

CHUGIAK-EAGLE RIVER FOUNDATION, INC
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BRIGGS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

HISTORY OF THE BRIGGS FAMILY:

In the Spring of 1943, Glenn & Mary Lou Briggs purchased 160 acres from homesteader Jack Cobol and began the first farming operation in the Chugiak-Eagle River area. The Briggs's raised hogs and potatoes to supply the nearby military bases.

As the community grew and farming became unprofitable, Glenn Briggs helped develop the first mall area in the community of Eagle River. The original homestead has been developed into subdivisions in the Meadow Creek area.

HISTORY OF SCHOLARSHIP:

The Briggs's had a long affiliation with Chugiak High School and its graduates. During the early 1970's, the Briggs family provided financial assistance to Chugiak graduates who, without their assistance, would not have had an opportunity to earn a college education. The only request attached to the "scholarship" was a Christmas card report on their progress and achievements. The intent of this scholarship is to provide assistance where there is a financial need.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:

The maximum amount of a scholarship is fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
RULES OF ELIGIBILITY

- A. Be a resident of Chugiak-Eagle River. Chugiak-Eagle River Foundation Board members or their dependents may not apply.
- B. Applicants may be graduating seniors from an Alaskan secondary school, or be attending or planning to attend a college or vocational school.
- C. Have a Letter of Acceptance from their intended accredited institution. Students already attending college or vocational school must have a transcript demonstrating a 2.5 or above GPA. Awards are for students who will attend on a full-time basis an accredited college or vocational school AND be enrolled in a course of study which leads to a degree or certificate.
- D. Enclose a copy of the parent's AND student's most current federal tax return. Parent's tax returns are not required if the student is emancipated.
- E. Demonstrate a need for financial assistance.
- F. Applications and supportive documentation plus 3 copies MUST be hand delivered **no later than April 15th**, to the:

Chugiak/Eagle River Chamber of Commerce office
11401 Old Glenn Highway
Eagle River, AK 99577
907-694-4702 Phone
907-694-1205 Fax

CHECKLIST

- ❑ 1. Transcripts from high school and/or college, trade or vocational technical school (up-to-date, unofficial transcripts may be submitted with this application).
- ❑ 2. Personal data narrative, not to exceed two double-spaced pages, which includes:
 - a. Personal history,
 - b. Description of your career goals and how you plan to achieve them,
 - c. How you plan to contribute to the betterment of your community upon completion of your education.
- ❑ 3. List by year for the last four years, your activities in:
 - a. Employment/internship
 - b. Community service
 - c. Extracurricular activities
- ❑ 4. A complete application will include one letter of character reference (written on Jan. 1 or later):
- ❑ 5. Statement of Financial Plan (page 3).
- ❑ 6. Most recent tax returns.
- ❑ 7. Letter of acceptance.
- ❑ 8. Proof of residency.

Please Print or Type

Name (last, first, middle) _____

Mailing Address:

Home phone () _____ Message phone () _____

Parent's/Guardian's name _____

Parent's/Guardian's address _____

School presently attending _____

Name of college or vocational school _____

College/school address _____

Statement of Financial Plan
(for current Academic/Program Year)

This Financial Plan is intended to demonstrate your understanding of the financial resources required to complete your educational program.

SOURCES OF ESTIMATED FUNDS:

Savings - - - - -	_____
Summer job/work income - - - - -	_____
Parents/guardians - - - - -	_____
Other Scholarships applied for - - - - -	_____
Other scholarships - - - - -	_____
Grants/loans requested - - - - -	_____
Other sources - - - - -	_____

TOTAL: - - - - - _____

USES OF FUNDS:

Tuition - - - - -	_____
Books/fees - - - - -	_____
Room & board - - - - -	_____
Personal expenses- - - - -	_____
Travel - - - - -	_____
Child care - - - - -	_____

TOTAL: - - - - - _____

The Committee will select the scholarship recipients based on:

- A. Financial need as supported by the application, and
- B. The merits of completed applications which must include: a transcript, a two-page narrative, an activities list, a letter of reference, and a financial plan.

Finalists may be interviewed by the Committee.

Scholarships awarded to high school students will be announced at high school commencement ceremonies or senior award nights.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that all answers to the preceding questions are true and correct. I understand that any false answers or deliberate omissions on this application may be grounds for rejection of this application and withdrawal of any award granted.

Applicant's Signature

Applicant's Printed Name

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date

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