

Penny Penwell Scholarship Program

Arlington Sportsman's Club

Section 1 Application Requirements

- a) Be enrolled in an accredited college program or institution of higher education and already have completed (or about to complete) at least one (1) semester as a full time student (12 hours or more).
- b.) The applicant must have at least an overall GPA of 2.00 or higher on a 4.00 GPA scale for the semester and submit an official transcript.
- c.) The applicant must be younger than 25 years old on January 1st of the year of the application for the scholarship.
- d.) Applicants must be a Sr member, the child (step or legal ward), grandchild or great grandchild of a current Sr club member.
- e) Submit a personal resume.
- f.) Write a 250 - 300 word essay and answer the following:
 - 1. How the education you receive in school will be of value to you in the future.
 - 2. Tell us about the career path that interests you.
 - 3. How specific classes and a good scholarship in general will help you achieve your career goals.
 - 4. What are your greatest strengths?
 - 5. What are your career goals?
 - 6. Tell us about a personal achievement that made you proud.
 - 7. Tell us about a mistake that you made and what you learned from it.
 - 8. Who has influenced your life and why.
 - 9. Have you taken part in extracurricular school activities? Please describe.
- g.) Submit two (2) character references from non-family members with their applications. A recommender who can write about you both as a student and as a person. They should know your accomplishments and your contributions to your school and to your community. (This could be written by a teacher or principal).
- h.) Be willing to present an oral interview to the Board regarding your written resume.
- i.) Submit the application and all items listed on it in one package. The Board will accept only applications mailed to the club P.O. Box listed on the application and that are post marked prior to and including January 31st of the year the application is made. ***No hand delivered applications will be accepted.***

Section 2 Program Operation/Guidelines

- a) The intent of the Club's award is to encourage qualified persons to continue their education.
- b) The maximum scholarship awards to be given by the club will not exceed \$ 3,000.00 in any given year, which could be divided up among qualified persons applying, not to exceed \$ 1,000.00 each.
- c) Overall GPA will be considered to select recipients.

- d) If a scholarship is awarded to an individual, that individual cannot receive scholarship awards in the future.
- e.) The Club need not make an Award in a particular year.
- f.) Scholarship award applications will be considered by Board no later than the March board of directors meeting for approval.
- g.) The results of the Board's deliberations and decisions are final. However, an unsuccessful applicant may apply again the following year.
- h.) A determination and announcement of the Club's Award decision will be announced during the General Membership Meeting in April.
- i.) The Award check may be issued directly to the applicant at the May General Membership Meeting. The successful recipient and their family are encouraged to attend this meeting to receive their award.
- j.) The application process is outlined in the above Section 1 of this document.
- k.) Amendment of this Scholarship Program's Operation/Guidelines will require Board approval.
- l.) The Scholarship program will be administered by the President of the Arlington Sportsman's Club and a scholarship committee appointed by the President.

Approved by:

1997 Arlington Sportsman's Club Board of Directors

As amended: 10 February, 2005

As amended: 04 November, 2007

As amended: 16 September 2010

Section 3 ASC Scholarship Application

Date _____

Name _____

Permanent Contact Information

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

School Contact Information

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

Birth date _____

Relation to ASC Sr. Club Member and their name

Are you a current ASC member (y or n) _____

School to attend _____

City _____ State _____

Special classes/awards taken in high school

SAT / ACT scores _____

NRA or TSRA member (y or n) _____

Starting what year of College Fr, So, Jr, Sr. _____

All items below must be included in the application package:

_____ Application

_____ Personal resume

_____ 250 - 300 Word essay

_____ Two (2) character references

_____ Official transcript

Mail package to:

ASC Scholarship Fund Program

P.O. Box 117

Arlington, TX 76004

Must be postmarked no later than January 31st