

# County Weed Directors Association of Kansas

## Scholarship Program

The County weed Directors Association of Kansas (CWDAK) is a professional organization providing training and assistance for the 105 weed directors in Kansas. The CWDAK would like to help students prepare for careers in the agriculture/agronomy industry and increase awareness of the County Weed Department's role in local government.

The CWDAK will be sponsoring at least four \$500 scholarships for the Fall semester. These scholarships will be awarded to high school seniors majoring in Agriculture or a plant science related field at an accredited Kansas college.

### REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ Kansas High School Senior
- ❖ Grade point average of 3.0 on 4-pt. scale or higher
- ❖ Attending a **Kansas college or university** for the Fall semester and enrolled as a full-time student with at least 12 hours.
- ❖ Majoring in **Agriculture or plant science field** (preference to agronomy and plant science)
- ❖ Return completed application to the scholarship committee. This must be received in the office of **Josh Housman, Chairman of Scholarship Committee, PO Box 185, Marion, KS 66861**, by February 1.
- ❖ Submit a copy of the student's high school transcript signed by a school official.
- ❖ Must have two letters of recommendation.
- ❖ All students, online or otherwise, must be enrolled as a full-time student (at least 12 hours).
- ❖ All applications sent to us must be able to be printed on and 8 ½ x 11 sheet of paper.
- ❖ Verification of enrollment - Checks will not be sent until proof of full-time enrollment has been received and **must show school name, name of scholarship winner, and full-time status (12 hours)**.
- ❖ Scholarship money **will not be awarded until Fall Semester & Proof of Enrollment from your College**. Checks will be sent to your County Weed Department so they can present the check to you and possibly get a picture of you with the check for the CWDAK newsletter.

**COUNTY WEED DIRECTOR'S ASSOCIATION OF KANSAS**

**Scholarship Application**

**Applicant must be in Agriculture Studies**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last name) (First name) (Middle name)

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/ST/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E mail \_\_\_\_\_

List brothers and sisters in college and where \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently employed? \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours worked per week \_\_\_\_\_ Address of employer \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION**

Year of high school graduation \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_ (based on 4.0 scale) and ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_

Class rank \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

College attended or currently attending (if any)

Name	Hours	GPA	Course(s)
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College which you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_ Planned major \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVITIES & HONORS**

Add lines as needed.

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List honors and awards (not scholarships) you have received \_\_\_\_\_

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**FOR OUR INFORMATION**

Give your experiences in dealing with Kansas Noxious Weeds:

Add lines as needed. \_\_\_\_\_

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Briefly explain why you should be considered for one of the County Weed Directors Association scholarships:

Add lines as needed \_\_\_\_\_

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**REFERENCES**

Please ask two people who you are not related to and know your abilities to write in support of this application and list them here.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (Address) (Occupation) (Phone)

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (Address) (Occupation) (Phone)

Please be sure to attach high school transcripts and reference letters to this completed application and return to:

Josh Housman  
Chairman of Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 185, Marion, KS 66861  
(620) 382-3190  
Fax: (620) 382-3188  
Email: [jhousman@marioncoks.net](mailto:jhousman@marioncoks.net)