**CLOVERDALE RODEO YOUTH INITIATIVE FUND**

**2017 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association is proud to present its annual scholarship program. The scholarship program is open to past and present student volunteers of the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair who are in their graduation year.

**The purpose of the scholarship program is:**

* To foster youth participation and engagement in the activities and interests of the Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association
* To reward deserving volunteers with financial assistance in pursuing their post-secondary education

This year the Cloverdale Rodeo Youth Initiative Fund is offering three (3) $1000 scholarships. The scholarship award is based on participation in the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair, community involvement, academic performance and demonstration of leadership. Scholarships are awarded annually and funds are paid directly to the recipient’s school.

**CRITERIA:**

* Past or active Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association volunteer
* Actively promotes values in accordance with Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association’s objectives
* Must submit an official Cloverdale Rodeo Youth Initiative Fund 2017 Scholarship Application form along with all required attachments
* Active in other community service organizations
* Graduating high school within current year
* Planning to attend post-secondary within twenty-four (24) months of graduation (funds to be released only upon verification of enrollment)

**ALL APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:**

* Completed application form
* Photo of the applicant for ID purposes
* Official high school transcripts, must have minimum of 2.5 GPA (C+)
* Two (2) reference letters including one from a former instructor or staff member from your school, and the other from a community member.

**\* Incomplete applications and/or illegible applications will not be considered.**

**The deadline for applications is May 24th, 2017 and award recipients’ schools will be notified by June 2nd, 2017. For more information please contact us at 604-576-9461 or by email at info@cloverdalerodeofoundation.com**

Please go to [www.cloverdalerodeofoundation.com](http://www.cloverdalerodeofoundation.com) and complete the online form and submit by email or in person to:

**Cloverdale Rodeo Youth Initiative Fund**

**Scholarship Committee**

6050A – 176th Street

Surrey, BC V3S 4E7

Fax: 604-576-0216

Email: [info@cloverdalerodeofoundation.com](mailto:foundation@cloverdalerodeo.com)

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| **PERSONAL INFORMATION** |

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| Full Name: |  | | | |  | |
| First Name | Middle Name | | | | Last Name | |
| Address: | | | | | | |
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| Home Phone: (     )      - | | | | Cell Phone: (     )      - | | |
| Email: | | | Birth Date (mm/dd/yy): | | | |

Sex:  Female  Male

**Please remember to attach your photo for identification and promotional purposes only**

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| **EDUCATION** | | | |
| Current High School: | | | Current Grade: |
| High School Address: | | | |
| Post-Secondary Institution Expected to Attend: | | | |
| (Attach letter of acceptance if possible) | | | |
| Expected Start Date of Post-Secondary: | | Full/Part Time Student: | |
| Area of Study: | Expected Certificate/Diploma/Degree/: | | |

**Please remember to include your transcript with application**

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| **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES** |

Please list 3 – 5 of extracurricular activities that you participated in and timelines. Please note leadership roles.

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| **Extracurricular Activity:** | **From** (Date MM/YY) | **To** (Date MM/YY) |
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| **VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES** |

Have you volunteered for the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair?  **Yes**  **No**

How many years have you volunteered for the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair?

Are you part of a particular committee as a volunteer at the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair? If so, which one?

What have been the various roles and duties you have performed at the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair while volunteering? Please list any leadership roles.

Please list other organizations or community services that you have volunteered for in the past and the duties you performed while volunteering. Please note leadership roles.

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| **Volunteer Activity & Direct Supervisor:** | **From** (Date MM/YY) | **To** (Date MM/YY) |
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Describe the benefits and personal rewards you have experienced through volunteering:

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| **APPLICATION QUESTIONS** |

Describe something that you were involved in, or were responsible for, that you are most proud of (i.e. proudest accomplishment):

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What is your career plan? How would receiving our award assist you in pursuing your career plan?

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| **APPLICATION QUESTIONS** |

In a multimedia presentation or in an essay, please describe, explain and/or highlight **“how the Cloverdale Rodeo & Country Fair benefits Surrey and the community.”**

***Multimedia Presentation:*** *Can be through audio, visual, still image, animation or any other interactive platform. Presentations should be no longer then 5 minutes in length. All presentations must be attached to the application and dropped off at the Cloverdale Rodeo office.*

***Essay:*** *Essays must be 300-500 words typed on a separate sheet of paper and attached to the application.*

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| **REFERENCES** |

Please provide 2 reference letters including one from a former instructor or staff member at your school, and the other from a community member who has knowledge of your abilities, interest and contributions to the community.

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| **STATEMENT OF ACCURACY** |

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the Cloverdale Rodeo Youth Initiative Fund is true, correct and without plagiarism. I also consent and understand that the photo I provide of myself is for identification and promotional purposes of the Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association scholarship program only.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to the Cloverdale Rodeo Youth Initiative Fund’s scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration of the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be released.

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Signature of Scholarship Applicant Date

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| **PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING:**   * Answered all the questions and signed the application * Enclosed essay answer * Enclosed personal photo for ID purposes * Enclosed copy of your transcript   Please send completed applications to:  **Cloverdale Rodeo Youth Initiative Fund**  **Scholarship Committee**  6050A – 176th Street  Surrey, BC V3S 4E7  Fax: 604-576-0216  Email: [info@cloverdalerodeofoundation.com](mailto:foundation@cloverdalerodeo.com) |  | **For more information please contact us at:**  604-576-9461  info@cloverdalerodoeofoundation.com  **Or visit us on the web:**  [www.cloverdalerodeofoundation.com](http://www.cloverdalerodeofoundation.com)  **Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association is dedicated to maintaining the highest standards of confidentiality with respect to all applicants’ personal information provided to us. We are committed to ensuring that our handling of personal information is in compliance with applicable privacy legislation including the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act. All applications and essays will become property of the Cloverdale Rodeo & Exhibition Association.** |