

## IDAHO SHERIFFS' MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

### INSTRUCTIONS:

**General:** A Scholarship may be awarded annually over four (4) years. Scholarships are awarded to students who are the child or grandchild of an Idaho Sheriff, or the child of an Idaho sheriff's employee. Recipients must be Idaho residents. Eligible students may pursue any degree at a college or university. Applicants must submit all requested items of information by the listed deadline or the application may be eliminated from consideration. Applicants must be and remain free from arrest and prosecution for misdemeanor and felony crimes and have a 3.0 GPA or higher to be eligible. Failure to do so may preclude the applicant from receiving a scholarship or for consideration to receive further scholarship awards.

Scholarship awards will be determined by a number of factors including but not limited to GPA, focus of studies, university or college attending, prior volunteer work or special contributions to the applicant's community. The amount of scholarships vary from \$500 to \$1500 annually and may be one time awards or continuing awards based on performance.

Applicants must include with this application:

1. The cover page document available from this site.
2. The mailing address of the admissions office of the college or university in which you are attending or will attend. This office must be willing to accept funds paid directly to the institution on your behalf.
3. A completed resume describing applicants background, work history, academic goals and expectations, high school or college activities and involvements, community activities and any honors or awards. Please be thorough.
4. Sealed high school transcripts, or transcripts from the college/university that applicant is currently attending.
5. Three (3) letters of recommendation from individuals who are personally aware of applicant's character, accomplishments and leadership qualities.

If successful, you will be notified of your scholarship award. In order for your school to receive the funds you **must** provide an enrollment verification and class schedule after the start of school. It is your responsibility to notify your school that funds will be made available on your behalf after receipt of the documents noted above.

**Continued Eligibility**

1. The applicant must submit a sealed copy of their transcript.
2. The applicant must submit a cover page available from the Sheriffs' Association website every year.
3. The applicant must submit a letter stating a declared major or area of academic interest and other information deemed pertinent.

The applicant, after the start of school, must have the college/university submit a letter verifying that the student is a registered full time student. The letter must include the student ID number. In addition, the student's class schedule must accompany the letter or be incorporated in the letter. Funds will not be distributed to the school until enrollment verification has been received so it is incumbent upon the student to notify their school that they have been awarded a scholarship and that they will receive the funds after school begins.

A full time student is a person who is enrolled in a college/university for two semesters or three quarters of a school year beginning with the fall term, and the person is taking sufficient credits to be deemed a full time student by the college or university.

**COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RETURNED TO:**

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By June 24, 2011**