

Robert and Patricia Nichelson Memorial Scholarship

March 28, 2011

Dear Guidance Counselor,

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that we will be offering a scholarship to an area agriculture based student. Please understand that this scholarship will only be awarded to Custer County students and it is in loving memory of our parents, Robert and Patricia Nichelson of rural Callaway.

Since our parents felt agriculture and especially the beef industry was vitally important to the Custer County area, we would like to honor a student with a scholarship (\$500 scholarship), which will allow them to further their education in an agriculture related field.

We will require that the applicant has maintained a minimum average grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. In addition, we will require three letters of recommendation that will be heavily used in the selection process.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance. The deadline for application for the scholarships is April 25, 2011. We will do our best to have an announcement by the recipient's graduation date. Feel free to make copies of the application if you have multiple students that qualify.

Sincerely,

Debra Stark

REFERENCES:

1.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Occupation:** _____

2.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Occupation:** _____

3.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Occupation:** _____

Note: *All three letters of recommendation (along with application form, statement of applicant, current grade transcript, ACT/SAT Score and a photo) must be postmarked by April 25, 2011.*

Mail to:

**Deb Stark
42998 Callaway Rd
Callaway, NE 68825**

**APPLICATION FOR ROBERT AND PATRICIA
NICHELSON SCHOLARSHIP**

Full Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **Town:** _____

Birthdate: _____ **Sex:** _____ **Soc Sec #:** _____

Parent's Names: _____

To be completed by high school counselor or principal. Must be included with application.

High School: _____ **Town:** _____

Date of Graduation: _____ **G.P.A.** _____

Number of Students in Senior Class: _____ **Rank in Class:** _____

ACTISAT Score: _____

Signature: _____ **Print Name:** _____

To be completed by applicant. (Please answer in space provided)-

Have you applied to a college, university, vocational or trade school? Give details:

Have you applied for or received other scholarships? Please give details and amount

Please include a type written narrative (maximum of 700 words) explaining your reasons for applying for this scholarship. Be sure to fully explain to the committee your career goals and future involvement in agriculture and the beef industry. You may use an additional page if necessary.

Signed: _____