Jan Spencer was a member of the Wisconsin Horse Council for many years and served in several officer positions including Vice President. Jan Spencer was devoted to the equine industry for many years and was an advocate for education. Jan passed away in 2015 and in her memory the Jan Spencer Scholarship has been established for non-traditional students.

Description:
One scholarship is available in the amount of $1500 to a non-traditional student.

Eligibility:
To qualify for this scholarship, you must meet one or more of the following criteria:

- Attend college on a part-time basis
- Are financially independent and make less than $25,000/year (may be required to show proof of income)
- Has child(ren) or dependents other than spouse (may be required to show proof of dependents)
- Is a single parent
- Has a GED, not a high school diploma (may be required to show proof of GED)
- Did not continue with higher education immediately after high school

Additional Requirements:
A. Two letters of recommendation: (no more than 2 will be accepted). The letters must be from a source with personal knowledge of the applicant’s character, educational commitment and financial need.
B. Proof of admittance into a college/university of higher education
C. Copy of your GED or equivalent
D. 300- 500 word statement from the applicant explaining their personal and educational goals and why they should receive this scholarship.

Applications need to be completed by the applicant and returned, along with supporting documents, to the Wisconsin Horse Council, Attn: Jan Spencer Scholarship, PO Box 72, Columbus, WI 53925. APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN FEB 15th, 2018.

Scholarship award winner will be recognized on Sunday of the Midwest Horse Fair; winner is encouraged to attend this ceremony.