**East Lake Neighborhood Community Association**

**East Lake Community Scholarship 2023**

***Purpose:*** To provide a one-time college scholarship to two (2) eligible seniors currently residing in the East Lake Community.

***Award:*** Two (2) total non-renewable scholarships of $500 each will be awarded to two (2) separate individuals selected by a committee of East Lake residents to be used towards any post-secondary learning opportunity.

***Eligibility:***

Applicant must be a resident of the East Lake Community.

1. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA (unweighted).
2. Applicant must demonstrate involvement within the school and community.
3. Applicant must be graduating from high school in spring/summer of 2023.
4. Applicant must show proof of enrollment from the post-secondary institution they intend to enroll at in **Fall 2023**.
5. Applicant must submit ALL completed materials by the deadline **(Friday, May 26th, 2023).**

***Application: Please submit the following documents in a sealed envelope.***

1. Scholarship application
2. Scholarship essay
3. Two (2) letters of recommendation
4. High School transcript
5. Proof of enrollment to the institution being attended

**ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** Essays and recommendation letters **must be typed**, double-spaced, in 12-point Times New Roman or an equivalent font, with numbered pages and one-inch margins.

***ESSAY CRITERIA:***

***In 500-700 words, write an essay responding to the following topic: Describe how your family and the community in which you grew up have impacted your desire and motivation to obtain a college degree. Additionally, be sure to include what you intend to accomplish with your degree and how you will give back to your community.***

Please submit the completed application and materials in a sealed envelope to:

ELNCA

Attn: Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 170125

Atlanta, GA 30317

Applications should be postmarked by no later than **Friday, May 26th, 2023.** (Late applications will not be considered.)

Any questions may be sent to Jeff Philliber at jeffphilliber14@gmail.com.

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**ELNCA Scholarship Application 2023**

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| **All sections of this application must be completed.** | | |
| Student First Name:  Student Last Name: | | Parent First Name:  Parent Last Name: |
| Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  High School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | Male: \_\_\_\_\_ Female: \_\_\_\_\_ |
| Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  GPA: Weighted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |  |
| Mailing Address: Street: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  City: State: ZIP: | | |
| Daytime Telephone Number: ( ) | | |
| Email Address: | | |
| Date of Birth: Month Day Year | | |
| Name of post-secondary schoolattending in the Fall of 2023: |  | |

**CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES**

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| **Club/Activity Name** | **Year(s) involved** *(Fr., Soph., Jr., Sr.)* |
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| A. The following items must be attached to this application form in order to establish your eligibility and to be reviewed by the scholarship committee.  **B. Circle “YES” or “NO” to confirm you have attached each item as required.** | | |
| YES | NO | **Scholarship Application Form completed in its entirety**  *(incomplete applications will not be considered)* |
| YES | NO | **Two (2) Letters of Recommendation.** Letters should be written and signed by persons with significant knowledge of applicant’s academic or extra-curricular achievements. |
| YES | NO | **Completed and Typed** Essay |
| YES | NO | **High School Transcript** |
| YES | NO | Proof of enrollment to a post-secondary institution in the Fall of 2022. |

### STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby understand that if I am chosen as a scholarship winner the money would be used to cover my expenses related to attending the post-secondary school of my choice.

Signature of scholarship applicant’s parent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of scholarship applicant: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_