

JOHN LOCKE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Given by Kankakee Elks Lodge #627

This Scholarship program is for high school seniors in Kankakee County

Applicants must plan to attend a 4-year college or university, a 2-year junior college or a technical school. They must have at least a B average and must have lettered in a varsity sport. The application must be returned to the guidance office by March 13, 2015.

You may print or type this application

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name _____
(last) (first) (middle)

Address _____ Email _____

City _____ Home phone _____

State _____ Zip _____ Cell _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Age _____ Sex _____

Parents' Names _____

(To be completed by counselor) School _____

Class Rank _____ GPA _____ ACT Score _____ SAT Score _____

Your College Plans

State your plans for enrollment, in 50 words or less, in a 4-year college or university, a 2-year community college or a technical school. Include your planned major.

Community Service

List volunteer work or community service you performed without pay from August 1 through December 31. Please list total hours worked, not average hours per week.

Hours of Service Dates of Participation Type of Work Name of Agency

_____ (Grand Total Hours of Service)

Honors and Awards

Include athletics, scholastic and civic honors and awards during grades 11 and 12. State nature of award and grade won: i.e. all-state basketball, 12.

1. _____	6. _____
2. _____	7. _____
3. _____	8. _____
4. _____	9. _____
5. _____	10. _____

Positions of Leadership

State name of organization, position and grade position was held for grades 11 and 12, starting with most recent: i.e. Key Club, President, 12; Football Team, Captain, 12.

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| 1. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 6. _____ |

Varsity Letter Winner

List the sport(s) in which you won a varsity letter and the year of the award: i.e. basketball, 10, 11 and 12.

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| 1. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 4. _____ |

Applicant Essay

You must prepare an essay of 350 words or less stating: the role your leadership has played in high school accomplishments, determining career aspirations, achieving these life goals and preparing for education after high school.

Exhibits

Attach copies of exhibits of achievement in scholarship, leadership, athletics, community service, or other activities, but avoid repetition. Examples of exhibits include newspaper articles featuring the applicant or letters of commendation.

Letters of Recommendation

•Include one letter of recommendation from a high school varsity sport coach. The letter may cover your ability, work habits, leadership, personality, and integrity.

•Include one letter of recommendation from a responsible community member who is not from your high school. The person should not be related to you. The letter may cover your participation in the community in terms of work service, leadership skills, and outstanding recognition.

Letters may be originals or photocopies and must be limited to one side of a single sheet (8.5-by-11-inch) of paper, typed, dated and signed by the author.

Attach the following to the application:

- (a) Applicant Essay
- (b) An official transcript
- (c) Letters of recommendation
- (d) Exhibits

Signature of Applicant: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date: _____

RETURN TO YOUR HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE OFFICE BY MARCH 13

This is a 1-year \$1000 scholarship to be awarded at the beginning of the second semester upon our receipt of an official transcript of the successful completion (at least a grade point average of 2 on a 4 point system) of the first semester at a college, university, community college or technical school.