

## Instruction/Expectations letter

PARENT AND APPLICANT PLEASE READ AND SIGN BELOW; The following letter is to inform you as to what your duties are concerning the show, and includes instructions on how to receive the monies. This letter, signed by both applicant and parent, must be returned with your application

During the show; There will be some conflicts but basically it is expected that you will be available throughout the show to help in whatever capacity is needed. To include; Set-up on Wednesday night, mtg for scholarship recipients and all exhibitors, assist in the showring for both the showmanship and judging, attend the banquet and most important of all, assist the entire day Saturday with the sale and clean-up of the barns. Minor conflicts can be dealt with but please notify Jill as soon as possible. We invite your parents to help serve at the banquet.

When you are helping in the showring you should be dressed appropriately. You are representing the show. White shirts are not required but your wash clothes, shorts, etc, are not appropriate either. The DJLS Scholarship t-shirt is a great option.

There will be a short mtg for the scholarship kids just prior to the exhibitors meeting on Thursday. I know this is right before the showmanship classes start so please plan accordingly. Parents are welcome at this meeting as well. This is where a picture will be taken that will be used for the Thank You's that are sent out to the buyers. At this time you can also notify me of any conflicts during the show, and assignments will be made for helping in the showring. We want everyone there if at all possible as this is the time last minute instructions will be made available.

Instructions for Scholarship winners; Due to various circumstances, we will issue scholarship checks three times a year, May 1<sup>st</sup>, August 1<sup>st</sup>, and December 1<sup>st</sup>. These dates are a month before the traditional semester start dates. Some schools require the full tuition be paid before classes begin, others give you a week or two after the semester starts to get it paid in full. It takes 1-2 weeks minimum for these checks to get two signatures, go through the mail, and then for the school to apply the funds to your account. The dates require you to get the information to us early, or you will have to pay and then get reimbursed. The check has to be made out to the school, but if everything is paid they can leave it in your account for upcoming expenses or put it towards the next semester.

**YOU are responsible** to insure your tuition is paid in full before classes are dropped.

After you are enrolled send a billing statement showing enrollment, your student ID Number, and the address of where to send the check, to the address below. You can get the statement through your online student account or at the Financial Aid Office at the school. You can then mail or email it to:

Mattie Jensen  
325 N Main Street, Apt 2  
St George, UT 84770  
mattiekaybundy@gmail.com

Please text 435-680-0805 when the information is sent to insure that the information was received.

Applicant signature; \_\_\_\_\_ Parent signature; \_\_\_\_\_



## Scholarship Application

**DUE: February 1st**

Complete the form, scan all needed documents, email (preferably as a Google Doc) to:

[djlsscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:djlsscholarship@gmail.com) Please send from the email address where you want to receive show info

### Requirements:

1. Be a member of 4-H or FFA and registered for this year's Dixie Jr Livestock Show.
2. Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 as of the due date of this application.
3. Must have participated in the DJLS a minimum of three years, to include this, your senior year.
4. Current high school transcript
5. Two letters of recommendation
6. Current picture of yourself
7. 'Instruction/Expectation' letter signed by applicant and parent
8. A Thank You Letter to Scholarship Sponsors (examples on following page). **Please put this in the body of the email since we will be putting it onto DJLS letterhead.**

Items 4-8 above **must be emailed**, by February 1st, to [djlsscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:djlsscholarship@gmail.com) Please use the e-mail address where you want DJLS notifications sent (can be a parent or applicant's email).

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Applicant's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ High School you currently attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

# Of years you've participated in DJLS: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of years in: 4-H \_\_\_\_\_ FFA \_\_\_\_\_

There will be a quick meeting for all scholarship recipients at noon on Thursday. A picture will be taken for the Thanks You's that are sent out to all buyers. Also, we will be setting up the schedules for when you will be helping. It will be just prior to the mandatory Exhibitors Meeting on Thursday.

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**Please type your responses to the following questions(s) on a separate sheet of paper. Include responses with the above. Please answer using complete sentences, proper grammar and check your spelling.**

1. Significant activities, accomplishments, honors, and recognitions.
2. Personal qualifications - special interests, abilities, character.
3. How has the DJLS, 4-H and/or FFA, affected your life? How have you grown? What have you learned?
4. Describe your vocational or higher education plans and goals.

**Below are four examples of the Thank You letter you need to return via email as part of your application. This page does not have to be returned.** Remember, these are not for purchasing your animal; they are a generic thank you that may be used for any business/individual that has helped our show. It will be put on DJLS Letterhead, signed by all of the scholarship recipients then sent out to the various scholarship donors.

DJLS Scholarship Sponsor,

As a recipient of the DJLS Scholarship and from all the other benefactors of this great opportunity we would like to say thank you for your support of the Dixie Junior Livestock Show. We all appreciate the help we have as we go on to continue our education in the areas in which we all choose to explore. We have gained so much by working with our animals, and with each other, that will help us as we enter life on our own.

For me personally I have gained the knowledge that animals and people have a mind of their own and you have to be able to work with them. Along with that I have gained confidence, how to present myself, how to present my ideas, and how to work with others. Thanks so much from all of us as we head out to begin our lives it's nice to know there are people and business that want to help us succeed! As for me, I plan to enroll in a dental assisting program and hope that will be the right road for me. Thanks again for all you have done for the participants in the DJLS.

Sincerely,

DJLS Scholarship Sponsor,

On behalf of all recipients of the DJLS Scholarship I wanted to say thank you so much, not only for this year but for all your support in past years too. It is so appreciated. We have all learned so much from being a part of this program. We have learned things about animals but also things about life that we can take with us as we grow up and start our lives in the "real world". For me personally I have gained so much knowledge about responsibility, how to work with people, and about results of hard work. Coming up this year I plan to attend BYU and then eventually become a nurse. This scholarship is a great help in getting me started on my journey. Thank you again from all of us! It is so great to know that there are people that want to help us succeed!

Sincerely,

DJLS Scholarship Sponsor,

As recipients of the DJLS Scholarship, we would like to express our gratitude to you, our sponsors; for all that you have done for the youth of your community. With this money we are able to get a jump start on our futures. The Livestock Show has been such a big part of our lives thus far and the hard work and character we have built and developed will be vital for us in years to come. My animals have taught me to be patient, responsible and hardworking; characteristics that are slowly becoming a lost art in this day and age. Due to my experiences at the Dixie Junior Livestock Show I know that I want to get my education in a field where I can make an impact on my society; a career where I can make a difference in my community. Thanks to you and your sponsorship I will be able to carry out my aspirations of contributing to my society and making this world better for generations to come.

Sincerely,

Dear Livestock Show Scholarship Sponsors,

I was both surprised and honored to receive the scholarship from the Livestock Show. I am aware of the many things people like you do for our community, particularly in support of education. I appreciate your confidence in me and willingness to contribute to my future education.

I learned a tremendous amount while learning to raise and sell my livestock (pigs). I had to maintain records for the duration of the project and learned the importance of being responsible, as well as, marketing our program and ourselves. I would again like to thank you for making my experience successful and hope you continue to support our Dixie Junior Livestock Show.

Thank You,