

South Hills College Club



2024 - 2025

The South Hills College Club announces the **2025 South Hills College Club Scholarship Award Program**. Under this program, at least one \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to a female high school senior.

South Hills College Club was formed in 1923 by a small group of college educated women from the South Hills. They met with the purpose of self-enrichment, fostering friendships, giving back to their communities, and promoting education for other women.

Our members engage with prominent speakers on relevant topics, join reading, cooking, gourmet dining, bridge, and other special groups. We also enjoy social events such as the annual holiday and spring luncheons.

From the beginning, one of the club's main goals has been to fund scholarships for qualified women who want to attend college. High school seniors are eligible to apply for the annual scholarship.

Scholarship criteria:

- Financial need
- Academic merit
- Activities
- Community Involvement
- Employment

Program Guidelines:

- Will be pursuing higher education at the college or university level.
- Complete the application in its entirety.
- Provide a copy of official high school transcript.
- Provide an essay/personal statement.
- Provide at least two letters of recommendation:
 - One must be from a recent teacher.
 - One from either a guidance counselor, coach, employer, or another teacher
- Applications must be received by the South Hills College Club no later than February 7, 2025.

LATE AND INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

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If your guidance counselor requires scholarship applications be turned into them, make sure your completed application is into them in time to meet our deadline. It will then their responsibility to mail one copy of a completed and typed application package to the address on the last page.

If your guidance counselor does not require their involvement with scholarship applications, then mail one copy of a completed and typed application package to meet our deadline of February 7, 2025.

The scholarships will be awarded in May 2025, with the check personally presented to the recipient at their home.

Please submit any questions to: astock2825@comcast.net

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION – 2025

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _H: _____ C: _____

Email: _____

High School: _____

Weighted GPA / Unweighted GPA _____

SAT/ACT score _____

Financial Information:

Name (s) of Parents / Guardians: _____

Email: _____

Phone: __H: _____ C: _____

Total Family income based on W-2's from 2023 taxes (2024 taxes preferred if you have them completed):

Please include any special circumstances magnifying financial hardship:

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Plans for financing your college education (aid for which you are eligible):

Names, ages, and schools of siblings included on parents taxes:

College/University Information:

Colleges/Universities applied to:

Anticipated Field of Study:

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Degree Sought:

Activities / Employment / Awards / Leadership:

Leadership Experience:

Honors and Awards:

Community Service / Volunteer Work / Employment:

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Extracurricular Activities:

On a separate paper, please write an essay/personal statement addressing all or any of the following (no more than 500 words):

- Any information about yourself that you feel is important for us to know when deciding on who is awarded a scholarship.
- Discuss any challenges you have dealt with and overcome and how this will help you succeed in college and beyond.
- Describe what the choices you have made (high school clubs, volunteer opportunities, etc.) have taught you.
- Career goals

Remember to include at least 2 letters of recommendation.

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Statement of Accuracy for Students

I hereby affirm that all the information provided to the South Hills College Club Scholarship application by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent, that if chosen as a scholarship winner, my picture may be taken and used to promote the South Hills College Club's Scholarship program. (Winner may waive photo due to unusual or compelling circumstances).

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Checklist:

- _____ Application
- _____ Essay/personal statement on separate sheet of paper
- _____ Copy of official high school transcript
- _____ Two letters of recommendation (one from a teacher)

Mail the completed application package to the South Hills College Club at:

Anne Stock
South Hills College Club
2825 Broadway Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15216

(Email for questions: astock2825@comcast.net)

You may drop off your application at my house. My mail slot is in my back door. If you would rather leave it in my front door, please let me know you have done that.

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