

2017 PALATINE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

*Due March 24, 2017*

**Part I: Personal Information: *Please print clearly or type response***

Applicant's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part II: Academic Standing**

Please submit a copy, or an official, transcript with this application. *The transcript must show courses and grades through your seventh semester of high school.*

What is your unweighted GPA? \_\_\_\_\_ What is your weighted GPA? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Part III: Letters of Recommendation:**

Please include two (2) letters of recommendation with this application. One letter must be from a faculty member at the high school attended by the applicant. The second letter must be a personal recommendation from an adult other than a family member and must include contact information.

### **Part IV: Goals and Intentions**

Please type your response to this section on a separate paper and label it “Part IV: Goals and Intentions”. Use a font of 12 and double-space the print. Response should not exceed one typed page.

Please explain your post secondary education goals and how you will use the scholarship to attain your goals. Be specific. What program/school will you be attending? What do you hope to accomplish? Are there any circumstances (family, financial, etc.) that make your situation unique?

### **Part V: Extracurricular and Community Activities and Employment**

Please type your response to each part of this section on a separate paper and label it “Part V: Extracurricular & Community Activities and Employment”. Use a font of 12 and double-space the print.

1. **Extracurricular:** Please list all school-related organizations in which you participated, and the year(s) you were a member. Make note of any positions of leadership or honors you received. If any of these organizations did community service work, please list the service and the years in which it was done in this section of the application.
2. **Community:** Please list all community organizations in which you participated during the last four years which were not part of the school-related activities mention in the previous section. Include any volunteer work you did and specify the organization and year(s) of service. Make note of any positions of leadership or honors you received.
3. **Employment:** Please list any work-related experience you have had. For each employer, please give the place of employment, the approximate dates of employment, and the approximate hours worked per week.

## **Part VI: Essay**

Please type your response to this section on a separate paper and label it “Part VI: Essay. Your response should be at least one page in length, but should not exceed three typed pages. Use a font of 12 and double-space the print.

### **Essay Prompt**

Palatine celebrated its 150 Anniversary last year. Many things have changed over the years, and many things have remained almost the same. What will Palatine be like 150 years from now?

**Applications must be postmarked by March 24, 2017**

**Please make sure that all required documents are contained within one envelope/package and are submitted to:**

**Palatine Historical Society  
P.O. Box 134  
Palatine, IL 60078-0134  
Attention: Scholarship Committee**

If you are a Home-Educated student, or need additional information, please contact the Palatine Historical Society at 847.991.6460. Ask to speak with a member of the Scholarship Committee.