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## **BELLBROOK LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES**

1. Description of Scholarship
  - a. Two (2) Scholarships awarded per year.
  - b. Scholarship is defined as a money donation of \$1000/year for two consecutive years for a total of \$2000.
  - c. First year award payable only to the University or Technical College (two [2] or four [4] year - Accredited) with proof of full time student enrollment. Second year award paid upon proof of continued enrollment and successful completion of first year studies (minimum 2.5/4.0 GPA).
2. Recipients of Scholarship
  - a. Applicant must reside in the Sugarcreek Local School District.
  - b. Applicant must have minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5/4.0 in an accredited public/private High School and must have passed the required State Proficiency Tests. Must graduate with a diploma - current year.
  - c. Applicant must exhibit financial need.
  - d. Student is ineligible if he/she anticipates receiving or has received a full Scholarship.
3. Annual Selection Committee
  - a. Current Bellbrook Lions Club Scholarship Committee
4. Criteria for Selection of Recipients
  - a. Scholarship: Minimum GPA 2.5/4.0
  - b. Previous and current Community/School Service

- c. Previous and current work experience
- d. ***Personal Statement - Why should the Bellbrook Lions choose you?***

5. Selection Process

- a. Applicants must apply using the common application for local scholarships available in March at the Bellbrook High School Guidance Office.
- b. The Selection Committee shall be responsible for selecting the scholarship recipients based on BLC criteria and the common application.
- c. The names of each recipient shall be announced at the annual high school awards assembly.

6. Conditions

- a. A student who drops out of the College or fails to maintain at least a cumulative 2.5/4.0 GPA average, shall forfeit 2nd year payment.
- b. The student must maintain full time status.
- c. The recipient and the parent/guardian shall sign a letter of Acceptance of the Scholarship and agree to the conditions of the Scholarship.

BLC Scholarship Committee  
Approved by BLC Board of Directors - 01/29/02

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