

Scholarship Applicants

Scotland has a rich heritage of literature, music, art, dance, and even story telling. It is essential that the many forms of our Scottish culture be encouraged and preserved for the ultimate enjoyment and sense of history of those who come after us. To assist in this, the Saint Andrew's Society of Tidewater has established a Scholarship Fund, and periodically awards grants to worthy individuals. We encourage research, education and the dissemination of information concerning the history of Scots and their tradition and culture; to perpetuate Scottish traditions and culture.

Scholarship applications are sought primarily from candidates living in the Greater Hampton Roads area of Virginia and North Carolina who are interested in pursuing studies in Scottish history, culture and/or traditions.

Applicants must complete this form, and attach an essay of about 500 words stating how the knowledge gained will help to perpetuate, promote, and foster Scottish culture and customs in the Greater Hampton Roads area.

As examples, the grant may be used for instruction in history, piping, drumming, Clarsach (harp), Highland dance, Gaelic language instruction, or other authentic Scottish-related course of study taught by a qualified teacher. Therefore, it is important that the instructor or school be noted.

Saint Andrew's

Society

Of

Tidewater



**SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**



The Saint Andrew's Society of Tidewater is organized to provide assistance to those of Scottish heritage in the community; to encourage and promote the study of the history, traditions and culture of Scotland, and of the influence of immigrant

Scots in the development of the United States; to promote, foster, undertake and encourage research, education and the dissemination of information concerning the history of Scots and their tradition and culture; to perpetuate Scottish traditions and culture; and to promote member activities.

To further these goals, the Society has established a Scholarship Fund. Scholarships are awarded periodically to individuals seeking to further their knowledge in areas related to Scottish traditions and culture. We particularly encourage young people of Scottish birth or ancestry to apply for a scholarship to pursue studies relating to Scottish culture or history. Scholarship awards, however, are not limited to young people or to those of Scottish birth or ancestry.

Scholarship applications are sought from candidates living in the Hampton Roads area of Virginia who are interested in pursuing studies in Scottish history, culture and/or traditions. Determination of the recipient(s) will be made by a board of judges comprised of Saint Andrew's Society members.

The scholarship(s) must be used within twelve months. The winner(s) will agree to address a meeting of the Saint Andrew's Society of Tidewater upon completion of the grant work and give details of how the money was used and how the community will benefit.

NAME

HOME ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

BIRTH DATE

HOME TELEPHONE

NAME AND LOCATION OF SCHOOL YOU ATTEND

SCHOOL GRADE

ARE YOU OR YOUR PARENTS MEMBERS OF ANY SCOTTISH SOCIETIES?

IF SO PLEASE NAME THEM

DO YOU HAVE ANY SCOTTISH ANCESTRY?

IF YOU ARE AWARDED A SCHOLARSHIP, WHICH COURSE OF STUDY WILL YOU CHOOSE?

PLEASE ATTACH AN ESSAY OF ABOUT 500 WORDS STATING HOW YOU PLAN TO USE THE KNOWLEDGE GAINED FROM YOUR STUDIES TO HELP YOU PERPETUATE SCOTTISH CULTURE AND CUSTOMS IN THE HAMPTON ROADS AREA.

SIGNATURES

APPLICANT

DATE

PARENT OR GUARDIAN

DATE

PLEASE MAIL THE COMPLETED FORM TO:

SAINT ANDREW'S SOCIETY OF TIDEWATER
1125 NEWMARKET DRIVE
VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23464-5707