

IRENE ANDRES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Irene Andres (1942-1999) was a heart-felt supporter of the FFA. She was the mother of ten children: eight of whom received the State Degree and six served as State FFA Officers. She was awarded the Honorary State Degree and the Chapter Eagle Award. She was an active member of the Missoula FFA Alumni for twenty years and “mothered” the students as she knew best. She was involved in most of the chapter activities and chaperoned many events. Her favorite was the National FFA Convention. She attended many times and always viewed it as her annual dose of inspiration. It is in her honor that the Andres Family will award a deserving member the opportunity to experience the National Convention by providing a \$200 scholarship.

Eligibility:

To be eligible for this award the applicant must be an active FFA member of the Montana FFA Association.

Procedure:

1. Submit to chapter advisor the completed application in an envelope addressed to the address above.
2. Chapter advisor must complete the confidential reference form and include it in the envelope with the application.
3. Attach a current photo of applicant fit for reproduction and publication and signed release form.
4. The application packet must be received at the above address by the due date above.

Award:

The winner will receive \$200 to help defray the cost to attend the National FFA Convention. A certificate will be presented at the Montana State FFA. The scholarship will be paid to the chapter prior to the National FFA Convention. If the winner is not able to attend the convention an alternate will be chosen to receive the funds.

**This award is funded through
an endowment by the family of Irene Andres
with the Montana FFA Foundation.**

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APPLICATION

Name: _____ Social Security #: _____

Address: _____
(street) (city & state) (zip)

Phone: _____ Gender: M / F Date of birth: _____

Grade: _____ Years in FFA: _____ Office(s) held: _____

Chapter: _____ Advisor: _____

1. Describe your involvement in the FFA. What activities have you participated in? What contributions have you made?

2. What are your FFA goals?

3. Describe your SAE program and your goals associated with it.

4. What other activities are you involved in (school, community, church, etc.)? What community service projects have you been a part of?

5. Why do you want to attend the National FFA Convention? What do you hope to gain from the experience?

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

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ADVISOR REFERENCE FORM

NOTE: Advisor, please complete this reference form confidentially (place in a sealed envelope). Include it with the member's application and mail it to the state FFA office by the due date.

Member's Name: _____ Chapter: _____

Advisor's Name: _____ School Phone Number: _____

School Address: _____

6. What is the level of involvement of this member in the chapter activities? (Circle one)

low 1 2 3 4 5 high

7. What are the leadership skills of this member? (Circle one)

low 1 2 3 4 5 high

8. What is the work ethic of this member? (Circle one)

low 1 2 3 4 5 high

9. What progress has this member's SAE program shown? (Circle one)

low 1 2 3 4 5 high

10. What is the financial need of this member? (Circle one)

low 1 2 3 4 5 high

Why should this member be awarded this scholarship? _____

Additional comments? _____

Advisor's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Attach a current photo of applicant fit for reproduction and publication.

I hereby release the information and picture provided in this application to the Montana FFA Association and Montana FFA Foundation for publicity and/or website purposes.