

Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc.

1304 East Evans Ave
Valparaiso, IN 46347

Porter County Inc. Scholarship

The **Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc.** Scholarship has been created to recognize an outstanding individual from each public high school in Porter County. It is our desire to assist young people to further their education and training. A consolidated school corporation may receive a scholarship for each high school within its consolidation.

Rules and General Information

1. At the discretion of the Board of Directors of Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc., located in Valparaiso, IN, a scholarship award may be offered at a time and in an acceptable manner to all involved.
2. The recipient must be a student in a Porter County Public High School.
3. There shall be nine (9) scholarships awarded in Porter County, one to each Porter County Public High School;
 \$750.00 scholarship awarded if a Farm Bureau membership family
 \$375.00 scholarship awarded if not a Farm Bureau membership family
4. To be considered a Farm Bureau member, membership dues must be current by date application is returned to counselor.
5. The scholarship check shall be drawn in the name of the recipient.
6. Scholarship monies are specifically limited to the recipient who is attending an accredited university, college and/or trade school.
7. Applications shall be held in strict confidence.
8. Scholarship winners shall be selected on the following criteria:
 - a. Need of applicant
 - b. Transcript of grades
 - c. Ability of applicant to complete course
 - d. Personality and character
 - e. Leadership ability
9. If recipient fails to complete the first term or semester of instruction, and/or does not intend to continue his/her education, the scholarship will be withdrawn and awarded to the second-place applicant.

10. Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc. will present the money award to the recipient in December of year chosen as recipient at a special Scholarship Banquet and will utilize the sponsoring organization's name and the recipient's name and/or photo in advertising material.
11. The schools of scholarship winners will be notified by letter as soon as possible after the judging is completed.
12. All forms must be completed and returned to the school counselor by
Friday, March 21, 2008.
13. All forms are due to the Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc. Women's Leader, **Katy Rust**, post marked no later than **Friday, April 9, 2008.**
14. Applications may be sent or delivered to:

**Mrs. Katy Rust, Women's Leader
Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc.
114 W 950 S
Kouts, IN 46347**

Phone: 219-766-3307

15. For a recipient to receive the scholarship, parent's membership in Farm Bureau, Inc. is preferred, but not required.