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January 20, 2026

TO: Senior Counselors
Lake County High Schools

RE: Lake County Fair Arthur F. Warren Memorial Youth Scholarship

Dear Senior Counselor:

The Lake County Fair Board is pleased to announce the sponsorship of a \$1000 non-renewable scholarship. This is the twenty-sixth year for this scholarship, and it is open to any graduating high school senior residing in Lake County. This student must be a member of a Lake County 4-H organization or a member of the Lake County Junior Fair Board and must provide the required paperwork as stated in this packet.

Enclosed is a scholarship packet for use by any interested students. Please copy the forms as needed. As students apply, please emphasize to them the importance of making follow-up calls to their references to insure that the letters of reference have been sent in.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (440) 354-3339, Tuesday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Please remember: Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Sincerely,

Michelle Byram
Secretary-Treasurer



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LAKE COUNTY FAIR ARTHUR F. WARREN MEMORIAL YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSE: This scholarship has been implemented with the intention of aiding a student who meets the eligibility requirements and is planning to attend an institution of higher learning. The scholarship is applicable towards tuition, books, room and board, etc.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT: This is a \$1,000.00 non-renewable scholarship.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: The applicant must be a graduating senior residing in Lake County and must be a member of a Lake County 4-H organization and/or a member of the Lake County Junior Fair Board.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST: Please ensure the following items are included.
Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

- 1) The completed application
- 2) An official school transcript including the most recent grade reporting period
- 3) Proof of admission to an institution of higher learning as a full-time student
- 4) An essay summarizing school and community activities and worthiness
- 5) A high school reference
- 6) A community reference

DUE DATE: Applications must be postmarked by April 1, 2026. The scholarship winner will be announced on April 9, 2026.

JUDGING: The decision of the Scholarship Committee Judges will be final.

AWARD: Prior to receiving the scholarship funds, the recipient must present an official transcript from the school reflecting a 2.5 grade point average or higher for the first grading period.

**SCHOLARSHIP WINNER MUST RIDE IN THE LAKE COUNTY FAIR PARADE ON
TUESDAY, JULY 28, 2026.**



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APPLICATION

Student name: _____

Home address: _____
(Street) (City) (Zip)

Telephone: () _____

Email address: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Names: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Address: _____
(Street) (City) (Zip)

High School Attending: _____

Name of 4-H Club & Advisor: _____

Name & Address of college/university/other institute you will be attending:

I attest that I am a member of a Lake County 4-H organization or a member of the Lake County Junior Fair Board. I hereby apply for The Lake County Fair Youth Scholarship and acknowledge that I will not read the personal references, and that the decision of the Scholarship Judges is final.

Student Signature

Date

I acknowledge that _____ is applying for The Lake County Fair Youth Scholarship.

Parent/Guardian Signature
(Signature required regardless of student's age)

Date

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 1, 2026. Please return all forms directly to the Scholarship Committee, The Lake County Agricultural Society, 1301 Mentor Avenue, Painesville, OH 44077.



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ESSAY

SUMMARIZE IN 500 WORDS OR LESS HOW YOU ARE INVOLVED IN SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES AND WHY YOU FEEL YOU DESERVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP.

Student's name _____



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HIGH SCHOOL REFERENCE

Please address the personal character, responsibility, maturity and any other outstanding attributes of the individual applying for this scholarship.

Deadline: **APRIL 1, 2026**. Upon completion, please send directly to Scholarship Committee, The Lake County Agricultural Society, 1301 Mentor Avenue, Painesville, OH 44077

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COMMUNITY REFERENCE

Please address the personal character, responsibility, maturity and any other outstanding attributes of the individual applying for this scholarship.

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