



Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce

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The ATHENA/Woman of the Year Scholarship was established in 2013 to award a one-time (non-renewable) \$1,000 scholarship to a deserving female high school senior who has demonstrated community involvement, academic achievement, and leadership.

Female graduating seniors residing in Alliance City, Marlinton Local, West Branch Local or Sebring School districts are eligible to apply. **St. Thomas seniors may apply if they reside within those school districts.**

The applicant must have a minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA and be accepted at a recognized institution of learning offering a post-high school curriculum.

The scholarship will be awarded at the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner and announced at her respective school's Senior Awards Program.

Return the application and all attachments to the **Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce, 210 E Main Street, Alliance, Ohio 44601 no later than January 31.**

I fully understand that in accepting this scholarship, it is my intention to continue my education at a recognized institution offering a post-secondary curriculum. The money will be disbursed to that institution by the Greater Alliance Foundation in accordance with the Charitable Fund Agreement between said foundation and the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce, only upon formal acceptance and enrollment in chosen school. I also give permission for my high school transcripts/pertinent information to be released to the scholarship committee.

Date: _____ Applicant's Signature _____

Date: _____ Parent/Guardian Signature _____



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ATHENA/WOMAN OF THE YEAR

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICATION DUE DATE: JANUARY 31

NAME OF APPLICANT _____

ADDRESS/PHONE _____

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN _____

CLASS RANK _____ OUT OF _____ CUMULATIVE GPA _____

INTENDED COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY _____

INTENDED MAJOR _____ EMAIL _____

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

1. Transcripts
2. Two (2) letters of recommendation from teachers.
3. One (1) letter of recommendation from an adult who is NOT affiliated with your school & NOT related to you (examples: church, neighbor, employer.)
4. List significant high school and community service activities, leadership and honor recognitions (do not list classes taken.)
5. 400-500 word Essay: Describe an experience that impacted your life and made a difference to others, using examples of your leadership, community involvement and academic/career goals.

Omitting any of the required attachments will make your application ineligible.

**Return the application and all attachments to the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce,
210 E. Main Street, Alliance, OH 44601 by JANUARY 31.**