to the address below. *(Emailing this is acceptable as well.)*

Applicants are encouraged to provide a pre-addressed and stamped envelope to the individual.

Applicant's Name _____

Please describe the character and qualities of this applicant.

What is it about this applicant that would influence you to award him or her a scholarship?

Please add any additional information you feel might allow us to know this applicant better.

Name (please print)_____

Signature:_____

Position_____Date _____

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