## Kosciusko County 4-H Scholarship & Award Opportunities

**ANGLIN-BISHOP AWARD:** This award was created in memory of two Jr. Leaders, Mike Bishop and Jeremiah Anglin, who passed away during their 4-H careers. It is meant to recognize a Jr. Leader who exemplifies what it means to be a Jr. Leader, 4-H member and for outstanding achievement, service, leadership, and citizenship in our Jr. Leader program.

**BOB STIFFLER 4-H BEEF SCHOLARSHIP**: The Bob Stiffler 4-H Beef Scholarship was established by the Kosciusko County Cattlemen's in honor of Bob's outstanding contribution to the beef industry the county. The goal of the scholarship is to reward an active Kosciusko County 4-H member(s) in the Beef project for outstanding achievement, service, leadership, and citizenship in our 4-H Beef and Dairy Steer projects by awarding a scholarship(s) for further agricultural study at an accredited college, university, or trade/technical school.

KOSCIUSKO COUNTY SHEEP COMMITTEE AWARDS: \$100.00 to one or more individuals.

**GENE MILNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP:** Gene Milner was the first pistol instructor in the Kosciusko County 4-H Shooting Sports Program. The Kosciusko County 4-H Shooting Sports Committee created the scholarship after Gene passed away very unexpectedly. The goal is to reward an active Kosciusko County 4-H member in the Shooting Sports project for outstanding achievement, service, leadership, and citizenship in our 4-H shooting sports project by awarding a scholarship for further agricultural study at an accredited college, university, or trade/technical school.

SHAYLEEN CRITES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: A \$250 scholarship is given in memory of Shayleen Crites, a Kosciusko County 4-H member. Applicants must be a 10-year 4-H member or in their last year of 4-H eligibility with a minimum of 3 years of participation in the 4-H Swine Project. Applications are available in the Extension Office and must be submitted by March 15th of the current year.

**KOSCIUSKO COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP:** The Kosciusko County 4-H Scholarship program is to reward active 4-H members for outstanding achievement, service, leadership, and citizenship in the 4-H by awarding scholarship to them for a further study at an accredited college, university, trade or technical school.

KOSCIUSKO COUNTY 4-H POULTRY COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP: Two (2) \$200.00 scholarships will be given each year by the Kosciusko County 4-H Poultry Committee. This scholarship was established to recognize those students who have contributed to the success of the Poultry project at the county fair. You must also exhibit a willingness to assist other Poultry exhibitors by helping them care for, learn about, and present their Poultry projects in a positive manner. Applicants must be a 10-year 4-H member or in the last ear of 4-H eligibility with a minimum of 5 years of participation in the 4-H Poultry project. Payment will be made directly to the school of your choice and credited to your account. This award may be used for tuition, room/board, books, or other school academic fees only.

KOSCIUSKO COUNTY 4-H RABBIT COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP: \$100 Scholarship Award, Requirements for this award: Members must fill out, and turn in the 4-H Council General Scholarship Application. This scholarship will of \$100 for us to four (4) recipients per year.

RICHARD MORRIS & FAMILY 'IMPACT OF 4-H' MEMORIAL AWARD: The Richard "Dick" Morris 'Impact of 4-H' Memorial Award was established by his family upon his passing in 2024 in honor of his life-long enjoyment, commitment, and contributions to the livestock industry in the Midwest through his own participation in 4-H, as a child, along with his children's and their children's involvement in 4-H over many years. Richard and his wife, Sharodene, valued the life-skills learned through 4-H including sharing expertise with others, establishing friendships and encouraging participation in the various projects that 4-H has to offer. The award is given to recognize exceptional leadership within 4-H and school, education of other youth through mentoring, community service, promotion of 4-H locally, and potential 4-H involvement at the Indiana State Fair.