



Brigadier General William (Tom) Meredith Honor Scholarship

This scholarship fund was established in 2010 by the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association to provide financial assistance to our members and their family's wishing to attend an accredited institution of higher learning to better their future educational goals. This scholarship program is supported entirely by funds set aside for the sole purpose of this program.

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Introduction

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Purpose

The purpose for this scholarship is to provide financial assistance to those individuals attending an accredited technical institution, college or university of their choice. This scholarship program is supported entirely by funds set aside for the sole purpose of this program. Funds are acquired from donations, contributions and fund-raising efforts.

Policy

The number and amount of scholarships presented annually will be determined by the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association scholarship selection committee and based on funds available to award. Scholarships will be awarded to undergraduate, certificate or technical students who are planning to attend or are attending an accredited institution of higher learning. Scholarship will be in the individuals name however; all awards will be paid directly to the enrolled recipient's academic institution on their behalf.

Eligibility

A candidate is eligible to apply for this scholarship program if:

1. The applicant is an immediate family member of a member in good standing (annual dues are current) of the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association. (Immediate family member is defined as a son, a daughter, step son, step daughter, adopted son, adopted daughter, grandson, granddaughter, spouse and self).
2. Applicant is ONE of the following: a high school graduate, has their GED, is a home-schooled student who has successfully completed an equivalent program of study, or is currently enrolled as an undergraduate with at least 2 full semesters until graduation.
3. Applicant has maintained at least a C (or numeric equivalent grade).

The Brigadier General Tom Meredith scholarship award will be presented at the discretion of The RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association Board of Directors. The RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association does not discriminate by age, race, color, national origin, disability, creed or gender. No financial need is required to qualify. Applicants must submit all required information by the due date of June 30th. Qualifying applicants may reapply every year. Prior recipients may reapply; however, the applicant must submit a new application package each year.

Selection Process

The recipient(s) will be chosen by the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association scholarship selection committee based upon the information included in the required application package. The RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association scholarship selection committee will determine winning recipient(s) no later than July 31st

Application information procedure

Applicant must submit the following:

1. Application form (see attached).
2. A letter of reference is preferred but not required.
3. A personal Essay, 250 words or less, which should answer “What are your career goals?” (Typed, double-spaced, on a single sheet of plain paper and attach to the application)
4. Transcript and educational record, including any activities and honors.
5. Verification of enrollment in accredited institution of higher learning.
6. Recent (within 90 days) color, full body (head to toe), photo not less than 3”x5”.
7. Recipients agree to the release of their name and photo to the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association for publicity purposes.

Mailing Instructions The **completed application with all required attachments** should be sent via United States

Postal Service (USPS) in time to reach the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association **by the due date of June 30th**. If you choose to send your application package by certified mail be sure to allow a few extra days and please **retain your tracking slip for future reference if needed**. Do not fold photo.

Send to:

RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association, Scholarship Selection Committee
208 W. City Dam Rd.
Corbin, KY 40701-3602

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Application (Part one) **Instructions:** Please complete this application legibly with blue or black ink. Fill in ALL requested information. Application WITH ALL attachments must be submitted in sufficient time to reach the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association Scholarship Selection Committee by the **DUE DATE OF JUNE 30th.**

First Name: _____ MI: _____ Last Name: _____

Current Mailing Address Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Daytime Telephone Number: (____) ____ - _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

Are you a U. S. Citizen? Yes _____ No _____ If no, what country _____

Have you registered for the Selective Service System? Yes _____ No _____ if no please explain why. _____

The name and relationship of the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association member with whom you are associated?

What is the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association member's address?

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Are you currently employed? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, Employers name: _____

Name of College/University you have been accepted to: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

What is your proposed major area of study? _____

What is your expected date of Graduation? _____

What is your student ID number? _____

I certify that the information I have provided on this application, including all supporting attachment, is complete, accurate, and true to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that furnishing false information may result in my not being considered or in revocation of financial scholarship at some later date. I also understand that if selected for a scholarship, the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association may use my photograph and /or testimonial for promotion and public relations purposes.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date: _____

(Signature of Parent/Guardian if applicant is under 18 years of age)

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Application (Part two)

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Application (Part two)

List of schools you have previously attended (grades 9-12)

Name of School:	Address:	Dates Attended:
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List work experience (include present and previous employment, attach additional paper if required)

Year:	Employers Name:	Job Description:
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List all school-related extracurricular activities in which you have participated.

Activity:	How were you involved?	How long?
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List ALL no-school related activities in which you have participated.

Activity:	How were you involved?	How Long?
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List any academic honors, civic honors, or other awards you have received.

Honor/ Award:	Reason for honor/ award	Awarded by whom
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Statement of Support by Guidance Counselor

I hereby affirm that this application meets the criteria set forth by the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association Brigadier General William “Tom” Meredith Honor Scholarship Program and that I recommend this applicant for consideration to the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association.

Name of Guidance Counselor _____

High School _____

Contact information: email and/or phone number: _____

Signature of Guidance Counselor _____ Date: _____

Reminders

1. **The due date for this application** to be received by the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association is **JUNE 30th**.
2. Your application, with ALL REQUIRED attachments should be sent via USPS in sufficient time to arrive by the due date. Keep your tracking stub.
3. Legibly print or type your application and attach all requested attachments and any additional sheets. Do not fold your photograph.
4. Have your Guidance Counselor sign your application.
5. Send your completed application to: **RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association, Scholarship Selection Committee, 208 W. City Dam Rd. Corbin, KY 40701-3602**
6. Direct any questions for information referencing this scholarship program to: Don Bowker Sr

Secretary, RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association. Email: dbowkersr@rhpba.com or write to the address above.

Thank you for your interest in the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association and the ***Brigadier General William***

“Tom” Meredith Honor Scholarship, on behalf of the RED HORSE and Prime BEEF Association members and its Board of Directors I wish you all the best in your pursuit for higher education.

Stan Irwin

Stan Irwin, President
REDHORSE Association