



The DuPage County Marines

Once A Marine... Always A Marine

DuPage Marines Scholarship Fund In Memory of SGT Thomas M. Gilbert

PURPOSE:

The DuPage County Marines Scholarship Fund is established to grant college or vocational school scholarships to qualified applicants.

WHO IS QUALIFIED TO APPLY:

Priority will be given to applicants in the order listed below. Example: League members and family will be given first priority.

- A. Members and family members, children and grandchildren of members of the DuPage County Marine Corps League in good standing or the surviving spouse and/or children of a deceased member
- B. Family members (residing in DuPage County) of Marines who lost their lives in the line of duty.
- C. Children and grandchildren of Marines who reside in DuPage County.

WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Applicants **must** complete the entire Scholarship Application Form and return it by the due date indicated on the form.
- B. A transcript of the applicant's grades and class standing **must** be attached. If the applicant is presently enrolled in a college/university/vocational school, these grades should be included. The GPA **must** be 3.0 (B) or greater. Photocopies must bear an original signature of the proper school authority.
- C. A letter from the applicant introducing him or her and indicating their reason for applying **must** be attached.
- D. Proof of acceptance and enrollment into an accredited institution of higher learning must be attached.
- E. In order for the application to be considered, all necessary paperwork must be



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postmarked by June 30 of the current year. Any request for an extension of the due date must be submitted in writing to the scholarship committee for consideration.

ALL DOCUMENTATION MUST BE ASSEMBLED AND SUBMITTED BY THE APPLICANT AND POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JUNE 30 of the current year AND MAILED TO:

Victoria Cobbett
733 Singer Avenue
Lemont, IL 60439

- A. Notification of selection for the scholarship will be mailed to the applicant along with a request for information to process the scholarship to your school. Please complete the form and return it as directed.
- B. The payment check will be made out jointly to the recipient (student) and the learning institution, and mailed directly to the school. When the recipient (student) endorses the check, the institution will then endorse the check and credit the amount of the check to the recipient's (student's) account. The scholarship will be applied to the recipient's (student's) tuition and/or books. No cash or check is to be paid directly to the recipient (student) either by the detachment or the institution at which the recipient (student) is enrolled.



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APPLICANT

NAME: _____

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

ADDRESS: _____

STREET

CITY STATE ZIP PHONE

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: ____/____/____ CUMULATIVE GPA _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY STATE ZIP PHONE

EXTRA CURRICULAR

ACTIVITIES: _____

NAME AND ADDRESS OF ACCREDITED COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY/VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL/
INSTITUTION YOU HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED TO:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS:

STREET

CITY STATE ZIP PHONE

MARINE CORPS/MCL AFFILIATION

MEMBER NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP: _____

I understand that the decision of the Scholarship Fund Committee is final, and that the information contained in this application and the accompanying documentation is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. All information contained in this application and accompanying documentation will be kept totally confidential and strictly for determining the qualifications of the applicant. Applications become the sole property of the DuPage County Marine Corps League Scholarship Committee. It is my understanding that if awarded this scholarship, it must be used toward payment of tuition and/or books only.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____