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Runkle Family Scholarship



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Runkle Family Scholarship – Habo Runkle created this scholarship to honor her children and family who were successful students at Knox High School. Habo is a past recipient of the Henry F. Schricker award which is awarded each year to an outstanding Starke County citizen.

Eligibility

For Knox High School students who are graduating seniors, those who have graduated from Knox High School within the previous five years or nontraditional students. The following criteria shall be important.

1. Have at least a GPA of at least a B ;
2. Respond with insight, good grammar and English usage, and clarity of thought to an essay question chosen by the Runkle Family;
3. Demonstrate meaningful involvement and leadership in high school activities;
4. Demonstrate meaningful involvement in his/her community or church; and
5. Demonstrate good citizenship.

Renewal:

A recipient may reapply for the scholarship and will be considered with all other applicants.

Instructions for completing the application

- Application Deadline is March 15th 2010
- Applications should be typed or legibly printed in ink.
- Provide a quality wallet size photo with your name on the back of the photo.
- Submit one original application and all required attachments. The NICF office will make all necessary copies.
- Submit a well-written personal statement on the following topic.
 - **Describe your plans for the future and the importance of receiving a post high school education.**
 - Submit your response on a separate sheet of plain white paper.
 - Include your name on the top left of the page and the name of the scholarship you are applying for on the top right of the page.
- Do not use staples. Use only paper clips or clamps to attach your application materials to each other. Organize your application and all required materials.

Please Make Sure the Following documents are completed and attached.

- Application Information Part A
- Application Information Part B
- Submit a well-written personal statement on the following topic.
 - Describe your strategy for making the most of college academically.
- One official school transcript is required. The Foundation will make additional copies as needed.
 - If you are a student entering your first year of college, please attach your high school transcript
 - If you are a college student, please attach your college transcript.

Application deadline is March 15th 2010.

Those who are graduating high school seniors, please deliver completed application the Guidance Dept. of Knox High School.

If you are a college student or non-traditional student please Mail or deliver to: Northern Indiana Community Foundation Inc. 715 Main Street, P.O. Box 807 Rochester, IN 46975.

For assistance contact Corinne Becknell Lucas, Scholarship Coordinator for the Northern Indiana Community Foundation toll free at 877.432.6423 or email corinne@nicf.org. Application online at nicf.org.

Name of Student: _____

Academic Certification Form:

This Section to Be Completed By a High School Guidance Counselor

Diploma:

The student will graduate with the following:

Reg. Diploma _____ CORE 40 _____ Technical Honors _____ Academic Honors _____

Advanced Placement Classes:

Number of College Prep, Honors, Advanced Placement, Weighted Courses offered at this high school: _____

Number taken by student: _____

General Testing and Scholarship:

Did this student pass both required sections of the ISTEP GQE? _____ Yes _____ No

21st Century Scholar? _____ Yes _____ No Likely to be a recipient of the award? _____ Yes _____ No

Required Test and SAT/ACT Scores & Cumulative GPA:

Only complete if information is not on the student's transcript

Highest SAT Scores: Critical Reading _____ Math _____ Writing _____ Total: _____

Highest Composite ACT Score: _____

GPA _____ on a scale of _____ Class Rank _____ Class Size _____

Guidance Counselor Signature

Date

This Section to Be Completed By Applicant If They Are a College or Non-Traditional Student:

You must still attach a copy of your most recent high school or college transcript

GED recipients: Score on Section #1 #2 #3 #4 #5 Total Score: _____

GPA _____ on a scale of _____ Class Rank _____ Class Size _____

Sat Score: Writing _____ Math _____ Critical Reading _____ Total _____ ACT Score composite _____

Student Signature

Date

Application Signature Page

In signing this application, I hereby certify that the information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I have fulfilled all of the requirements for the application and I am enclosing required attachments as requested on the **instruction and scholarship description section** of this document. I am aware that the Northern Indiana Community Foundation scholarships may be used at an accredited education institution. I also understand that the awards will be announced in the spring and summer of 2010. In addition, I understand that the information contained in my application may be shared with the scholarship committee and / or the scholarship fund founder. If you are under 18 years of age, a parent's signature is required.



Applicant's Name (please print)

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent's Signature

Date

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