



2019 Snake Saturday Community Service Scholarship

Purpose: This scholarship was established for North Kansas City School District students who have shown a unique dedication to community service and volunteerism. The success of the Snake Saturday parade and festival is achieved with the tireless help of many volunteers and organizations. This scholarship hopes to reward those students who have shown similar dedication.

Deadline: Wednesday, March 27, 2019

Number of Recipients: Two annually

Scholarship Amount: \$2,000 each

Eligibility:

- The applicant must be a graduating senior in the class of 2019 at North Kansas City, Oak Park, Staley or Winnetonka High School.
- The applicant must plan to pursue a post-secondary program of study at an accredited trade program or two- or four-year institution.
- The applicant must be actively involved in community service and have shown a high degree of initiative in volunteer activities.
- The applicant must have maintained a cumulative GPA of 2.50 or higher AND a 90% or better attendance record during his or her high school career.

Supporting Documents:

- **Official Grade Transcript:** You must have maintained at least a 2.50 GPA to qualify for this scholarship.
- **Official Attendance Record:** This must indicate a 90% or better attendance record or explain extenuating circumstances for your absences.
- **Short Essay:** Please attach a separate page telling us about yourself and your history of community service and volunteerism. Be sure to include other special circumstances you wish the scholarship committee to consider when evaluating your application.

Process: The Selection Committee, which consists of Northland Festivals (the organization that runs Snake Saturday) Board members, will review the applications and recommend recipients. Members of the Northland Festivals Board will have final approval. All applicants will receive letters indicating results of the selection process. Scholarship recipients will be recognized during their Senior Honors Programs.

Payment: Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the institution you plan to attend. You must complete a minimum of one semester. If you withdraw before completing a semester, scholarship funds must be returned to the Education Foundation and the first alternate will receive the funds.

Please include the application form and all supporting materials in one envelope and mail or deliver to **Jan Lewis, North Kansas City Schools Education Foundation, 2000 N.E. 46th Street, Kansas City, MO, 64116. Or you may email all required documents to jan.lewis@nkcschools.org.** Applications must be postmarked or delivered and received by **5 p.m. on Wednesday, March 27, 2019.**



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Applicant's Name: _____

High School Student ID Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Personal Email: _____

High School: _____

Anticipated Post-Secondary Choice: _____

Major or Course of Study: _____

1st Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

Address (if different from above): _____

2nd Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

Address (if different from above): _____

Who is financing your education? _____

List other sources of financial aid: _____

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: (Refer to tax returns, FAFSA reports and financial aid calculators.)

Are you a dependent of your parent(s)/guardian(s)? Yes _____ No _____

If you are a dependent, the first two answers are based on you parent/guardian's income. If you are independent, wards of the state, or in foster care, the first two answers are based on your income alone. The third answer is your annual income, if you are employed.

Gross Annual Income \$ _____ **Adjusted Gross Annual Income** \$ _____
Student Annual Income \$ _____

Total number of people dependent on this annual income, including applicant: _____

Are you eligible for the free and reduced meal program at your school? Yes _____ No _____

Are you currently receiving any state or federal assistance? Yes _____ No _____

Short Essay: Please attach a separate page telling us about yourself and your history of community service and volunteerism. Be sure to include other special circumstances you wish the scholarship committee to consider when evaluating your application. Please limit your response to 500-800 words.

NOTE: Incomplete applications will NOT be considered. Please include all materials.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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