

**POLLY F. BURKE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP  
IRONDEQUOIT CHAPTER  
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

***OBJECT***

This scholarship endowment is established by the family and friends of Polly F. Burke. Mrs. Burke was active in the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) and was honored as New York State Director of District VII and New York State Chairman, DAR Schools.

***AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP***

The amount of this one-year scholarship may vary. It is dependent upon the available interest from the fund each year. It is expected to be \$1,000.00.

***CRITERIA AND RULES***

Applicant must:

- be a US citizen.
- be a senior or graduate of an accredited Monroe County, New York, high school.
- be currently enrolled in or plan to attend an institute of higher learning.
- be a student who has an outstanding academic record.
- be a person who has demonstrated a commitment to community service.
- provide at least three (3) letters of recommendation and other evidence which address the student's leadership abilities, sense of patriotism, responsible behavior, honesty, and integrity.

***APPLICATION PROCEDURE***

Applicants submit the Scholarship Application (page 2) and required documents (one copy) to the Chapter Chairman, in the order described in the instructions.

***Deadline to the Chapter Chairman is March 1.***

***Send Application to:***

**Carolyn Oatman**

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Honeoye Falls, NY 14472  
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11 Livingston Park at 138 Troup Street  
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Phone 585-232-4509

Scholarship Application

Name of Student

Permanent Address

Telephone

College/University you plan to attend

Major

Test Scores (HS Seniors only)

SAT

ACT

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If you are a winner, the Scholarship Committee would like to send an article to your local newspaper. Please note here the newspaper's:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Attention \_\_\_\_\_

*Completion of this section is an agreement to allow the Scholarship committee to use information from your application for publicity releases. Your qualification for any award is not determined by completion of this section.*

**Instructions:** Only applications which include items 1-5 listed below and received by the Scholarship Chairman on or before the **March 1** deadline will be eligible for consideration. School transcripts, letters of recommendation and other required documents being sent from a secondary source, on behalf of the applicant, must also be received by the Scholarship Chairman by **March 1**. Typewritten applications and statements preferred. Applications missing required paperwork or received after the deadline will be discarded. **DO NOT SUBMIT A PERSONAL PHOTOGRAPH.** This application is conducted without regard to race, religion, sex or national origin.

1. Scholarship Application (this page).
2. Applicant must prepare a statement of 1,000 words or less expressing his/her sense of patriotism, career objectives, specifying how college plans relate to future professional goals, and reasons for these choices.
3. Transcript of high school grades. Must indicate class rank/class size, GPA and test scores.
4. List on one side of 8 1/2"x 11" paper: extra-curricular activities, honors received, scholastic achievements, or other significant accomplishments. Maximum 2 pages.
5. Dated, signed letters of recommendation from at least three (3) but not more than four (4) persons who are familiar with your work. Letter may cover the applicant's ability, work habits, integrity, and potential. At least one letter should be from school.
6. Every effort should be made to submit application as a complete package with items arranged in the order presented above (items 1-5). Each page of application should include the applicant's name and all pieces of paperwork secured with a staple or paper clip.