NWFMOA Scholarship Application

Instructions/Checklist for completing application:

(Revised December 2019; previous applications are obsolete)

<u>NOTE</u>: NWFMOA awards a \$2,500 scholarship to a qualified senior JROTC student from each of the five Okaloosa County high schools with JROTC programs, plus Navarre and Walton high schools. These winners will then be evaluated for award of the \$4,000 Lt Col James and Mrs Una Heavener Memorial Scholarship. [If there is not a qualified applicant from a school, the Committee may award that scholarship to a different school, i.e., a school could be awarded more than one scholarship.]

- 1. Please type or print clearly. Application is to be completed by applicant. Include six (6) copies of application form and supporting documents. [NOTE: Applications must be in the prescribed format for this scholarship. Do not merely use a format or document order that other scholarship programs use. Failure to comply can eliminate the applicant from consideration.]
- 3. Applicants MUST be enrolled in their high school JROTC Program and MUST enroll in their college/university ROTC Program to be eligible for these scholarships. Enrollment in the college ROTC program may be delayed to the second semester if class scheduling conflicts arise.
- 4. Include a maximum of two (2) letters of recommendation. One (1) must be from your school's JROTC Senior Instructor and address the applicant's academic standings and achievements, moral character, and potential for future military leadership. The second letter may be a recommendation by another school official (teacher, coach, counselor, or principal). Please limit to one page.
- 5. Include the Academic Record Report form with verification by the school Guidance Counselor. Minimum GPAs are 2.80 (unweighted) <u>OR</u> 3.20 (weighted).
- 6. Complete and include the Senior Resume in the order proscribed.
- 7. Complete and submit the Statement of Understanding signed by the student and his/her parent or guardian. Scholarship awardees MUST enroll in the ROTC program at their college or university. If ROTC enrollment is delayed until the second semester, scholarship payment will be withheld until the college confirms enrollment.
- 8. Part of the selection criteria is based on financial need. Please address these needs. Complete the information on any other scholarships or monetary awards the applicant has been awarded or applied for. This information should be current as of the date of application.
- 9. One qualified applicant from each eligible high school with JROTC programs will be interviewed by the Scholarship Committee. Applicant's dress for this interview should be in his/her JROTC class A uniform. Applicants will be notified of date, time and location. This in-person interview will be to select the winner of the \$4,000 "Lt Col James and Mrs Una Heavener Memorial Scholarship".

<u>Completed</u> application must be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than March 1st. Mail or deliver completed application to: NWFMOA Scholarship Committee, c/o Dave Parisot, 56 11th St, Shalimar, FL 32579. Scholarships will be awarded in May of each year.

The Northwest Florida Military Officers Association (NWFMOA) <u>Scholarship Application</u>

High School:		JROTC Snr. Instructor:		
Student Name:				
				Last
First		Middle Home Address :		
Street Address		City	State/Zip Cod	e
Date of Birth	Sex	Contact Telephone	Email Address	
Name of Paren	t or Guardian	:		
First		 Middle		Las
Business/Cell Phone:		Home	e Phone:	
Email Address:_				
Anticipated Co	llege Choices	s: (MUST have ROTC progra	nm)	
1 st	Have ROTC?(Y/N) Accepted?(Y/N)			
2 nd		Have ROTC?(Y/N) Accepted?(Y/N)		
Anticipated Fie	elds of Study:			
 Major				

Attach in the following order: 1. Statement of Understanding; 2. Academic Record Report form with signed verification; 3. Senior Resume noting all work experience, activities, JROTC activities, and extracurricular involvement, statement of financial need, and "Why I should be selected for this scholarship"; 4. Letter of Recommendation from your Senior JROTC Instructor; and, 5. Second Letter of Recommendation. (Limit 4 and 5 to 1 page)

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Statement of Understanding

(Please read carefully and sign by applicant and parent/guardian)

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l,		, in applying for and/or accepting	this scholarship, agree to the following
conditions:			
1.	I understand that	I will not receive the scholarship until	I have been accepted by an accredited
		e Officer Training Program (ROTC) ar	•
•	•	om the college Registrar's office. (This	•
	•	of the freshman year of college.)	o must be received by 14441 Mert
2.	•	•	llege/university ROTC Program. In the
		The state of the s	payment to the college will likewise be
		rticipate will require me to forfeit this	
			be deferred to the 2 nd semester, notify
		October 1 st .of the freshman year of co	
3.	•	ne scholarship will be used within one	•
_		payment of tuition and expenses paid	•
	•	disbursed to the college/university fir	5
•	•	· ·	e check payable to and the address to
mail to.)		·	
4.	Should I transfer	to another college/university before us	sing all of the funds, such funds may be
transferred to	the new college/ur	niversity of my choice. If I cease to at	tend the college/university originally
designated,	and fail to immediate	ely transfer to another college/univers	sity, any scholarship funds remaining will
be returned		holarship Fund, Inc.	
5.) athletic, academic, ROTC or Service
•	•		VFMOA and any payments paid under
	hip will be returned		
6.	•	e of my name and picture concerning t	
7.		•	spond with the selected school financial
	rning the appropriate		
8.		iformation presented in this scholarsh	ip application is complete and accurate
to the best o	f my knowledge.		
I have read a	and agree to abide b	by the rules of eligibility stated in this S	Statement of Understanding.
Signature of	Applicant	Print Name	 Date

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Date

Print Name

Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Academic Record Report

To be filled out by the **Guidance Department** based on seven (7) semesters of academic work. [Please note: Failure to provide all information does not reflect well on the applicant. ACT or SAT are allowed though both are preferred. Community service is part of the evaluation so Volunteer Hours are essential.]

Applicant:				
	Last	First		Middle
Number of stud	dents in graduating clas	ss: Class Ra	nk:	
Year of Gradua	ation: Unweig	hted GPA:	Weighted GP	A:
Note: Minimu	m required GPA for so	cholarship is 2.80 ur	nweighted <u>or</u> 3	.2 weighted.
SAT Scores:	Verbal (possible 800 Math (possible 800) Combined (possible	, 		
ACT Composit	te Score: (Possible 36) Vol	unteer	
Hours:				
Any other test	scores (Please list test	name, score, and hig	hest possible s	core):
				Printed/typed
name of Guida	ance Counselor	Business Phon		Filited/typed
Signature of G	uidance Counselor			

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Senior Resume

Name:	
Address:	
Telephone:	Email:

[For items 1 through 8 below, please type on additional sheets using the headings listed and in the order listed.]

- 1. <u>Education</u>: Please list any Honors courses, AP exams taken and results, and any Academic honors.
- 2. <u>Activities & Leadership</u>: Please list your high school activities (to include academic, JROTC, athletics, and school clubs/organizations) by year, offices held, and any awards or recognition of each activity.
- 3. <u>Honors and Awards</u>: Please list any honors and awards not included in item 2 above.
- 4. <u>Community Service</u>: Please list any community service (non-school) activities by high school year and hours expended.
- 5. Work Experience: Please list your work experiences and hours per week/month.
- Other Scholarships, Grants, and/or Monetary Awards: Please list any that you
 have been awarded or selected to receive and amount.
- 7. <u>Statement of Financial Need</u>. [This information will be held in confidence by the Scholarship Selection Committee and destroyed after selections are complete.]
- 8. <u>Statement of "Why I Should Be Selected For This Scholarship"</u>. [Limit answer to no more than one single-spaced type-written 8 1/2 X 11 page]

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