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## Core Scholarship Application

Maurice E Core, long time employee and Executive Secretary of the American Jersey Cattle Breeders Association and Executive Director of the Dairy Shrine, was an outstanding supporter of student programs and activities. In 2009, Dairy Shrine established an undergraduate scholarship in his honor to be awarded to a current first-year college student at a four-year university working toward a Bachelor of Science in Dairy/Animal Science or has a major in preparation for a dairy related career. The applicant must show leadership and be involved in volunteer work as well as being a good student. The applicant must have at least a cumulative 2.5 GPA (4.0 scale, accumulated or equivalent).

One $1,500 scholarship will be given. Additional $1,000 scholarships also will be awarded with the total being determined by the number and quality of applications and available funding. Scholarship recipients will be recognized at the Dairy Shrine Awards Banquet.

Applications/Letter of Recommendation/Transcripts are accepted from March 1, until April 15, midnight, CST.

Instructions for applying:

1. Please review all of the requirements listed on the scholarship section at [www.dairyshrine.org](http://www.dairyshrine.org)
2. Download **this application** and type in your responses. Save the file as **Core.Last Name.First Name.doc**. Email to info@dairyshrine.org. If you have problems, please e-mail NDS.
3. Send **one letter of recommendation** from a faculty member who is familiar with the applicant’s activities and academic achievements. Please have the letter emailed to info@dairyshrine.org.
4. Mail an **official transcript** showing all high school and college courses to be viewed only by the Dairy Shrine Executive Director.

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**I. Personal Data**

Applicant

 Last Name First Name Middle Initial

College/University

Major

Complete Home Address

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 Home Phone Number Cell Phone Number

Email Address

#### II. Academic Standing

1. High School Grade Point Average based on a point scale

 Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_\_

 Number in Graduating Class \_\_\_\_\_\_

 B. College Grade Point Average: based on a point scale

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**III. Leadership Ability and Extracurricular Activities**

1. Dairy organization / Dairy Club Activities and Offices held in High School and College (10 maximum)

1. Dairy Bowl, Dairy Cattle judging or other student contest activity in High School and College (10 maximum)
2. Other Organizational Activities and Offices held in High School and College (10 maximum)
3. Honors and Awards received (10 maximum)

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**IV.** **Activities, Experiences and Volunteer Work you have sought and undertaken related to your planned future in the Dairy Industry.** (500 words or less)

**V. Plans for your future in the Dairy Industry.** (500 words or less)

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**Dairy Shrine Board of Directors:** Students who are members of Dairy Shrine are eligible to serve on the Board of Directors for Dairy Shrine.  A Board term is for 3 years and terms begin at the October Annual Meeting.  Please check below if you would be interested in serving a 3-year term on the Dairy Shrine Board of Directors if recommended by the Dairy Shrine Nominating Committee and elected to the Board of Directors at the Dairy Shrine Annual Meeting in October.

\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would like the Dairy Shrine Nominating Committee to consider me as a candidate for the Dairy Shrine Board of Directors.