Farm Supply Company will be awarding five, $1,000 scholarships in memory of Jeff Silva and Kyle Hubbard. Jeff and Kyle were two amazing young men and a part of the Farm Supply team when they lost their lives. They both had a passion for FFA, agriculture and our community. It’s an honor for Farm Supply to award these scholarships in their memory.

The scholarships will be awarded to students pursuing a career in the agricultural field. The scholarships will be awarded based on the applicant’s participation in 4-H/FFA activities, leadership and community involvement, present community activities, academic performance and any ongoing employment the applicant is involved in.

To be considered for a scholarship the applicant must follow the rules and requirements listed below.

Because every effort is made to award the scholarships on a fair and impartial basis, the requirements should be read carefully and followed completely or the applicant will be disqualified.

Scholarship Applications are available at all Farm Supply Company locations or on our website at [http://www.farmsupplycompany.com](http://www.farmsupplycompany.com).

**Rules & Requirements**

1. Applicants must be a resident of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara or Monterey Counties.

2. The applicant must be either a high school senior, a student currently enrolled at a 2-year or 4-year college or university, or enrolled in a vocational/technical school. All applicants must be pursuing a degree in the agricultural field.

3. Applicant must have participated in 4-H and/or FFA activities.

4. The applicant must submit official transcripts of all courses completed, with their application.

5. Scholarships will be awarded Monday, July 10, 2017 at the Santa Barbara County Fair Quiz Jam and Sunday, July 23, 2017 at the Mid State Fair Quiz Jam. Recipients will need to be present at one of these events.

6. The Application package must be mailed by the U.S. Postal service to the address given.
Instructions for Completing the Application

1. The application itself consists of seven pages and must be filled out exactly as stated in the instructions for each page.
   
a. Pages 1 & 2 outline the applicant’s personal information, their present school information, work history and community service.

b. Page 3 reviews the applicants FFA and/or 4-H history and participation.

c. Page 4 choose one topic and write a brief essay.

d. Page 5 & 6 guidelines for letters of recommendation.

e. Page 7 is an Authorization and Release.

2. In addition to the application itself, the applicant must submit two letters of recommendation and a copy of the applicant’s official high school or college transcripts.

3. The application package must be postmarked no later than June 10, 2017.

4. The entire application package is to be placed in a large manila envelope and mailed by the U.S. Postal service to:

   **Jeff Silva and Kyle Hubbard Memorial Scholarship**
   **C/O Farm Supply Company**
   **PO Box 111**
   **San Luis Obispo, CA 93406**

5. Questions? Please contact Cara Crye or Jennifer Matthews at (805) 543-3751 or email Cara at c crye@farmsupplycompany.com.
Applicant’s Personal Information

Applicants Name: ________________________________________________________________

Permanent Address: ______________________________________________________________

Mailing Address: ________________________________________________________________

Home Phone: (___) ________________ Cell Phone: (___) ____________________________

Email: _________________________________________________________________________

Date of Birth: __________________________________________________________________

Family Information

Father’s Name ________________________________________________________________

Address _______________________________________________________________________

Place of Employment ____________________________________________________________

Position _______________________________________________________________________

Mother’s Name ________________________________________________________________

Address _______________________________________________________________________

Place of Employment ____________________________________________________________

Position _______________________________________________________________________

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Farm Supply Company Scholarship
School Information

School Attending: __________________________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________________________________

Anticipated date of Graduation: _____________________________________________

Which school do you plan to attend in the fall? ________________________________

What is your intended career goal? __________________________________________

Work Experience

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Community Service

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Farm Supply Company Scholarship
4-H/FFA History

Name of 4-H/FFA Club _____________________________________________________________

Advisor/Leader Name _____________________________________________________________

Number of years in 4-H/FFA _______________________________________________________

Projects and years in project _______________________________________________________

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Major 4-H/FFA events, accomplishments, or achievements ______________________________

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Offices held _________________________________________________________________

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Briefly state what 4-H/FFA has meant to your future ___________________________________

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Farm Supply Company Scholarship
Essay

Choose one topic below and write a brief essay, no more than two pages.

• Describe your most meaningful achievements and how they relate you your field of study and your future goals.

• How has your family background affected the way you see the world?

• Indicate a person who has had a considerable influence in your life, and describe that influence.

• How have your family, school, neighborhood and background impacted your educational goals and ambitions?
Letters of Recommendation

To the Applicant:

Please submit two letters of recommendation on character, ability and competency.

Recommender Information

Recommender #1 Name ____________________________________________________________
Permanent Address ________________________________________________________________
City/Town __________________________ State ___________ Zip Code _________________
Email ____________________________
Phone Number __________________________
Occupation ____________________________________________________________________
How long have you known the recommender? _________________________________
Is this person related to you? _________________________________________________

Recommender #2 Name ____________________________________________________________
Permanent Address ________________________________________________________________
City/Town __________________________ State ___________ Zip Code _________________
Email ____________________________
Phone Number __________________________
Occupation ____________________________________________________________________
How long have you known the recommender? _________________________________
Is this person related to you? _________________________________________________
Please give this page to your recommender.

To the recommender:

Farm Supply Company has established a fund to award (5) $1,000.00 scholarships to deserving high school seniors and current college students in memory of Jeff Silva and Kyle Hubbard. Jeff and Kyle were two amazing young men and a part of the Farm Supply team when they lost their lives. They both had a passion for FFA, agriculture and our community. It’s an honor for Farm Supply to award these scholarships in their memory.

These scholarships will be awarded to students pursuing careers in the agricultural field. Each recipient will have demonstrated innovation, organization and leadership abilities.

In your letter of recommendation, please include information on the student’s character, ability and competence. Attach recommendations to this page. Postmark on or before June 10, 2017.

Name of Applicant _______________________________________________________

Applying for Jeff Silva & Kyle Hubbard Memorial Scholarship _______

Letters of recommendation may be sent with application or mailed to:

Jeff Silva & Kyle Hubbard Memorial Scholarship
C/O Farm Supply Company
PO Box 111
San Luis Obispo, CA 93406

Farm Supply Company Scholarship
Authorization & Release

In submitting this application, I affirm that I am pursuing a career in the agricultural field and certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Applicant’s Signature __________________________________________________________
Print Name _________________________________________________________________
Date ____________________________

I, hereby authorize Farm Supply Company the right to use and to disseminate information I have submitted in my application for the Jeff Silva & Kyle Hubbard Memorial Scholarship to any third party including but not limited to newspapers, newsletters and or news media.

I further understand that I will hold Farm Supply Company harmless from disseminating information I have submitted in my application for the Jeff Silva & Kyle Hubbard Scholarship to third parties, newspapers, newsletters, and or news media.

Applicant’s Signature __________________________________________________________
Print Name _________________________________________________________________
Date ____________________________