## Rusk County Youth Project Show Scholarship Information & Guidelines

- Selection will be based on financial need, interview, RCYPS Involvement, Essay, and Awards/ Community Service.
- Applicants must be graduating high school senior with a minimum GPA of 2.5
- Applicants must be a member in good standing of a Rusk County FFA Chapter or 4-H Club.
- Applicant must attend college of technical school in the fall semester immediately following selection. (Failure to do so results in a forfeit of the scholarship)
- Three letters of recommendation must be attached to the application and must be from:
  - 1 from County Extension Agent, Ag Science Teacher, or 4-H Leader
  - 1 from school administrator, teacher, or coach (other than Ag Science teacher)
  - 1 from community member (this could include a RCYPS adult volunteer)
- All above requirements plus signatures on the application are required for a complete application. Points will be deducted for incomplete applications.
- All applications MUST be received by the deadline stated in the application package. Application WILL NOT be accepted after that date.
  - Hard copies <u>must be sealed in an envelope</u> and may be hand delivered to the Rusk County Extension Office.

Rusk County Extension Office 113 E. Fordall Street Henderson, TX 75652 M-F 8:00 – 5:00pm / closed 12:00 – 1:00 for lunch

Mailed to:

Rusk County Youth Project Show Scholarship Committee PO Box 2392 Henderson, TX 75653-2392

- Interviews will be scheduled for a following date for each applicant to be considered as a recipient.
- All scholarship winners will be notified by the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday in February.
- All notified recipients **MUST** be present at their designated sale night to receive their scholarship.