

# LINCOLN COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE/ HELEN WESTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The purpose of the Lincoln County Republican Committee/Helen Weston Memorial (LCRC/HWM) Scholarship Program is to provide financial support directly to young students who exemplify patriotic beliefs and values. Scholarship proceeds may be used by recipients to pay portions of tuition, living or other expenses associated with college-level academic education or specialized technical or vocational training.

## ELIGIBILITY FOR SCHOLARSHIP-

All students in their senior year at one of the Lincoln County public and private schools<sup>1</sup> and home-schooled students within Lincoln County, shall compete for this Scholarship on an equal footing. Students interested in competing for the scholarship should obtain an application form (Supplied as Attachment 1) from their school's guidance office or from the LCRC point of contact identified in the published announcement. To participate in the LCRC/HWM Scholarship selection process, students must submit a fully completed application. A fully completed application consists of:

- 1) An LCRC/HWM application form which has been filled out in accordance with the printed instructions.
- 2) An endorsement on the application form by two (2) character references attesting to the applicant's character and demonstrated adherence to patriotic beliefs and values. Character references will not be accepted from relatives of the applicant.
- 3) An essay comprised of between 750 and 1,000 words on one of the following topics:
  - What America means to me.
  - Why the United States is an exceptional Nation?
  - The most important period in our Nation's history, with supporting Reasons
  - The most important aspect of the U.S. Constitution, with supporting reasons
  - The Star-Spangled Banner; worthy anthem or not?
  - The role of government in our everyday lives; too great, too little or, just right?
  - Are there any limitations that are appropriate for the First Amendment to the Constitution?
  - The Second Amendment to the Constitution; Does It serve a valid purpose in modern society?

Essays must be written by the applicant without any assistance by any other person.

The following legend must be printed on the completed essay:

"On my honor I have not received assistance in the preparation and writing of this essay."

Both the application form and the essay must be signed by the applicant. The essay should be signed just below the printed legend mentioned above.

All completed applications for the LCRC/HWM Scholarship applications shall be mailed to the LCRC at P.O. Box 653, Waldoboro, Me 04572. Applications must be post marked no later than April 30.

## EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS-

An LCRC Scholarship Committee consisting of at least three (3) LCRC member volunteers will review the applications and choose a recipient. The decision of the Scholarship Committee with respect to the winner of any competition shall be final.

## AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP-

The LCRC will invite the successful applicant to attend a monthly meeting to speak and to accept the award of the check.

**APPLICATION FOR  
LINCOLN COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE/  
HELEN WESTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

This application form must be completed in accordance with these instructions. Failure to do so will disqualify the applicant.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. The application should be typewritten or printed legibly
2. Please provide all requested information
3. Use the Supplemental Information page (and additional sheets) if additional space is required to fully respond to any aspects of the Application Form. Refer to the number of the item being addressed when using the Supplemental Information Page and sign and date each page.

APPLICANT INFORMATION			
1. Applicant's Last Name		2. Applicant's First Name	
3. Applicant's Home Street Number and Name		4. Town	5. State    6. Zip Code
7. Applicant's Home Telephone. Number Area Code.                      Number	8. Applicant's Cell Phone Area Code.                      Number	9. Applicant's Email Address	
10. School Attending	Check if Home Schooled <input type="checkbox"/>	11. School Address	
12. Guidance Counselor's Name		13. Guidance Counselor's Telephone No	14. Email Address
ACADEMIC RECORD			
15. Anticipated Graduation Date		16. Current Grade Point Average	17. Grade Point Scale
EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (BOTH SCHOOL AND NON-SCHOOL RELATED)			
18. Name of Organization	19. Nature of Activities	20. Role in Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Founder. <input type="checkbox"/> Leader. <input type="checkbox"/> Member	
21. Name of Organization	22. Nature of Activities	23. Role in Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Founder. <input type="checkbox"/> Leader. <input type="checkbox"/> Member	
24. Name of Organization	25. Nature of Activities	26. Role in Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Founder. <input type="checkbox"/> Leader. <input type="checkbox"/> Member	
27. Name of Organization	28. Nature of Activities	29. Role in Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Founder. <input type="checkbox"/> Leader. <input type="checkbox"/> Member	
30. Name of Organization	31. Nature of Activities	32. Role in Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Founder. <input type="checkbox"/> Leader. <input type="checkbox"/> Member	
33. Name of Organization	34. Nature of Activities	35. Role in Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Founder. <input type="checkbox"/> Leader. <input type="checkbox"/> Member	
CHARACTER REFERENCES			
36. First Reference- Last Name		37. First Name	
38. Home Address- Street Number and Name		39. City, Town	40. State    41. Zip Code
42. Relationship to Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Relative. <input type="checkbox"/> Family Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Friend		43. Duration of Relationship (Years, months, etc.)	44. Character Endorsement Attached. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. <input type="checkbox"/> No
45. Second Reference- Last Name		46. First Name	
47. Home Address- Street Number and Name		48. City, Town	49. State    50. Zip Code
51. Relationship to Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Relative. <input type="checkbox"/> Family Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Friend		52. Duration of Relationship (Years, months, etc.)	53. Character Endorsement Attached. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. <input type="checkbox"/> No
ESSAY INFORMATION			
54. Title of Essay		55. Number of Words	56. Essay Attached. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
EDUCATIONAL PLANS			
57. College/School You Plan to Attend			58. Accepted for Admission <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. <input type="checkbox"/> No
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE			
Applicant's Signature			Date

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

ITEM  
NUMBER

COMMENTS

Applicant's Signature

Date



