

Sarasota County Cattlemen's Association, Inc.



Scholarship Application

The Sarasota County Cattlemen's Association, Inc. scholarship is intended for applicants demonstrating a strong commitment to pursuing a career within the beef industry, including animal science, veterinary medicine, meat science, nutrition, food safety, agricultural education, or related agricultural disciplines, with the goal of contributing to the advancement and sustainability of the beef industry. The applicant must intend to pursue their education in a school of higher learning.

Administration: Sarasota County Cattlemen's Association, Inc. Board of Directors

Eligibility:

1. Applicant must be a member of OR have an immediate family member who is in good standing of the Sarasota County Cattlemen's Association, Inc.
 - a. Good Standing – *Paid in full membership for current year and have been a member since March 31, 2025.*
2. Applicant must be accepted or enrolled as a student in an accredited school of higher learning for the upcoming academic year.
3. Applicant must have a current overall GPA of 2.0 or higher and be in good academic standing.

Items to be included with Application:

- (a) Application Cover Sheet
- (b) One (1) Letter of recommendation
- (c) Most up to date transcript available at time of submission (GPA must be included)
- (d) Typed 300-600 word essay based on the following prompt: *How has the beef or agricultural industry impacted your life and how will your higher education plans further your goal of working in the industry.*

Submission

Applicant must submit a completed hand delivered or emailed application to a Board Member of the Sarasota County Cattlemen's association by 5:00 pm on **March 31, 2026.**

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Application Cover Sheet

Last: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____

Home Address: _____

Email: _____

Are you a United States citizen? _____ Yes _____ No

Birth Date: _____

Planned area of agricultural study: _____

Current High School G.P.A. _____ OR G.P.A upon High school graduation _____ OR

Current College G.P.A _____

Name of current high school OR school of higher learning that you are presently attending

Intended School of Higher Learning: _____

The following immediate family member is a **current** member in good standing and has been a member in good standing of the Sarasota County Cattlemen's Association since **March 31, 2025**.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I CERTIFY THAT ALL THE INFORMATION GIVEN IN THIS APPLICATION & SUPPORTIVE MATERIALS IS TRUE, CORRECT & COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

DATE: _____ SIGNATURE: _____