Erin Carl Memorial Scholarship

Erin Carl believed in the future of agriculture and proved so with her deeds. Miss. Carl was a teacher, an enthusiast, and a promoter of Agricultural Education. Miss Carl was the Nichols Career Center Agriculture and Natural Resources instructor and FFA advisor for 15 years. As the FFA advisor, she very proudly wore the title of "the owl" and was always willing to give her time-honored wisdom and advice to all. Miss Carl was passionate about sharing her love of ag and FFA with students in a community that might not otherwise be typically involved, broadening their experiences. Consummately organized and positive, Miss Carl believed in every student and in the future of agriculture. This scholarship has been created in her honor and memory to help aid students of similar conviction and integrity in their pursuit of agricultural study.

A minimum of 1 scholarship in the amount of \$500-1000 will be awarded each year. Scholarship is a one time award. All scholarships are to recognize the achievements of students who have demonstrated proficiency in agricultural study, and intended to encourage continued exploration of Agricultural pursuits.

Requirements:

- 1. Applicants must be a current senior, or graduate of a Nichols Career Center Ag. class.
- 2. Scholarship must be applied towards post-secondary education.
- 3. Successful applications must be typed with proper attention to grammar and mechanics.

Selection:

The selection of the recipient(s) will be under the direction of the Family and Friends of Erin Carl Scholarship Committee. First consideration will be given to students who were a part of Ms. Carl's FFA program. If no such recipient is identified, equal consideration will be given to all other applicants. The recipient of the scholarship will be notified at the NCC FFA awards banquet. As a result, all submissions must be postmarked or hand delivered by April 15th.

Application Procedure:

Applicants should submit the following information in 500 words or less, double spaced, essay:

- 1-Biographical Information: including name, future educational/career plans and goals
- 2– <u>Agricultural experiences</u>- please discuss your involvement in NCC agricultural classes and your FFA involvement.

Please feel free to include any additional relevant information.

Applications may be handed in to Nichols Career Center Agriculture Instructors or mailed to:

Nichols Career Center % Kara Hinton 605 Union Street Jefferson City, MO 65101