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31st Annual Greene County Chamber of Commerce Educational Fund

\$1,500 Cash Scholarship and Laptop donated by PCsquared.

CRITERIA

1. Student must reside in Greene County, Pennsylvania and be a graduating senior in 2021
2. Student must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 minimum on the date of application
3. Student must have applied and been accepted to a College or Technical School of their choice

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant's Name: _____ Age: _____ Cell #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

High School: _____ Email Address: _____

College or Technical School Attending: _____

Planned Course of Study: _____

I have attached all necessary information as requested and give the Scholarship Committee the right to review this information. I understand the selection will be made by an impartial committee. I further understand that my application will be disqualified if I fail to meet the criteria or fail to follow the application instructions.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian's Name(s): _____ Cell: _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

REQUEST FOR VERIFICATION OF CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE

To be completed by a guidance counselor:

I hereby verify that the above-named student currently has a cumulative grade point average of _____.

Minimum of 3.0 is required. - Signature of guidance counselor verifying that GPA is 3.0 or higher.

_____ Date: _____

* applications with less than a 3.0 GPA will be disqualified.

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

DEADLINE: RECEIVED no later Thursday, April 15, 2021

Failure to follow the rules for submission will result in application being disqualified.

Check list for application submission:

1. ___ Submit the completed “Scholarship Application” form.
2. ___ Have a parent or guardian sign and date the form.
3. ___ Have your guidance counselor complete and sign the verification of GPA (minimum of 3.0 required). Transcripts are not acceptable as verification and should NOT be submitted.
4. ___ Submit an essay using the following rules:
 - ___ Essay **MUST** answer the following: “*How do you plan to use your education to make a difference in your life and your community?*”
 - ___ Create a title for your essay. It **MUST** appear at the top of the first page. The topic is not your title.
 - ___ Essay must be typed and double-spaced. Use Times New Roman 12-point font.
 - ___ Essay must be two full pages in length, single sided. It must consist of only pages which contain the essay.
 - ___ **DO NOT** use specific names of high schools, colleges, technical schools, churches, parents, hometown, etc. in the essay. For example, do not use “Waynesburg University”, only use “university”.
 - ___ **DO NOT** introduce yourself in the essay or use your name in the essay or put your name on any page of the essay.
 - ___ **DO NOT** submit a title page or submit your application in a folder or binder of any kind.
5. ___ Submit a copy of one letter of acceptance from the college or technical school of your choice.

Submit the completed application page with the 2 page essay and acceptance letter for a total of 4 pages maximum using one of the following methods:

Email PREFERRED – melody@greenechamber.org.

Postal Mail Greene County Chamber of Commerce, 345 Zimmer Lane, Waynesburg, Pa 15370

PLEASE NOTE: Top applicants may be interviewed by the judges prior to the winner being selected.

The scholarship recipient will be notified in early May.

QUESTIONS MAY BE DIRECTED TO 724-627-5926

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