WISCONSIN WPA PORK ASSOCIATION

2027 Fredrich Memorial Scholarship

Background:

The family of Clarence Fredrich, through funding from the Southeast Wisconsin Pork Producers, is sponsoring three scholarships recognizing high school seniors and college freshmen pursuing a career in agriculture.

Clarence was actively involved in the Southeast Wisconsin Pork Producers Association and very supportive of youth programming in agriculture and community events and activities. A special thanks goes to the Wisconsin Pork Association for facilitating these scholarships.

Up to three scholarships will be given to high school seniors or college freshmen from **Walworth, Racine, and Kenosha Counties**. There will be two $1,000 and one $750 scholarships awarded. The scholarships recognize the value of leadership in agricultural projects, programs, events, and activities.

Scholarship Requirements:

1. All applicants must be pursuing a post high school education, (i.e., college, technical college, short course, etc.) and have a sincere interest in agriculture. They must also reside in Walworth, Racine, or Kenosha County.

2. All applicants are required to fill out and return the attached form and additional pages, cover letter, and resume no later than **DECEMBER 1st, 2026,** to Wisconsin Pork Association, P.O. Box 327, Lancaster, WI 53813, or email wppa@wppa.org.

3. Finalists will be chosen from the applications received by the scholarship committee panel. Each of the finalists will be contacted to schedule a final interview to determine the scholarship award winners.

4. The scholarship will be awarded after the WPA office has received a copy of the finalist's first semester transcript showing the student is in good academic standing.

For more information contact:

Wisconsin Pork Association
P.O. Box 327
Lancaster, WI 53813
(608) 723-7551

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A. Personal Information:

Name: _____

Birth Date: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

County of Residence: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Parents' Names: _____

Local Newspaper Name: _____

Email: _____ Mailing Address: _____

B. Criteria

a. School that you have been accepted to or plan to attend: _____

b. Major to be studied: _____

c. How did you become aware of this scholarship? _____

C. Extra-curriculars & Industry Involvement

a. Attach your resume to this application (cover letter w/ 1-2-page resume).

D. Future Career Plans

a. Explain how your plans relate to agriculture and/or the pork industry. Explain how your background and experiences have influenced your plans.

E. Industry Knowledge

a. In a 200-word essay, please address a current topic that affects agriculture.

Applicant Signature: _____Date: _____

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