

Nada Thoden Memorial Scholarship

Miami County Quilters Guild

Application Deadline March 20

The Miami County Quilters Guild, organized in 1979-80 for the purpose of stimulating interest in quilts and quilt making, will award a \$500 scholarship annually for a Miami County resident pursuing a Family & Consumer Science related major and career. If no applicant pursuing a FACS related major and career apply, the scholarship funds will be held for the next year awards. The scholarship award will be made directly to the college for the selected student after receipt of enrollment is received.

Nada Thoden was a former County Extensionist for both Miami and Johnson County,KS.

In 1979, she organized a group of Miami County residents with an interest in quilt making. From that group the Miami County Quilters Guild grew. Nada was devoted to promoting the art of quilt making, teaching beginner's classes in the Quilt Guild until 2013. Besides being the organizing force behind the creation of the Quilt Guild, teaching beginner's quilting classes, and establishing an annual quilt show, Nada served as President of the Quilt Guild in 2008 and 2009 and was the show featured quilter in 2012.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- attending or planning to attend an accredited university, college or community college in Kansas during the upcoming school year
- majoring in or planning to major in a Family & Consumer Science field
- be a resident of Miami County or a graduate of a Miami County school district
- have an interest in sewing and/or fiber arts as shown by their college plans, high school coursework, and other activities.
- scholastic achievement as shown by GPA and course rigor
- community involvement
- 2 letters of reference (at least one from school personnel)

Application, accompanied by high school (or college if currently attending) transcripts and 2 letters of reference , must be returned NO LATER THAN MARCH 20 to:

Miami County Quilters Guild
Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 473
Paola, KS 66071

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Name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____

High School attended _____

College attending(or plan to attend)

Intended Major _____

List Extracurricular activities(include number of years involved & any offices):

Describe any community involvement or related service activities:

Describe any past experience or activities that demonstrate a commitment to a Family & Consumer Science related career. Include your planned course of study and how it relates to Family & Consumer Sciences. (you may attach extra pages)

Please explain why you are choosing a career in Family & Consumer Science.(extra pages may be attached)
