

**CHET VAN WINKLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**  
**Application Form**

Chet Van Winkle was an extremely gifted mechanic, electrician, refrigeration expert, gunsmith, etc. If it moved he could fix it and explain every step along the way. He was also a World War II veteran. Like most heroes of his generation, he was a very humble, quiet family man. To honor this great man, the Chet Van Winkle Memorial Scholarship has been established for students who have a desire to learn a trade and to return to Cherry County in the future.

Academic Year \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or PO Box City State Zip

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

<p>Indicate which Trade School/College you plan to attend:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture - Curtis</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Mid-Plains Community College - North Platte</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Southeast Community College - Milford</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Northwest Community College - Norfolk</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Western Nebraska Community College - Scottsbluff</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p>Have you been accepted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>What is your field of study? _____</p> <p>Indicate which High School you attend(ed) _____ High School GPA _____</p>
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**Please List:**

Extracurricular Activities

Leadership Positions

Work/Volunteer Experience

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1. Please include your most recent academic **transcript**.
2. Please include **essay**:
  - Describe your educational plans and your financial need for this scholarship.
  - Please tell us about your plans to be a part of the Cherry County community in the future.
3. Enclose a **letter of recommendation** from an individual familiar with your character.
4. Please submit original documents and five (5) copies of application, school transcript, essay and letter of recommendation.

The Chet Van Winkle Memorial Scholarship is only for a student that will attend or attends a one or two year technical school or trade school.

Applicant must be a resident of Cherry County or attend a Cherry County high school.

The Chet Van Winkle Memorial Scholarship recipient will be invited to a Recognition Reception at which time the winner will be honored and the scholarship will be presented. If the scholarship winner can not be in attendance, there **must** be a representative present to accept the scholarship on his or her behalf.

Application due on on before deadline.

Incomplete applications or applications received after the deadline are subject to disqualification.

Please submit your application to: Sandhills Area Foundation  
PO Box 444  
Valentine, NE 69201  
or hand deliver to Young's Western Wear