

ESSEX SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

Eligibility:

Applicants must be accepted at a 4 year or 2 year college, technical institute, school of nursing, post graduate school or other educational program beyond high school by May 1 and be a current resident of the Town of Essex. Other restrictions may apply – please see each individual scholarship for qualifications.

Please return this application to:

**Essex Lions Club
PO Box 79
Essex, MA 01929**

No later than **Wednesday, April 14, 2010**

YOU MUST WRITE IN BLACK INK OR TYPE YOUR ANSWERS. PLEASE ANSWER EACH QUESTION ON THE APPLICATION FORM COMPLETELY AND ACCURATELY IN THE SPACE PROVIDED (unless otherwise noted)

PERSONAL DATA

Name of Student _____
Last First Middle D.O.B.

Home address _____
Street City Zip

Telephone number(s) _____
Home phone

Cell phone

Email

Name of parent(s) _____

Parent/Guardian Certification:

I/We have checked this form for omissions and errors. To the best of my/our knowledge the information is complete and correct. I give permission for this information to be released to all appropriate scholarship committee members.

Signature _____ Date _____

Relationship to student _____

How long have you been a resident of Essex? _____

Applicant is a descendent of a Veteran? Yes: _____ No: _____

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Name of Veteran(s) and relationship to the applicant:

Checklist:

- ☐ Did you read the enclosed scholarship descriptions and check all those for which you are qualified?
- ☐ Remember, applications postmarked after Wednesday, April 14, 2010 will not be accepted!

Did you include:

- ☐ A copy of your official high school transcript?
- ☐ A written recommendation from a teacher, guidance counselor, employer or non-family member who knows you well?
- ☐ A copy of your college essay?
- ☐ A copy of your (one page) resume? Including community service performed.
- ☐ A completed copy of your application in full?
- ☐ A parent or guardian sign your application?

**Postmark no later than Wednesday,
April 14, 2010**

1. Indicate the college or school you will attend (if undecided, list top 2 choices)

2. What course of study or major do you plan to pursue?

3. List employment during school and summer for the past three years

4. YOU MUST ATTACH A ONE PAGE RESUME THAT OUTLINES THE FOLLOWING AREAS: Your activities, interests, talents, awards, office(s) held, etc. in and out of school that you believe have contributed to your development. Where appropriate, use the numbers 9, 10, 11, 12 to indicate freshman year, sophomore year, etc.

5. Please make a statement regarding your career and educational goals and any information regarding yourself that you think will help the Scholarship Committee evaluate your application. Include something about your academic achievement, your service to your community, and something that will provide the committee with insight into your character.

List other siblings by age only:

_____ age _____ age _____ age
_____ age _____ age _____ age

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PLEASE READ THE BELOW SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS AND CHECK ALL THOSE
FOR WHICH YOU ARE QUALIFIED.
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- [] ESSEX VETERANS OF WWII MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- [] KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS SCHOLARSHIP
- [] JOHN HENRY MOORE, JR. SCHOLARSHIP
- [] FRANCIS W. BUCKLEY, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- [] C. NELSON HARDY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- [] EVERETT L. MEADER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- [] RAMSDEN ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
- [] SARAH LUFKIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- [] ESSEX LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP
- [] S.ARTHUR MEARS SCHOLARSHIP
- [] SAMUEL ARTHUR AND JEANNIE MEARS SCHOLARSHIP
- [] L DEXTER WOODMAN SCHOLARSHIP
- [] ESSEX FIRE COMPANY R. IVAN MUISE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

IMPORTANT!

**PLEASE READ THE SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES AND
CHECK THOSE FOR WHICH YOU ARE QUALIFIED.**

SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS

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ESSEX VETERANS OF WWII MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded by the Essex Veterans of WWII upon recommendation by the Veterans Scholarship Committee. The applicant plans to attend, or does attend an accredited college, university, technical or trade school for either a two or four year degree. The applicant has shown an interest, desire and commitment to benefit the Essex community. Any student may apply but first preference will be given to a direct descendent of an Essex Veteran of any war or conflict. The applicant must be a resident of Essex at the time of graduation from high school and has been a resident for at least one year before graduation.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to any graduating Essex senior on the basis of financial need, character and academic achievement. The applicant must be a current resident of Essex.

JOHN HENRY MOORE, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to an Essex senior who is continuing his or her education beyond high school. Consideration is given based upon financial need and character.

FRANCIS W. BUCKLEY, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The applicant must be a resident of Essex at the time of graduation from high school and intends to continue his/her education. The scholarship is given based on at least average grades, good character and financial need.

C. NELSON HARDY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to any graduating Essex senior who has lived in Essex for at least four years prior to graduation. The award is given on the basis of financial need, character and academic achievement.

RAMSDEN ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

This scholarship is awarded to seniors who are Essex Elementary and Middle School graduates and are enrolling in at least a two-year program of study. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic achievement, citizenship and service.

S.ARTHUR MEARS SCHOLARSHIP

The applicant must be an Essex resident, must be able to demonstrate through past deeds in the community a strong commitment to good citizenship and have financial need. Please provide specific examples of your past and present work within the community.

SAMUEL ARTHUR AND JEANNIE MEARS SCHOLARSHIP

The applicant must be an Essex resident, must be able to demonstrate through past deeds in the community a strong commitment to good citizenship and have financial need. Please provide specific examples of your past and present work within the community.

L DEXTER WOODMAN SCHOLARSHIP (Essex Resident)

The applicant for this additional scholarship from the L. Dexter Woodman Scholarship fund must be a senior whose legal residence is Essex. The award is based on personal character, service to school and community and scholarship.

ESSEX LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

The applicant must be an Essex resident. In the spirit of the Lions' commitment to provide service to the community, write a single page description outlining examples of your past and present contributions to your community. Examples of community service include work you've done for your school, church, Boy/Girl Scouts, etc.

SARAH LUFKIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to a graduating Essex senior who is pursuing a career in a field that affects children. The award will be based on character and an established commitment to children. Financial need may be considered but is not a necessary criterion for selection. This scholarship will be awarded in January.

ESSEX FIRE COMPANY R. IVAN MUISE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The applicant must be an Essex resident, a graduating student from Manchester-Essex Regional High School, Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School, North Shore Regional Vocational High School, Essex Agricultural & Technical High School, or Gloucester High and been accepted to an institution of higher learning.