



# SHERRI GILKERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

FOR CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 30 Annually

**Purpose:** The Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation provides financial assistance to post-secondary students who have demonstrated an interest in Reined Cow Horse, and they, or their immediate family, are members of the National Reined Cow Horse Association (NRCHA).

Minimum annual scholarship \$1000; Previous scholarship recipients are eligible to reapply each year.

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1. High school graduate;
2. Post-secondary enrollment;
3. Minimum of 12 credit hours per semester;
4. Maintain a minimum of 2.8 GPA, on a 4.0 scale;
5. NRCHA member, or family member holds NRCHA membership;
6. Out-of-state students acceptable; and
7. Cannot be a Gilkerson, Hammond, or Scholarship Selection Committee family member.

## RE-APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

The scholarship committee is supportive of continuing scholarships for recipients throughout their higher education process. In order to re-apply, please provide the scholarship committee with the following:

1. An update letter. Please include information regarding academics (GPA and classes), personal development, recent achievements, extra-curricular and equine activities, your plan for next year.
  2. Verification of attendance, current student enrollment form.
  3. Unofficial transcript.
  4. Current schedule.
  5. Photocopy of NRCHA membership card, for self or family member.
  6. Scholarship submittal information: student identification number; name, department, and address of school receiving the check.
  7. Current mailing address, email address, daytime phone number.
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I understand that it is my responsibility to confirm that all required documentation is received by the Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee. I affirm that I meet the eligibility requirements for the Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation scholarship program, and hereby formally request consideration of my application by the Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation scholarship program.

Applicant's Signature:

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature (If Applicant is under the age of 18):

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**REMEMBER:**

*The deadline for this application to be received by the Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee is June 30th. Winners will be notified in writing prior to the start of the Fall semester. Please send your re-application and supporting documentation to: Sherri Gilkerson Memorial Foundation c/o Cynthia MacDonald Singer, 6842 E Hummingbird Lane, Paradise Valley, AZ 85253. If you have any questions about the application, please email Cynthia MacDonald Singer at [Cynthia@SherriFoundation.org](mailto:Cynthia@SherriFoundation.org)*