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Kiwanis Club of Lauderdale Lakes Excellence Scholarship Award

Description

The Kiwanis Club of Lauderdale Lakes Excellence Scholarship Award will be awarded to a graduating student who resides in the city of Lauderdale Lakes and who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and significant community service activities of benefit to the school and/or the community. The award will be determined on the basis of academic achievement, financial need, community service, and the applicant's character as demonstrated by their essay along with their letters of recommendation.

The Scholarship award is in the amount of **Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00)**, payable over four (4) years at **One Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,250.00)** each year, providing the student:

- i) continues to pursue a course of study;
- ii) is making satisfactory progress toward a baccalaureate degree; and
- iii) continues to demonstrate commitment to community service.

Eligibility

Applicants must:

- a) be a United States citizen or a Resident Alien (submit proof);
- b) be a graduating senior in a Broward County High School **AND** reside in Lauderdale Lakes;
- c) have a high school minimum weighted grade point average of 3.50;
- d) have made a distinct impact in the community through community service work;
- e) show proof of acceptance to a college or university;
- f) attend full time (at least 12 credits per semester) throughout the period of the scholarship;
- g) begin attending classes by the fall semester;
- h) show proof of financial need (copy of parents 2012 Federal Tax Return with W-2 form);
- i) provide email address, phone number and mailing address to the Scholarship Committee of the Kiwanis Club of Lauderdale Lakes;
- j) maintain minimum 3.0 grade point average in order to remain eligible for renewal of the scholarship.

Notification

- a) Applications are available through the Key Club or from the Guidance Counselor/BRACE Advisor at your school, and must be submitted by ***April 15th, 2018.***
- b) Winner of the scholarship will be notified by mail by ***April 30th, 2018.*** Winner must acknowledge acceptance of award within fifteen days of notification
- c) The scholarship is non-transferable to another person, and may not be exchanged for cash.
- d) If the recipient elects not to accept the award, the scholarship will then be awarded to the next qualified applicant as determined by the Kiwanis Club of Lauderdale Lakes Scholarship Committee.

Essay Topics

Select one of the following topic

- 1) *If you were running for the office of President Of The United States of America,*
 - a) *what would your message be to the American people?*
 - b) *What policies would you institute to reduce gun violence?*

 - c) *The cost of education is constantly increasing and seems to be out of control. What do you think should be done to control the high cost of education and how do you plan to attend college and pay for tuition?*

Essay must be:

- a) **Approximately five hundred (500) words**
- b) **Type written**
- c) **Double-spaced**
- d) Submitted with application postmarked by April 15th 2018.

Application Submission Checklist

The completed application must be postmarked by April 15th, 2018. Applications postmarked after April 15th, 2018 will NOT be reviewed.

<u>Items</u>	<u>Done</u>
1. Page 3 - Student Page	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Page 4 - School (Principal) Page	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Essay	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Letters of Recommendation (minimum of 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
(Letters of Recommendation should be from individuals who know you well. It is suggested that at least one should come from a school teacher or other school official)	
5. Acceptance letter or proof of admission to accredited college or university.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. High school transcript	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Proof of ACT/SAT score	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. One (1) original of each of the above is required	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Copy of ID showing home address or utility bill with parent(s)' name.....	<input type="checkbox"/>

Mail completed application to:

Clinton A Taylor, Chairperson - Scholarship Committee
Kiwanis Club of Lauderdale Lakes
P.O. Box 100888
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33310

If you have questions, please contact Clinton Taylor at (954) 394-7136

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT.

Please type or print in black ink only. If Scholarship Committee cannot read your application, it will be rejected and shall not be forwarded for consideration.

PART A. STUDENT INFORMATION.

Name of scholarship applied for:			
Student Name		Social Security	High School Code
First	Middle	Last	- -
Home Address		Home Telephone: () -	
		City	Zip
		County	US Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> US Permanent Resident <input type="checkbox"/>
High School Name & Address		Principal's Full Name	
Father's Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)			Is he alive?
Mother's Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)			Is she alive?
I am living with (select all that apply):		Sex: Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of Birth
<input type="checkbox"/> Mother	<input type="checkbox"/> Father	Give age of brothers and sisters	
<input type="checkbox"/> Guardian (Name and relationship) _____			
Race/nationality:		High school graduation date:	
Are you now enrolled in College?			
College Major: _____			
First choice college/university: _____			
Second choice college/university: _____			
Third choice college/university: _____			

PART B. ACADEMIC HONORS

List **academic honors** received. List most recent honors first, with others following in descending order. **Use this space only. Please type or use black ink only.**

PART C. STUDENT ACTIVITIES

List **activities**, student or other offices held, responsibilities involving school and community services. List most recent activities first, with others following in descending order. **Use this space only. Please type or use black ink only.**

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PRINCIPAL OR DESIGNATED SCHOOL OFFICIAL
Please type or print in black ink only.

PART D. STUDENT DATA

Name of scholarship applied for:		
Student Name	Social Security - -	High School Code
First	Middle	Last
Home Address		Home Telephone: () -
Home Address		City Zip
High School Name & Address		Principal's Full Name

PART E. APPLICANT RANK, GPA, AND OTHER DATA

Rank _____ in a class of _____	Rank is <input type="checkbox"/> weighted <input type="checkbox"/> un-weighted	How many others had this rank _____
Applicant's cumulative grade point average _____ on a scale of ____	GPA is <input type="checkbox"/> weighted <input type="checkbox"/> un-weighted	SAT Score _____ ACT Score _____
Number of terms (quarters or semesters) included in rank and GPA: _____	Date rank and GPA determined: _____	Month _____ Year _____
Date student will graduate from High School: _____		Month _____ Year _____

PART F. HIGH SCHOOL ENDORSEMENT OF THE APPLICANT

This applicant will not be processed unless the principal or school official designated by the principal completes this endorsement.

Applicant's name: _____

Name of Principal/School Official: _____

Signature of Principal/School Official: _____

Date: _____

Telephone: _____ Ext: _____

Fax: _____