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## 2010 CCA Scholarship Program

### APPLICANT CRITERIA FOR:



**CCA ALLIED INDUSTRY COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP**



**CCA FEEDER COUNCIL-ALLFLEX, USA SCHOLARSHIP**



**CORNERPOST PUBLICATIONS/CALIFORNIA CATTLEMAN MAGAZINE SCHOLARSHIP**



**CALIFORNIA BEEF CATTLE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION (CBCIA) SCHOLARSHIP**



**LIVESTOCK MEMORIAL RESEARCH FUND (LMRF) SCHOLARSHIP**



**GORDON VAN VLECK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

1. An undetermined number of scholarship grants will be made to an undergraduate, Masters, or veterinarian student(s) attending or enrolled in a junior college, four-year college or university. To be considered, students must have graduated from a California high school.
2. The student must be studying in a major consistent with the career goals outlined in 3(b).
3. The award of this scholarship will be based on the following:
  - a. **Scholastics:** Applicants must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.
  - b. **Career Goals:** Applicants should be planning a career associated with the beef cattle industry. (This can include, but is not limited to cattle production, genetics, nutrition, trade, agricultural communications, agricultural education and professional services, marketing, lending, etc.)
  - c. **Other Activities:** Applicants should cite all activities that demonstrate leadership qualities, intellectual growth and breadth of interests.
  - d. **Financial Need**
4. The CCA Scholarship Program will furnish application forms for the applicant to complete and return by the indicated date. The form must be accompanied with a letter of recommendation from a faculty member of the applicant's **current** school (high school,

two-year College or four-year College) and a letter of recommendation from one other person of the applicant's choosing. A copy of the applicant's current transcripts must also be included indicating academic status and major (if enrolled in a college). Transcripts need not be official, they can be those obtained from the school's student Web site, if accurate.

5. In addition, all applications must include a copy of the courses the student is enrolled in for the upcoming semester/quarter. This information may also be "unofficial."
6. A selection committee consisting of one representative from each donating groups will be chosen by the current CCA Feeder Council and Allied Industry Chairman.
7. Applications will be screened based on the criteria herein and finalists will be called for an interview with the selection committee.
8. Recipients of CCA Scholarship Program grants can re-apply for additional grants the following year. However, some monies are not available for consecutive year grants.
9. **Applicant must be a young, regular or feeder member of the California Cattlemen's Association. No exceptions.**
10. Applications must be returned to the California Cattlemen's Association office postmarked by **Monday, May 24, 2010**.
11. Failure to adhere to any of the previous requirements may result in a disqualification of the application. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that all information is being provided, either with the application or mailed separately. The CCA office **WILL NOT** contact you regarding **ANY** missing information.
12. Please note that supplemental materials included with scholarship applications **will not be** used in the selection of scholarship recipients. Only the materials outlined in this application will be accepted for consideration.
13. Qualified applicants will be interviewed on **Wednesday June 23, 2010** in conjunction with CCA's Midyear Meeting. In order to receive scholarship monies, applicants **MUST** be interviewed, no exceptions.

***By filling out the CCA standard scholarship application (see below) you are eligible for any or all of the following:***

**CCA Allied Industry Scholarship**—Due to the outstanding support of the CCA Allied Industry Council, scholarship assistance is available to students currently enrolled in higher education or those with a senior status in high school.

**CCA Feeder Council Scholarship**—With special assistance and the generosity of Allflex Tags and the California Cattlemen's Association Feeder Council, the association is pleased to offer scholarships to students planning on entering a career with beef cattle orientation.

**Cornerpost Publications/ California Cattleman Magazine Scholarship**—Due to the

generous support of the *California Cattleman* magazine, scholarship assistance is available to students currently enrolled in higher education or those with a senior status in high school. Students applying must be Young Cattlemen members and want to serve the agriculture industry with an emphasis in communications in the future.

**CBCIA Scholarship**—Due to the outstanding support of the California Beef Improvement Association (CBCIA), scholarship assistance is available to students interested in beef cattle genetics and/or breeding. Students applying should have a demonstrated and continuing interest in beef cattle.

**Livestock Memorial Research Fund Scholarship**—Due to the exceptional support of the Livestock Memorial Research Fund (LMRF), scholarship assistance is available to students currently enrolled in veterinarian school or planning to be enrolled in veterinarian school in the near future.

**Gordon Van Vleck Memorial Scholarship**—With special assistance and the generosity of the Gordon Van Vleck family, the association is pleased to offer scholarship assistance to students currently enrolled in higher education or those with a senior status in high school. Applicants must be planning on entering a career within the agriculture industry.

**If you are not a member, but wish to apply for scholarships, please contact the CCA office for a membership application, (916) 444-0845.**

**ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED May 24, 2010. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

**Please mail to:**

**CCA  
c/o Megan Huber  
1221 H St.  
Sacramento, CA 95814**





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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
FIRST M.I. LAST

Current Address \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET

CITY STATE ZIP

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_  
MO/DAY/YEAR

Young Cattlemen's Committee membership number \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

What college or university do you attend or plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Major Course of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a: High school Senior \_\_\_\_\_ Undergraduate \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate \_\_\_\_\_ Veterinary School \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Class standing in September 2010: Freshman \_\_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate \_\_\_\_\_

How did you find out about this scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you work while attending college? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be living on or off campus? \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation upon graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

### Letters of recommendations:

NAME OCCUPATION TELEPHONE

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High Schools, Junior Colleges and Colleges attended, with dates of attendance and graduation (including your present school). Do **NOT** include single course or class studies; e.g. night school. **Be certain your transcripts are included with this application.**

SCHOOL NAME/ ADDRESS	YEARS ATTENDED	MAJOR/MINOR	G.P.A.	DEGREE
HIGH SCHOOL				
JUNIOR COLLEGE				
COLLEGE				
COLLEGE				

List your work experience during the past four years. Indicate dates of employment in each job, and approximate number of hours worked each week.

POSITION/DUTIES	COMPANY	DATES EMPLOYED	HOURS PER WEEK

Please provide the following information on additional attached pages:

1. **Statement outlining career goals and the purpose for applying for this scholarship.** (Please do not exceed 500 hundred words.)
2. **List of awards, honors and other scholarships received.**
3. **List of extracurricular activities and/or hobbies.**

**I certify that the information provided in this application is true and complete.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date