

# Evonik Cares Scholarship

Evonik, a worldwide leader in amino acid production and sales, and long-time MTGA member, has continued their scholarship program, EVONIK CARES SCHOLARSHIP for children of turkey farmers. The student needs to be attending or plan to attend an accredited 2 or 4-year college, university or technical college. The awards will consist of four separate scholarships worth \$2,500 each.

## **Eligibility:**

- The scholarship recipient must either be enrolled or plan to enroll in a post high school educational program.
- The scholarship recipient does not have to be seeking further education in poultry/agriculture related areas.

**Evaluation Criteria:** The selection of the scholarship recipients will be made by representatives from Evonik and the Minnesota Turkey Growers Association. The representatives will select the recipients based upon their application, one-page statement, and letter of recommendation. A recipient's experience, activities, honors, and scholastic record may also be considered.

**Application:** The application consists of a 3-page listing of requested information (format provided by the MTGA); a one-page written statement from the applicant; and one letter of recommendation from someone familiar with the applicant's academic record. The one-page written statement should address the following two questions: "How do you see your experience on the farm translating into your career path, whether or not it is in an agricultural field?" and "What are the key messages you would want a non-agriculture person to know about turkey production?"

**Deadline:** The deadline for receiving entries is **December 15th, 2016** (applications must be received in MTGA's office by this deadline).

Marketing of the scholarship will be done through MTGA's Wingtips, Gobbles, and MTGA's *Member's Only* website.

## **Mail entries to:**

Minnesota Turkey Growers Association  
108 Marty Drive  
Buffalo, MN 55313