AJCA Awards College Scholarships

The purpose of the Arkansas Jr. Cattlemen’s Association is to promote the welfare of the cattle industry, to further the education and cooperation of young people interested in cattle and the beef industry, and to explore possible beef related career opportunities in all phases of the beef industry.  The Arkansas Jr. Cattlemen’s Association is proud to announce the recipients of its 2018 scholarship awards. Twelve outstanding AJCA members received this year’s awards that totaled $14,600.

* Former AJCA president Zachary Andrews of Camden receives a $1,800 award. He will attend the University of Arkansas where he will study agricultural communications. Zachary is the son of Shaw & Jeannie Andrews.
* Former AJCA board member Garrett Beggs of Sims receives an $1,800 award. He will attend Redlands Community at El Reno Oklahoma where he will major in agricultural education and agricultural education. He is the son of Justus and Misty Beggs.
* Paul Cole of Lincoln receives an $800 scholarship. He will attend Southern Arkansas in Magnolia where he will study agriculture education. Paul is the son of Paul Williams.
* AJCA Secretary, Mallory Hobson of Fouke, receives an $1,800 scholarship. Mallory will also attend Southern Arkansas University where she will study agriculture education. Mallory is the daughter of Chris and LaQuida Hobson.
* Dakota Jones of Ravenden receives a $1,000 award. Dakota will attend Black Rock Technical College a division of Arkansas State University where he will begin his studies in agriculture education and agriculture business.
* AJCA Board member and former Miss AJCA, Baylee Mangrum of Marmaduke receives an $1,800 scholarship to attend Arkansas State University where she will she major in agriculture education. Baylee is the daughter of Bryan and Tracie Mangrum.

* Seth McCurley of Oxford receives an $800 award to attend the University of Central Arkansas to earn a degree related to the film industry. Seth is the son of Toby and Donna McCurley.
* Dalton Morrison of Mountain Home is the son of Blake and Tracy Morrison. Dalton has earned a $1,000 scholarship to attend Mountain Home Arkansas State University where he will study law enforcement.
* Colton Reeves from Drasco receives a $1,000 award. Colton is the son of Shawn & Angela Reeves. Colton will attend Arkansas State University of Beebe where he will earn certification in pipefitting and pipe welding.
* Allyson Sellers of Vilonia is awarded a $1,000 scholarship that she will put towards an education in animal science and agriculture business. She will attend Fort Scott Community College in Kansas. Allyson is the daughter of Craig and Tina Sellers.
* Kaylie Stone of Gurdon receives an $800 scholarship. She will attend Southern Arkansas University where she will study agriculture business. She is the daughter of Stacey and Tracy Stone.
* Mason Walker of Prairie Grove receives $1,000 to go towards his education at Redlands Community College where he will study agriculture science. He is the son of Eric and Lindsey Walker.

AJCA scholarships are made possible through generous association sponsors, AJCA fundraising activities, AJCA sanctioning fees and membership dues. For more information about AJCA, please go to [www.ajcattle.com](http://www.ajcattle.com).

Congratulations to these high school seniors on all their accomplishments. Thank you parents, grandparents, agriculture teachers, county 4-H agents and leaders, junior breed association advisors and livestock show managers and volunteers for investing in these youth