



## **NASSAU SPORT FISHING ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

**Scholarship Description:** A \$4,000 scholarship will be awarded to each of three outstanding graduating high school seniors. This is a renewable two-year scholarship, paying \$2,000 the first year and \$2,000 the second year for a total of \$4,000 per recipient.

### **Criteria for award:**

- Resident of Nassau County
- Plan to attend a 2- or 4-year college or university, **OR** a trade or vocational school, as a full-time student
- Financial need
- GPA, SAT/ACT scores will be considered
- Extra-curricular activities and community service hours will be considered
- Must complete a one- to two-page typed essay in response to the following questions: Why do you plan to attend college or vocational school? What are your goals for the future? Why do you think you would be a good recipient of this scholarship?
- Additional consideration will be given to students who exhibit an interest in marine biology and/or participation with NSFA as members or volunteers at events.
- To renew, recipient must have satisfactory completion of freshman year in school with a minimum GPA of 2.5, and must submit a letter of request along with an official transcript of first year's grades and fee slip for upcoming semester to NSFA Scholarship Committee at the address listed below.

### **Instructions to the applicant:**

Place the completed application form in an envelope with the following:

- Two referral letters - one from a high school faculty member and one from an employer, community leader or family friend.
- One- to two-page essay
- High school transcript
- Proof of financial need

To be eligible for consideration for the current year, all completed applications with all required forms and information included, must be postmarked by April 19, 2024.

**Please mail to:** Nassau Sport Fishing Association  
Attn: NSFA Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 16417  
Fernandina Beach, FL 32035

**Note: Recipients and their families will be invited to attend a Nassau Sport Fishing Association monthly social meeting to receive their scholarships pending notification of enrollment in college.**

**APPLICATION FORM  
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<b>Student Name</b>			
<b>Address</b>		<b>Birthday</b>	
<b>City</b>		<b>Age</b>	
<b>Email</b>		<b>Phone Number</b>	
<b>Employed by</b>			
<b>Supervisor's Name</b>		<b>Phone Number</b>	
<b>Major</b>			
<b>College/Vocational School</b>		<b>Accepted</b>	Yes _____ No _____
<b>Mother's or Legal Guardian's Name</b>		<b>Father's or Legal Guardian's Name</b>	
<b>Occupation</b>		<b>Occupation</b>	
<b>Brothers</b>			
<b>Sisters</b>			

**This section to be completed by Guidance Counselor (Please attach copy of Transcript.):**

<b>Weighted Grade Average</b>	<b>SAT Scores Math/Verbal/Total</b>	<b>ACT Score</b>	<b>Class Ranking</b>
	/ /		
<b>Community Service Activities</b>	<b>Number of hours of Service</b>		
<b>Other Scholarships</b>	<b>List how many and for how much:</b>		
<b>Counselor Name</b>	<b>Counselor Signature</b>		<b>Date</b>

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1. Please tell us about the two or three extra-curricular activities that mean the most to you and why. These may be sporting activities, school clubs, civic or community service projects, a musical instrument, etc.

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2. Have you received any awards or special recognitions you would like the review committee to know about? Please list and describe.

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3. Please list any other special affiliations or interests that you would like the review committee to know about.

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