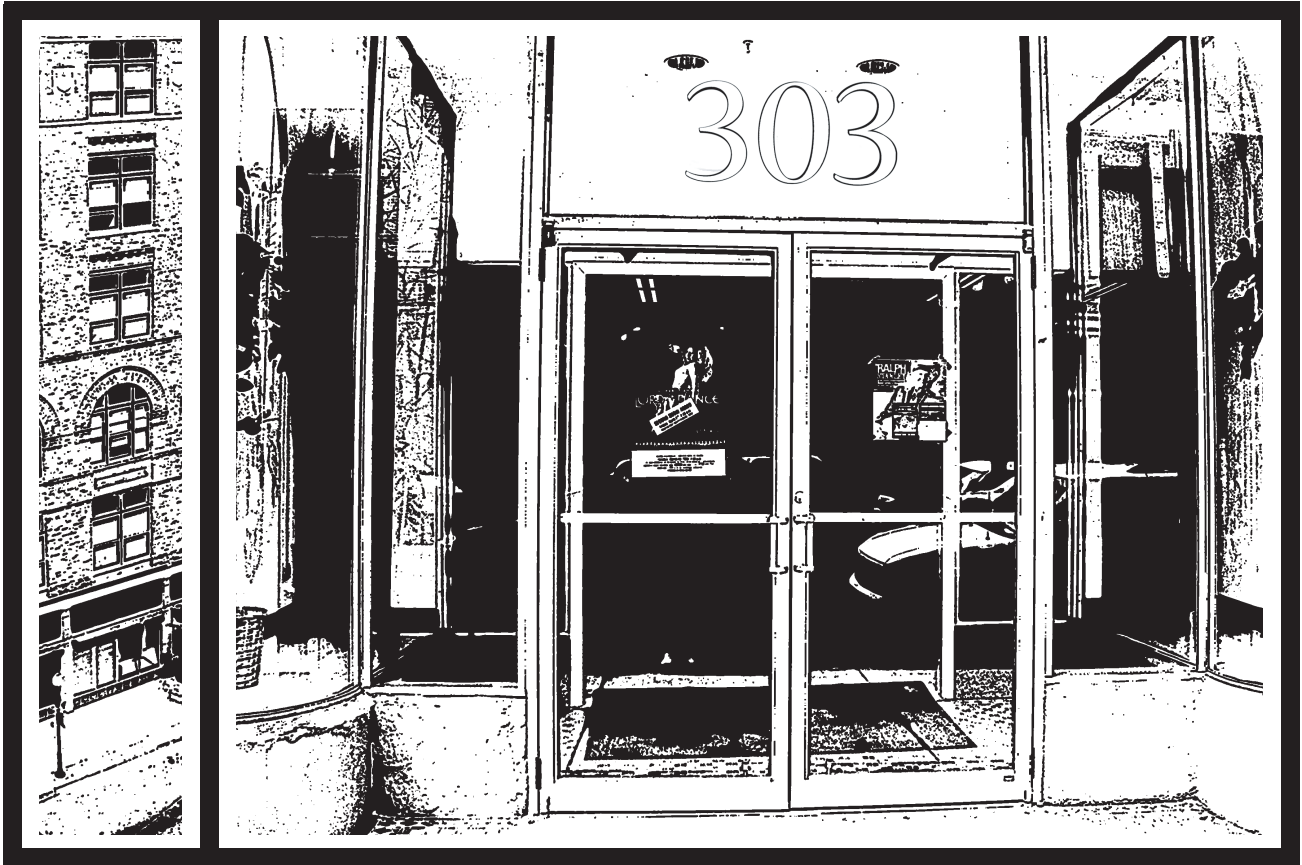


Scholarship Guidelines

Application Due Wednesday April 2nd, 2014



Background

The Scioto Foundation is a tax-exempt community foundation which receives and invests charitable gifts from individuals, families, businesses and other groups, and distributes earnings for grants and projects that help to meet the continually changing needs of our area and residents.

The Scioto Foundation is a 501 (c)(3) organization, so all recognized charitable giving is tax-deductible.

Today, the Scioto Foundation manages the assets of and oversees the distributions from approximately 89 separate scholarship funds. Of the 89

funds, the majority are selected by external scholarship committees. A volunteer scholarship committee of the Scioto Foundation selects the remaining scholarship recipients. Only the latter are contained within this booklet.

General Scholarship Criteria

While selecting scholarship awards, the volunteer scholarship committee considers several factors: financial need, academic achievement, leadership potential, as well as school and community involvement.

Carefully review the following specific criteria for each scholarship award. If you are eligible, then you will need to complete a current scholarship application.

You must reapply to the foundation for any/all scholarship renewals!

YOU MUST FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES!

Please follow these guidelines when completing our scholarship application. If you fail to do so, your scholarship **WILL NOT** be processed!

1. Use black ink to complete the written application. If handwritten, please print legibly.
2. Include the follow material listed below to make 9 completed applications. Only one original is needed. The rest should be copies. *Each application should be stapled or paper clipped in the same order as listed below.*

One application consists of:

- ◆ The 4 page written application.
- ◆ A current transcript of college grades and/or high school grades. *It does not need to be sealed.*
- ◆ One **current** (September 2013 - present) letter of reference from a member of your school faculty.
- ◆ One **current** (September 2013 - present) letter of reference from a member of the community.
- ◆ Extra materials requested by a specific scholarship.

3. A high school graduation photo or recent photo. *You need only submit one.*
4. Return applications to 303 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, OH **before 5 PM Wednesday, April 2nd, 2014.**

Ways to get disqualified:

- ◆ Letters dated before September 2013.
- ◆ Extra material required by the scholarship is not included.
- ◆ The application is not turned in on time.
- ◆ Missing pages
We ask the application be completed before it is turned in. It is your responsibility to make sure we have everything! Please inform those referencing you, they must give you the letter and not send in separately!

Check List

- Did you use black ink to complete the 4 page written application? (If handwritten please print legibly. Treat this as a resume)
- High school graduation photo or recent photo. You need only submit one.
- Did you include 9 applications stapled or paper clipped of the following?
 - The completed written application.
 - A current transcript of college grades and/or high school grades.
 - A letter of reference from a member of your school faculty.
 - A letter of reference from a member of the community.
 - Extra materials requested by a specific scholarship.
- Make sure you return your stapled or paper clipped applications to the Scioto Foundation office before 5 PM **Wednesday, April 2nd, 2014.**

Mailing Address:

Send or deliver all completed applications to:
The Scioto Foundation
P.O. Box 911
303 Chillicothe Street
Portsmouth, Ohio 45662

NO FAX, FedEx, Emails or UPS Deliveries;

Only USPS

In-house Scholarships of the Scioto Foundation

Athletic Scholarships

Ron & Nancy Chapman Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior from an Adams County high school, or one of the following high schools in Scioto County: Portsmouth West, Northwest, Portsmouth, Bloom-Vernon/South Webster, or East Community School; or from Ripley Union Lewis Local in Brown County. Must show evidence of earning a varsity letter in sports and give a letter of recommendation from a varsity coach familiar with the applicant's abilities.

Courtney Clifford Outstanding Achievement Scholarship Fund - Graduating senior at Portsmouth or Notre Dame HS who has maintained a 3.0 GPA or higher, received two varsity letters, exhibited leadership qualities, pride in school, their community, good communication skills, community involvement and overall good character. Include an essay describing why you are deserving of this scholarship, how your achievements parallel Courtney's and how you live your life by dedication, determination and discipline. Additional reference letter from a coach is required.

Amelia Parker Cohen Scholarship - The recipient must be a graduating senior at Clay High School and a participant of the girls high school basketball team.

Marlena Parker McCluer Scholarship - The recipient must be a graduating senior at Valley High School and a participant of the girls track team.

James A. Parker Scholarship - The recipient must be a graduating senior at Valley High School and a participant of the high school football team.

Thomas Parker Scholarship - The recipient must be a graduating senior at Valley High School and a participant of the high school baseball team.

Scholarships By Degree

Architecture Scholarship

Hayes, Wittenmyer Architectural Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate from a high school in southern Ohio. Applicants must pursue a degree in architecture and accepted at an accredited college or university for study in an accredited school of architecture.

Business Scholarships

Augusta A. & Rose L. Jacobs Memorial Fund - Must be majoring in business or music with a sophomore status or higher.

Edward & Maxine Levi Scholarship Fund - Must attend Shawnee State University and major in business. Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and be a local student. Underclassmen and upperclassmen may apply.

Abe & Bette Zuber - Portsmouth Retail Merchants Fund - Must major in business at Shawnee State University.

Educational Scholarships

Elbert L. Elliot & Evelyn M. Elliott Memorial - Must graduate from an Adams or Scioto County, Ohio high school and plan to major in the field of secondary or elementary education.

Burton D. Raine & Thelma T. Raine Fund - Must graduate from a high school in Adams or Scioto County, Ohio and plan to major in education or healthcare at an accredited college or university.

Coach Shurl Shoemaker Scholarship Fund - Must be a high school graduate of the Scioto County area, be

of sophomore rank at an accredited college or university, major in education and plan to pursue a career in teaching. Preference is given to students who are interested in coaching athletic teams at the elementary, middle or high school level.

Scioto County Retired Teachers Association Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior from a high school in Scioto County, Ohio, majoring in education.

Harley F. Shupert Sr. Scholarship Fund - Must graduate from a high school in Scioto County, Ohio. Students planning to major in teaching or healthcare may apply.

Leo R. Thompson Memorial Scholarship - Must be a graduating Northwest students majoring in education.

Engineering Scholarships

The Waller Family Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate of a Scioto County, Ohio high school pursuing a degree in engineering.

Environmental Studies Scholarships

Bernie Counts, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a resident of the state of Ohio, be enrolled at an accredited college or university of sophomore rank, and major in environmental studies.

Health Related Scholarships

Adams County Health Related Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior from an Adams County, Ohio high school, maintain at least a 3.0 GPA, and enrolled to study in a health related field.

William A. Burke Memorial Scholarship Fund - Awards are made for specific healthcare professions. Medical or pre-med students will NOT be considered. Must be a resident of Scioto, Adams, Pike, Ross, Jackson, or Lawrence County, Ohio or Greenup or Lewis County, Kentucky.

Harley F. Shupert Sr. Scholarship Fund - Must graduate from a high school in Scioto County, Ohio. Students planning to major in teaching or healthcare may apply.

History Scholarships

DAR - J. Spencer Chapter Scholarship Fund - Must be a college student entering his or her sophomore or junior year majoring in history. Must be a resident of Ohio, Kentucky or West Virginia. Preference is given to non-smokers, veterans, spouse of a veteran or child of a veteran.

Julian Mohr Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate of a Scioto County, Ohio high school and major in history. Must show evidence of community service.

Marguerite & Virgil Ramsey Acorn Scholarship - Must be a graduate of a high school located in Scioto County, Ohio and be enrolled at an accredited college or university majoring in history, in the sophomore year or above.

International Relations Scholarship

Portsmouth Sister City - Paul Flohr Scholarship Fund - Must be a resident of Scioto County majoring or minoring in Spanish, German, international relations or related degree. An additional letter from a foreign language instructor is required. Preference is given to a Shawnee State student with two or more years

of high school Spanish or German, a GPA of 3.0 or higher who has visited Orizaba or Zittau.

Medical Doctor Scholarships

Scioto County Medical Society Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate of a Scioto County, Ohio high school and enrolled in medical school.

Music Scholarships

Charlie Bill Greene Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior from a Greenup Co. (KY) or Scioto Co.(OH) high school pursuing a music degree. Please include a performance DVD.

Augusta A. & Rose L. Jacobs Memorial Fund - Must be majoring in business or music with a sophomore status or higher.

Dorothy Knost Scholarship Fund - Must be at least a junior in a Scioto County, Ohio or Greenup County, Kentucky high school planning to attend a summer music camp of at least six weeks in length or pursuing a baccalaureate or advance degree in music at a college or university. *Audition required.*

Charles P. & Geneva Varney Scholarship Fund - Scioto County residents will receive first priority. Residents of neighboring counties may apply and will receive consideration. Must have GPA 3.0 or higher. Audition and essay are required. The essay must be 500 words or more on your intent, outlining musical training and experiences, as well as your goals in the field of music, both short and long term.

Nursing Scholarships

Adams County Health Related Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior from an Adams County, Ohio high school, maintain at least a 3.0 GPA, and be enrolled to study in a health-related field.

Richard L. & Bettie L. Diehl Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must pursue a bachelor or advanced degree in nursing. Nurses seeking advanced degrees are encouraged to apply.

Katheryn Slack Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate or graduating senior from East High School or its successor, East Community School. Applicants must be accepted into an accredited school of nursing.

Paramedic Scholarship

Baker Memorial Scholarship - Must be a graduate from an Ohio high school located in Hocking, Meigs, Vinton, Athens, Jackson or Gallia County, have a minimum GPA of 2.5/4.0 and enrolled in an accredited paramedic or EMT program.

Pre-Med Scholarship

Larry Keller-Eva McCowen Medical Fund - Must be a graduate of a Scioto County, Ohio high school. This candidate must show evidence of and intent to pursue an undergraduate degree in a recognized pre-med program and have aspirations to attend medical school.

Veterinarian Scholarship

Owen & Madeline Doerr Karr Fund - Must plan to major in veterinary medicine. Preference is given to students attending Shawnee State University.

In-house Scholarships of the Scioto Foundation

Scholarships Established By Employers

Bobby J. Burns Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior who will attend Shawnee State University and is a child of an employee of the City of Portsmouth. The candidate must be active in the community. May be renewed for three additional years if recipient maintains a 2.0 GPA.

Hillview Retirement Center Resident Scholarship Fund - To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must have been a non-management employee at Hill View Retirement Center for at least one year and maintain an exemplary employment and performance record. Children and spouses of the employee may also apply.

OSCO Industries, Inc. Scholarship Fund - Applicant's parent must be employed at OSCO Industries, Inc. Undergraduates only may apply. Priority is given to students attending an institution located in southern Ohio, especially Shawnee State University and University of Rio Grande.

Richard Wolbert Memorial Scholarship Fund - Two scholarship awards are to be given. To be eligible for the first scholarship, an applicant must be a graduating senior and be a child of an employee of Haverhill Chemicals. The second scholarship will be awarded to a worthy graduating senior from the Scioto County Career and Technical Center. All applicants must show evidence of community service and must complete an essay (no more than 500 words) on the "Value of Education to Me."

Scholarships Established By Organizations

Boy Scouts or Cornerstone Methodist

William C. Anderson Eagle Scout Scholarship Fund - Must have obtained the level of Eagle Scout. Preference will be given to Eagle Scouts that are members of Troop #12 and are members of Cornerstone Methodist Church.

Girl Scouts

Jessie M. Payne Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a member of the Girl Scouts and the Seal of Ohio Girl Scouts Council. Must live in Scioto, Adams, or Pike County, Ohio. Must prove five years of membership in the Girl Scouts of the USA and have a "B" average or better for four years of high school and participate in church, school, and community activities.

Cornerstone United Methodist

Hollenbeck Family Memorial Scholarship Fund - Scholarship assistance is given to college students who participated in the Cornerstone United Methodist Church's Alleluia program.

International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers

Gordon M. Freeman Local Union #575 Scholarship

To be eligible for the scholarship, applicants must furnish evidence that a parent or guardian is a member of IBEW Local Union 575 and submit a 250 word essay, "What the labor movement means to me".

Scholarships For Universities

The Ohio State University

Temple Baker Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must graduate from a Scioto County, Ohio high school and enroll at Ohio State University.

Thomas Jeffery Chapman Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate of Portsmouth, West Portsmouth, Valley, Northwest, New Boston, Minford or South Webster High School pursuing a business degree at Ohio State University.

Herbert B. Nickell, II Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior at Northwest or Wheelersburg High School and plan to enroll at Ohio State University.

Shawnee State University

Raymond L. Arn & Dorothy L. Maier Scholarship Fund - Must be a resident of Scioto County, Ohio and enrolled at Shawnee State University.

Mary A. Burke Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate of a Scioto County high school who will attend Shawnee State University.

Hopkins/Fultz Scholarship Fund - Will be awarded to a graduating Portsmouth High School senior or a member of First Presbyterian Church who plans to attend Shawnee State University to major in education, dental hygiene or the field of sports/physical education.

Steven A. Hunter Hope Fund - Must be a graduating senior from Portsmouth High School who plans to attend Shawnee State University. Preference is given to those who display financial need.

Johnson Family Scholarship Fund - Must be enrolled at Shawnee State University.

Katie Graf Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a sophomore attending Shawnee State University.

Rita & George King Scholarship Fund - Must be a Minford High School graduate attending Shawnee State University.

Edward & Maxine Levi Scholarship Fund - Must attend Shawnee State University and major in business.

Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and be a local student. Underclassmen and upperclassmen may apply.

Portsmouth Retail Merchants Abe Zuber Fund -

Given to Shawnee State students majoring in business.

Multiple University

Anna Daehler Stillwell Scholarship - Must be a graduate from a Scioto County high school and enrolled to attend *Ohio State University, Denison University or Miami (Ohio) University*, or a resident of the state of Ohio and enrolled to attend *Shawnee State University* in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Rotary Club of Portsmouth Scholarship - Must be a graduate from a Scioto County high school or resident of Scioto County and a freshman enrolled at Shawnee State University or juniors attending any college or university.

Unrestricted Scholarships of County Specific Graduates

James & Beatrice Ervin Scholarship Fund - Must graduate from an Adams or Scioto County, Ohio high school.

Fitch Family Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate from a Scioto County, Ohio high school.

John & Kathleen Wittenmyer Memorial Scholarship -

To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must be a graduate of Peebles or West Union High School located in Adams County, Ohio.

Other Scholarships

Ralph & Louise Arrick Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduate of Minford, Northwest or Valley High School

Doug Booth Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior at Valley High School and possess the following: ability to think critically and creatively; loyalty to school, family and community; desire to contribute to the community; competitive spirit; commitment to goals; and academic performance.

Carl Brooks Scholarship Fund - Must graduate from a Scioto County, Ohio high school. Given to applicants that have a disability as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Frank "Dick" Hyland Memorial Scholarship Fund - The recipient of this scholarship must be a graduating senior at South Webster High School, have a minimum GPA of 3.0/4.0, and plan to major in education.

Harry James Scholarship Fund - Assists graduating seniors of Portsmouth West High School.

Louise & Harold Mullins Scholarship Fund - To be eligible for the scholarship, applicants must be a graduating senior at Wheelersburg or Portsmouth High School. Students must show financial need, having a family gross adjusted income of \$45,000 and below.

Ginger Rudd Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior at Valley High School, show evidence of community service, and financial need. This candidate should exhibit the qualities that the late Mrs. Phillips possessed: that of a highly self-motivated individual or "hard worker" who didn't quit in the face of adversity.

Portsmouth Area Ladies Scholarship - To be eligible for the applicant must be a female graduate of a Scioto County high school, have a minimum GPA of 3.0/4.0 and show evidence of community service and volunteerism.

PHS Class of 1961 - To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must be a graduating senior at Portsmouth High School, have a minimum GPA of 2.5/4.0, and enrolled in a 4 year university or college. In addition, applicants must write a 250 word essay explaining their life goals and what this scholarship would mean to them.

Richard & Ruth Cooper Reutinger Scholarship Fund - Assists graduating seniors of Portsmouth High School.

Ira Swearingen Memorial Scholarship Fund - Must be a graduating senior at Portsmouth West High School.

Please visit our scholarship database
www.ucanfindscholarship.org
for other scholarships in our area.



The Scioto Foundation Scholarship Application

Incomplete applications will not be processed.
If a question is not applicable please write N/A.

Full Name _____ Social Security No. (professionally shredded) _____

Address _____ City _____

State	Zip	Phone Number ()	E-mail
Parents/ Guardians	1A. <input type="checkbox"/> IBEW Local Union #575 Member Parent's Name:		1B. <input type="checkbox"/> OSCO, Inc. Parent's Name/Plant:
	1C. <input type="checkbox"/> Portsmouth City Employee Parent's Name/Department:		1D. <input type="checkbox"/> Haverhill Chemicals Parent's Name:

High School _____ State/National Awards _____

AP Classes & Scores _____

PSEO University, Classes & Scores _____

HS Graduation (year) _____ HS GPA /4.0 _____ Class Standing _____ ACT Score(s) _____ SAT Score(s) _____

College/University _____ Location _____

Major(s) _____ Minor(s) _____

Education Level as of July 2014? <input type="checkbox"/> Incoming Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior <input type="checkbox"/> Med 1 2 3 4	Credit Hours Completed	College GPA /4.0	Approx Annual Cost Tuition \$ _____ Room & Board \$ _____ Book & Fees \$ _____
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Will you be/are you a full-time student during the 2014-'15 school year? Yes No

Marital status: Single Married Divorced/Separated ----- Do you smoke? Yes No

2A. Did or will you live with your parents for more than six months? Last year: Yes No This year: Yes No

2B. Did or will your parents claim you as a U.S. income tax exemption? Last year: Yes No This year: Yes No

2C. Did or will you get more than \$750 worth of support from your parents? Last year: Yes No This year: Yes No

How many people live in your household? ____ How many people listed in the household will be in college during the coming year? ____

From the latest federal income tax return, indicate the range of taxable income (answer both if marked yes on 2A, 2B or 2C):

Yours Less than \$14,999 \$15,000-\$29,999 \$30,000-\$44,999 \$45,000-\$74,999 \$75,000 - \$99,999 \$100,000 + didn't have to file
Your Parents/Guardians Less than \$14,999 \$15,000-\$29,999 \$30,000-\$44,999 \$45,000-\$74,999 \$75,000 - \$99,999 \$100,000 +

Please check all the scholarships you are eligible for:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Adams County Health Related | <input type="checkbox"/> Charlie Bill Greene Music *Include Audition DVD | <input type="checkbox"/> James A. Parker |
| <input type="checkbox"/> William C. Anderson Eagle Scout *troop # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Katie Graf Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Thomas Parker |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Raymond Arn & Dorothy Maier | <input type="checkbox"/> Hayes, Wittenmyer Architectural | <input type="checkbox"/> PHS Class of 1961 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ralph & Louise Arrick | <input type="checkbox"/> Hill View Retirement Center Resident | <input type="checkbox"/> Portsmouth Sister City Committee *Extra Reference |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Baker Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Hollenbeck Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Burton & Thelma Raine Memorial |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Temple Baker Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Hopkins/Fultz | <input type="checkbox"/> Ginger Rudd Phillips |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Doug Booth | <input type="checkbox"/> Steven A. Hunter | <input type="checkbox"/> Marguerite & Virgil Ramsey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carl E. Brooks | <input type="checkbox"/> Frank "Dick" Hyland Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Richard & Ruth Cooper Reutinger |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mary A. Burke | <input type="checkbox"/> Augusta & Rose Jacobs Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Rotary Club of Portsmouth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> William A. Burke Health-related | <input type="checkbox"/> Harry James | <input type="checkbox"/> Scioto County Medical Society |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bobby J. Burns Memorial *Fill out 1C | <input type="checkbox"/> Johnson Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Scioto County Retired Teachers Association |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Thomas Jeffry Chapman | <input type="checkbox"/> Owen M. & Madeline Doerr Karr | <input type="checkbox"/> Coach Shurl Shoemaker *Extra Reference |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ron & Nancy Chapman *Extra Reference | <input type="checkbox"/> Dorothy Knost Music *Include Audition DVD | <input type="checkbox"/> Harley F. Shupert, Sr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Courtney Clifford Outstanding Achiev. *Extra | <input type="checkbox"/> Rita & George King | <input type="checkbox"/> Kathryn E. Slack Memorial |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amelia Parker Cohen | <input type="checkbox"/> Larry Keller-Eva McCowen Medical | <input type="checkbox"/> Anna Daehler Stillwell |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bernard Counts Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Edward & Maxine Levi | <input type="checkbox"/> Ira E. Swearingen Memorial |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DAR - Joseph Spencer Chapter | <input type="checkbox"/> Marlena Parker McCluer | <input type="checkbox"/> Leo Thompson |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Richard L. & Bettie L. Diehl Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Julian A. Mohr Memorial *Extra Reference | <input type="checkbox"/> Charles P. & Geneva Varney *Include Audition DVD -Extra |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elbert L. & Evelyn M. Elliott | <input type="checkbox"/> Louise & Harold Mullins | <input type="checkbox"/> John and Linda Walker |
| <input type="checkbox"/> James & Beatrice Ervin | <input type="checkbox"/> Herbert B. Nickell, II Memorial | <input type="checkbox"/> Waller Family |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fitch Family | <input type="checkbox"/> OSCO Industries, Inc. *Fill out 1B | <input type="checkbox"/> John & Kathleen Wittenmyer Memorial |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gordon M. Freeman | <input type="checkbox"/> PALS | <input type="checkbox"/> Richard Wolbert Memorial *Fill out 1D |
| Local Union #575 Scholarship *Fill out 1A | <input type="checkbox"/> Jessie M. Payne Memorial *troop # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Abe & Bette Zuber - Retail Merchant |

(You may use additional paper)

List your work experience

List your volunteer work

List your interests, activities, awards, offices held, etc.

(Please be specific and complete)

Describe your short-term academic and life goals

What would you like to achieve during your life time? Describe your long-range academic and life goals.

Are there any extenuating circumstance or financial hardships that you would like the scholarship committee to know about when considering your application?
