

## WOODSFIELD/MONROE CENTRAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Read the following carefully, if you do not complete all required information, do not send all required documentation (including your required photo) or do not submit by the designated time, you will be disqualified from consideration for a scholarship.

1. You must be a direct descendant of a Woodsfield High School or Monroe Central High School graduate alumnus, (mother, father, grandmother, grandfather, great grandmother, great grandfather).
2. Complete an application. Applications should be accompanied by a copy of your high school transcript that includes your overall GPA or a copy of your last grade report from the university or vocational training that you are attending. This should also include your overall GPA. You **must** have been accepted into a secondary institution for college or vocational training to qualify for a scholarship, include a copy of your acceptance letter if you will be a freshman.
3. Include a one (1) but not more than two (2) page type-written essay on the topic. The prompt for the essay is as follows. **How will your course of study contribute to your immediate and long-range career plans?** A scoring sheet is included to help you understand the criteria. You must have a score of at least 12 to qualify for a scholarship.
4. Please include a photograph for possible publication in the local news media. You may not use a photograph that has a studio name across the picture or has the work proof stamped on the picture. If you do not include a picture in the return packet, you will be disqualified. Photographs will not be returned. Please be sure that photos can be published in the Beacon. Those that contain the words Proof or the photographers name cannot be published.
5. Application, Photo and Essay must be **received by May 15, 2019.** In the spirit of fairness, no exceptions will be made after the deadline. Please have all required documents and pictures sent before the deadline. **Do not email applications, essays, or pictures of applications.**

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Scholarship winners will be announced at the Woodsfield Alumni Weekend Celebration. Payment of the scholarship will be made in August 2019 and will be made out directly to the winner(s).

We have several \$500 scholarships available. Scholarship awards depend upon available contributions and how many of the applicants meet the award criteria. Ties for scholarship are resolved by a student's GPA average.

Students are eligible to receive a scholarship as a senior in high school, and every two (2) years as an undergraduate and a graduate student

GOOD LUCK!



Evaluation Rubric for Essay

POINTS	STYLE/CREATIVITY	ORGANIZATION	VOCABULARY/SENTENCES	MECHANICS (grammar, spelling, punctuation, capitalization)
<b>4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unique use of devices that help the flow of the message</li> <li>• Goes beyond requirements of the paper</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Focuses on the topic</li> <li>• Clearly addresses purpose</li> <li>• Ample use of supporting details</li> <li>• Logical/natural flow-beginning, middle and end</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Variety of words</li> <li>• Complex and varied sentence patterns</li> <li>• All sentences are complete</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Relatively error free</li> </ul>
<b>3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses some devices to help the message</li> <li>• Meets requirements of the paper</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Relates to the topic</li> <li>• Generally addresses purpose</li> <li>• Adequate supporting details</li> <li>• apparent beginning, middle and end</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adequate word choices</li> <li>• Some varied sentence patterns</li> <li>• Most sentences are complete</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Occasional errors that do not interfere with the message</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Attempts to use devices to help the message</li> <li>• Generally meets the requirements of the paper</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awareness of topic</li> <li>• Attempts to address purpose</li> <li>• Some supporting details</li> <li>• Attempts beginning, middle, and end</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited word choices</li> <li>• Sentence patterns not varied</li> <li>• Some incomplete sentences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Several errors that begin to interfere with the message</li> </ul>
<b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No use of devices to help the message</li> <li>• Does not meet requirements of the paper</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slightly related to topic</li> <li>• May not address a purpose</li> <li>• Few supporting details</li> <li>• No evidence of beginning, middle, and end</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inappropriate word choices</li> <li>• Basic sentence patterns</li> <li>• Many incomplete sentences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gross errors that impede the message</li> </ul>

NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL POINTS \_\_\_\_\_

# WOODSFIELD/ MONROE CENTRAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

March 20, 2019

Dear Guidance Counselor,

Enclosed are documents needed to apply for a Woodsfield/Monroe Central Alumni Scholarship of \$500. These include an application, instructions and a rubric for the requirements for the essay. All three should be made available to the perspective applicant. You may make copies or the applicant may email me at, [daydeb75@hotmail.com](mailto:daydeb75@hotmail.com) for copies.

We would appreciate your encouragement to qualified high school seniors, whether they are applying to technical programs or academic programs, all will be duly considered. We have awarded over \$74,000 to deserving descendents of Woodsfield High School and Monroe Central Alumni. Our wish is to help our young people as much as possible.

Applications are due May 15, 2019. Incomplete applications (This includes failure to follow all directions on the application, for example no emailed applications or essays are accepted as well as failure to include a picture of applicant, or inability to meet the deadline will disqualify the applicant.)

Please contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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