Attached is an application form for the Richard Stephan Memorial Dairy Scholarship. Mr. Stephan’s family established this $250 scholarship to give financial support to a student who is actively involved with dairy cattle and to recognize this student for their outstanding achievements in the dairy project. Mr. Stephan was a dairy project member when he was growing up and showed his cattle at the Walworth County Fair for many years as well. He was an active dairy farmer for more than 30 years.

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must have been actively involved in the dairy project for 3 out of the last 5 years of your 4-H/FFA career or have been at least a 3 year member of a youth dairy organization. Also, you must be at least a senior in high school or a college freshman with plans to continue your education in any agricultural field at a 4-year college (long or short course) or a 2-year technical school.

Please type or print all information on your application. Applicants must be in good standing. Please attach a copy of your grades or a transcript. In addition, please submit two letters of recommendation from non-relatives.

Please complete the attached scholarship application form and return it along with the letters of recommendation and a transcript no later than June 22 to:

UW-Extension/Richard Stephan Memorial Dairy Scholarship
100 W. Walworth Street
P. O. Box 1001
Elkhorn, WI  53121

Finalists will be chosen by the Awards Committee. Recipients will be honored at the Banker’s Night Award Program on Sunday night of the Walworth County Fair.

If you have any questions concerning this application, please feel free to contact the UW-Extension office at 262-741-4951.
Personal Data

Name ___________________________ Age __________

Mailing Address ________________________________

City ___________________________ State ________ Zip ________________

Phone ___________________________ Parents’ Names ____________________

High School Attended ______________________ Graduation Date ________

What school will you be attending? ____________________ Date of Acceptance ________

What Ag related course or program will you study? ________________________

Please list what years you were enrolled in the dairy project ____________________

Farm Statistics (This would be your own 4-H or FFA project. Include number of animals or number of acres and number of years involved with each)

Livestock
Dairy (Cows, Heifers & Calves) ____________ Crops (Total Acres) ________________

Beef ______________________________ Corn ______________________________

Steers ______________________________ Soybeans __________________________

Swine ______________________________ Oats ______________________________

Sheep ______________________________ Hay ______________________________

Poultry ______________________________ Vegetables ______________________

Other (specify) ______________________ Other __________________________

Leadership Qualities

# Years as an active 4-H Member _______ Club Name __________________________

# Years as an active FFA member _______ Chapter __________________________

# Years as an active member in any other ag-related organization ______________________

Organization Name(s) __________________________

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Leadership Qualities (continued)
List activities/offices held within the clubs/organizations you were involved in

(Add additional pages, if necessary)

List awards and honors received, including fairs and shows

(Add additional pages, if necessary)

List activities you were involved in other than organizations you have listed

(Add additional pages, if necessary)

List judging activities, livestock demonstrations, and workshops you have attended

(Add additional pages, if necessary)
Future Plans

Briefly describe your plans for the future, including education and career goals. Share some of the experiences that have encouraged you to enter into an agricultural field. *(250 words or less)*