

# Compton Traditional Bowhunters – Nick Dedaker Scholarship

Nick Dedaker was many things to many people, but above all he was an educator. One of his passions was the Compton Traditional Bowhunters youth program, so we felt it was only right to have a scholarship fund in his name. The amount of the Scholarships may increase depending on donations received to the fund, however at a minimum we will have two \$1,000 scholarships, one for a young man, one for a young lady. Applications must be post marked by May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026, with the winners to be announced at the Rendezvous in Indiana on Saturday June 20, 2026.

Criteria, A minimum of two scholarships are to be awarded to a graduating high school senior or current college student who is either a member of Compton or has at least one parent who is a member of Compton in good standing. Those interested in pursuing a degree related to Natural resources or conservation are encouraged to apply however any field of study is acceptable.

All applications will be judged by a panel selected by the Compton Board. In addition to the written application, finalists may be interviewed by the scholarship committee.

Please submit the following information preferably in electronic form; however, handwritten applications can be mailed to the address listed below. Please include the category titles on your application. The entire application is restricted to a maximum of four typewritten/handwritten pages.

**Submit your application by May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026, to:**

**Greg Kush – 1808 North Howard Court – Grand Island, NE 68803**

**Or Email: [gkush1985@gmail.com](mailto:gkush1985@gmail.com) and [membership@comptontraditional.com](mailto:membership@comptontraditional.com)**

## **A. General Information**

- Full Name, Address & Phone Number
- Parent/Guardian
- Phone Number
- High School Attended

## **C. Academic Information**

- Date of high school graduation
- Intended or current course of study
- List of academic achievements or honors
- Current college plans

## **E. Community Activities**

- Community-related activities
- Community-related honors or awards

## **B. Compton Traditional Bowhunters**

- Length of time as a CTB member
- Involvement in CTB activities
- What does the CTB mean to you?
- List your bowhunting experiences

## **D. Leadership Activities**

- Offices held
- Honors received
- Extra-curricular activities and honors