

## Greater Cleveland Beekeepers "2017" Educational Scholarship

OPEN TO ALL YOUTH, AGES 9 - 18

To Apply: Write a 500 word essay on "Why I want to be a beekeeper"

All entries should include:

1. The entry form (entry must be signed by your parent)
2. Cover sheet with your personal information \*
3. 500 word essay

\*Cover sheet should contain the following information:

NAME

AGE

ADDRESS (STREET, CITY, STATE AND ZIP)

Two references with phone numbers (Must state if teacher, advisor, neighbor, friend, etc)

Having all information is required and will also be used for judging



1 class scholarship will be awarded: Ages 9 - 13  
1 class scholarship will be awarded: Ages 14 - 18

Deadline for entries: January 6, 2017

Limit of one scholarship per family lifetime

Submit To: GCBA SCHOLARSHIP, P.O. BOX 30092, MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS, OH 44130

Winners will receive:

1. Complete Beginner Beekeeping Kit: wooden beehive with frames, foundation, helmet, veil, smoker, and hive tool
2. Participants must attend all classes to receive the prize award
3. Free Beginner Beekeeping classes scheduled in February; four consecutive Wednesdays at the Rocky River Nature Center, North Olmsted, Ohio. Class Time: 7 - 9 pm. PLUS - Hands on at GCBA Beekeeping Conference, May 20, 2017 - rain or shine at Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds
4. Free book: Beekeeping for Dummies
5. Free year membership to the Greater Cleveland Beekeepers Association with monthly email newsletter subscription
6. Personal mentor - An experienced beekeeper who can answer questions throughout the year and help out when needed

Cut at this line. Keep the top half for your records. You must include the signed bottom half with your essay.

Greater Cleveland Beekeeping Classes and Monthly Meetings will be held at the Rocky River Nature Center, 24000 Valley Parkway, North Olmsted, Ohio 44070

**I am aware that if I am selected as the recipient of this award, I will complete an educational booth at the 2017 Cuyahoga County Fair\*.**

Print your name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Your Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**As a parent, I will support and encourage my child in this beekeeping project.**

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

[www.greaterclevelandbeekeepers.com](http://www.greaterclevelandbeekeepers.com)

\*Registration and entry fee for the fair is not included.