## Chad Thames Memorial Scholarship

- 1) Applications:
  - Applications must be completely filled out. Incomplete applications and applications that do not follow the specific guidelines will be disqualified.
- 2) Scholarship requirements:
  - a. Applicant must be a current member of FFA.
  - Applicant must have been an active member of FFA for at least 3 years.
  - c. Applicant must have participated in FFA projects and activities. (ie: showing animals at livestock shows, worked on projects entered for competition or display at county/major/state fairs, etc).
  - d. Applicant must be a senior enrolled in Katy High School.
- 3) Applications must be postmarked on or before February 3, 2017.
- 4) Mail completed applications to:

Chad Thames Memorial Scholarship Fund

c/o Kyle Thames

1088 Old Hwy 71

Columbus, TX 78934

## Additional information:

If you are chosen to receive one of the scholarships, you will need to send in proof of enrollment to the college, university or trade school of your choice before funds will be released to you.

For questions or additional information please contact Kyle Thames at 713-824-0704.

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The family and friends of Chad Morgan Thames are pleased you have chosen to apply for a Chad Thames Memorial Scholarship. Chad was a graduate of Katy High School Class of 1986. He continued his education at Southwest Texas Junior College in Uvalde and graduated with a Bachelors of Science in Agriculture from Sam Houston State University. Chad (like all his family) was actively involved with FFA for many years. While in school, he earned his Lone Star Farmer degree and was made an honorary member of the Katy FFA after graduation. He truly enjoyed helping students with their animal projects and volunteering on the Katy FFA Rodeo committee and working and competing at the Katy FFA Rodeo. Chad passed away on April 2, 2011 at the age of 43. The scholarship fund was started by and is funded through the generosity of his family and friends. It exists to honor Chad's special spirit of giving back to members of the agricultural community.

Applicants for this scholarship should be well-rounded individuals who have demonstrated a dedication to agricultural activities. They should have used their strong work ethic, good character and passion for agriculture's importance in today's culture to influence their involvement in these activities. Chad Thames Memorial Scholarship Application

Name:
Address:
City: Zip:
Phone number: Email:
Mother's Name:
Father's Name:
Please attach an essay of less than 300 words about yourself (include past activities and awards if you choose) and your future plans (educational and work). Also attach a student biography/resume or list of achievements, honors, awards, activities, community service and FFA involvement/accomplishments).
Return this form with the attached additional information to: Chad Thames Memorial Scholarship Fund c/o Kyle Thames

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