

AVON PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.
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APOA Scholarship Application

Primary consideration for this \$1,500.00 scholarship shall be given to two (2) graduating Seniors who are residents of Avon, North Carolina, and who have been accepted into a full-time post high school program of study leading to a minimum of an Associates Degree. (Additional information pages may be attached to this application.)

STUDENT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE(s): _____ E-mail: _____

FATHER'S NAME: _____

OCCUPATION: _____ AGE: _____

MOTHER'S NAME: _____

OCCUPATION: _____ AGE: _____

NUMBER OF SIBLINGS: _____ At Home (ages): _____
Attending College: _____

SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES (if any) AFFECTING YOUR FINANCIAL NEED (i.e. Medical expenses, unemployed parent, care of grandparents, etc.):

YOUR FINANCIAL RESOURCES: (list \$ amount expected)

- 1. Social Security Benefits _____
- 2. Scholarships and/or grants _____
- 3. Employment _____
- 4. Loans _____
- 5. Other _____

NAME AND ADDRESS OF COLLEGE OR VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL YOU PLAN TO ATTEND:

PLANNED FIELD OF STUDY: _____

HIGH SCHOOL EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND OFFICES HELD:

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES: _____

CHURCH ACTIVITIES: _____

IN THE SPACE PROVIDED BELOW, PLEASE OUTLINE YOUR EDUCATIONAL PLANS, YOUR FUTURE GOALS AND WHY YOU DESERVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP. **Use additional page if needed.**

TO APPLY:

The following documents **MUST** be attached to this application and submitted to the CHSS Guidance Office no later than April 15th of each year:

1. A letter of recommendation from one of your high school teachers or administrators, AND
2. Your high school transcript or comparable document.

ANY application submitted without ALL required information will be deemed incomplete and not placed in consideration for the APOA scholarship.

• **RECIPIENT SHALL PROVIDE WRITTEN DOCUMENTATION OF ACCEPTANCE AND ENROLLMENT INTO A DEGREE PROGRAM AT AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING, PRIOR TO DECEMBER 31 OF THE YEAR OF GRADUATION, FOR RECEIPT OF THE INITIAL \$500.00 AWARD.**

• **RECIPIENT SHALL ADDITIONALLY PROVIDE WRITTEN DOCUMENTATION OF CONTINUED ENROLLMENT, PRIOR TO DECEMBER 31 OF THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE YEAR OF ENROLLMENT (NOT SEMESTER), FOR RECEIPT OF THE SECOND AWARD OF \$1000.00.**

Your signature verifies that all information provided is, to the best of your knowledge, true and accurate. We wish you the best of luck!

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

APOA SCHOLARSHIP

An amount of \$1,500.00, as approved by the membership at the Fall 1998 general meeting of the AVON PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, shall be awarded annually to a maximum of two (2) graduating Seniors of the Cape Hatteras Secondary School (CHSS) OR graduating Seniors who meet the following qualifications, and are selected by the Scholarship Committee of the Association. The Scholarship Award is paid in two installments:

1st year Award - \$500.00; 2nd year Award - \$1,000.00

The Scholarship Committee shall be comprised of the members of the Executive Board of the Association, unless otherwise appointed by the Association's Board of Directors.

CRITERIA:

1. Recipient shall be a permanent resident of the Village of Avon, as defined in the APOA by-laws.
2. Recipient shall have been accepted into a full-time post high school program of study, leading to a minimum of an Associate Degree.
3. Recipient shall provide written documentation of acceptance and enrollment prior to December 31st of the year of graduation, into a degree program at a recognized post high school institution, as required and approved by the APOA Scholarship Committee, for receipt of the initial \$500.00 award.
4. Recipient shall additionally provide written documentation of acceptance at the institution, prior to December 31st of the second consecutive year (not semester) of enrollment, for receipt of the second installment (\$1,000.00) of the scholarship.
5. Application shall be made by completion of APOA Scholarship Application, accompanied by a high school transcript and other required documentation, and submitted to the Cape Hatteras Secondary School Guidance Office or to the APOA Scholarship Committee, no later than April 15th of each year.

Selection of the recipient shall be made by the APOA Scholarship Committee based upon the applicant's academic record, character, extra-curricular activities, community involvement, future goals, and financial need.

Should there be no student graduating or applying who meets the residency and other requirements, the APOA Scholarship Committee, at their discretion, may make the award to any other graduating senior who meets the requirements, other than residency.

Upon receipt by the Committee of the required documentation of acceptance and enrollment, the APOA Treasurer shall mail to the institution, a check in the name of and payable to the institution for the awarded amount, to be applied to the recipient's account. In subsequent years, payment will be mailed prior to December 31st.

Scholarship Recipient will be given a letter of Scholarship Award. All subsequent contact should be addressed to: APOA TREASURER, P. O. Box 9, Avon, NC 27915. Inquiries may be made to the following: info@avonpoa.org