

Seneca County Advisory Council Awards and Scholarships

Please check all awards for which you are eligible and applying. A letter of recommendation from a 4-H advisor must accompany the application, unless otherwise noted. Applications must be returned no later than July 1st to the Seneca County Extension Office. Applicants will be contacted to schedule an interview for July 10th or July 11th (except the Golden Award). All winners will be selected by a committee independent of the Seneca County Advisory Council. Feel free to attach another sheet if you need more space to answer the questions.

All recipients who are applying for any of the below scholarships or awards, should attend the respective event in which the award or scholarship will be announced and given out. This is a surprise, so recipients will not be notified ahead of time.

All of the awards and scholarships are awarded once. Therefore, if you have previously won an award or scholarship, you are not eligible for that one again.

_____ **Golden Award** is presented to two 4-Hers at the Grade A Celebration. Applicants must be either in their first or second year of 4-H. Cloverbud years do not count toward the total. Each winner will receive \$50. (A letter of recommendation is not required.)

_____ **Home Economics Award** is presented to two 4-Hers who are 16 or older who have significant experience in 4-H home economics projects. Award winners receive \$50 and a certificate and are honored during the Grade A Celebration.

_____ **I Dare You Award** is presented to two 4-Hers, 16 and older, for exhibiting exemplary leadership skills. The winners receive \$50 and a book and are honored during the Grade A Celebration.

_____ **Seneca County Advisory Council \$250 scholarships** are presented to two 4-Hers who are graduating seniors entering college with significant 4-H and community involvement and leadership experience. Scholarships are presented during the 4-H Awards ceremony on Monday of the Seneca County Fair.

_____ **Seneca County 4-H Program Memorial \$250 scholarship** is presented to one 4-Her who is a graduating senior entering college with significant 4-H and community involvement and leadership experience. This scholarship is presented in memory of members of the Seneca County 4-H family who have passed away. An essay of no more than 500 words must accompany this application explaining the importance of giving back. The scholarship is presented during the 4-H Awards ceremony on Monday of the Seneca County Fair.

Name _____ Age as of Jan. 1st of current year _____

Grade and school _____

Number of years in 4-H _____ Club _____

Parents' or guardians' names _____

Address _____ Phone _____ Email _____

What 4-H project(s) have you taken? _____

What has been your favorite 4-H project and why? _____

What have you learned from your 4-H project(s)? _____

What activities have you been involved in through 4-H? _____

What activities have you been involved in through your school and community? _____

What are your hobbies? _____

Where do you plan to further your education and what are your future goals? (For all awards and scholarships excluding the Golden Award)

How has 4-H changed your life? _____

What would you like to be when you grow up? (For Golden Award only)
