

## Clarinda Foundation (Engineering – Agriculture) Scholarship

The Clarinda Foundation (Engineering – Agriculture) Scholarship Fund was established to provide tuition aid for the post-secondary education of a CHS graduating senior that plans to enroll in an accredited trade/vocational school, community college or university in the field of engineering or agriculture with special consideration based on need, scholarly achievement, character and reputation. The Foundation will make an annual scholarship award from the fund of \$1,000 as long as the fund balance permits.

## The following guidelines will be used in making the scholarship selection:

- 1. The scholarship must be used to help pay the cost of any trade/vocational school, college or university.
- 2. The Clarinda Foundation shall disburse the scholarship grant to a trade/vocational school, college or university indicated by the recipient in one payment prior to the beginning of the fall semester of year in which the scholarship is awarded.
- 3. The selection committee shall consist of a minimum of four individuals: 1) one individual named by the Clarinda Foundation (who shall serve as chair of the committee);
  2) the Clarinda Community High School Principal; 3) the Clarinda High School Guidance Counselor; and (4) a minimum one other individual selected by the Clarinda Foundation Board of Directors.
- 4. The selection committee reserves the right to not award the scholarship should they determine that no applicant is worthy.
- 5. The application must be typed or computer generated and shall include an essay addressing the following:
  - a. Trade/Vocational school, college or university the graduate plans to attend or those that they are considering.
  - b. The intended major of the graduate and why they have chosen this as their major.
  - c. The graduate's contributions to their high school and the community.
  - d. Any work history the graduate may have.
  - e. The graduate's extracurricular activities.
- 6. The scholarship shall be awarded without regard to race, color, creed, gender, nationality, origin or physical handicap.