

*Wyoming Association of Fairs*  
**Education Foundation**

## Bobbi Jo Heald Memorial Scholarship Application

The Bobbi Jo Heald Memorial Scholarship was established by friends of Bobbi Jo Heald and the Wyoming Association of Fairs in recognition of Bobbi Jo Heald. Bobbi Jo was a fair industry advocate, encouraging individuals to increase their knowledge and participation within the Fair industry and become more involved with their Wyoming Fair Association (WAF) and the Rocky Mountain Association of Fairs (RMAF) annual conventions. For over 20 years she was an active participant at the Wyoming State Fair, Campbell County Fair and the Wyoming Association of Fairs. It is with her love of fairs and animal/agriculture that this evolved into a scholarship for participation in expanding knowledge of and educational activities.

1. Applicant must have submitted an application to:

[wyoingfairs@gmail.com](mailto:wyoingfairs@gmail.com) OR [pat@fremontcountyfair.org](mailto:pat@fremontcountyfair.org) OR send to:

Wyoming Association of Fairs

BJH Scholarship

13233 St Highway 150 S

Evanston WY 82930

by **October 15, current year**

2. Applicants must be a member in good standing, and actively participating with the Wyoming Association of Fairs as a representative of Fairs.
3. Applicant's fair must be a member of the Rocky Mountain Association of Fairs.
4. Scholarship can be utilized for payment for the Wyoming Association of Fairs' annual fall meeting; Rocky Mountain Association of Fairs activities, including but not limited to RMAF Annual Convention and RMAF district meetings; \*IAFE Institute of Fair Management Summit.  
\*Must be enrolled in the Institute of Fair Management, though the IAFE, to participate.
6. Acceptable expenses included non-reimbursed travel and hotel receipts up to \$250.00.
7. The scholarship amount will be disbursed as a reimbursement for fees as listed above, upon presentation of request for the same.
8. If the full amount of the scholarship is not reimbursed, within the calendar year following the award, the balance remaining will be forfeited by the recipient.
9. The scholarship funds are non-transferrable.
10. Limit of two scholarships given per year - changed upon the discretion of the committee should funding increase.
10. Scholarship applicants will be evaluated by a committee, using the blind judging system, by judges selected by the WAF scholarship committee and awards made upon following criteria set forth by the Wyoming Association of Fairs.
  - a. 65% of scored based on verified financial out-of-pocket need
  - b. 35% of score based on essay section of applications (two questions)

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Name:

Address:

City:

WY Zip:

Day Phone:

Mobile:

Preferred Email Address:

Wyoming Fair Name:

Current Position w/Fair:

How long have you been with your Fair (years/mos.)?

Does your Fair pay for others to attend WAF/RMAF sponsored activities? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

Are you reimbursed fully or partially for expenses incurred? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

If yes, please explain:

What educational activity are you enrolling for?

What is your primary reason for enrollment?

How would receiving the Bobbi Jo Heald Memorial Scholarship be of benefit to you and your fair?