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Attachments: 2015 Thornton SchlrsHpApp.pdf; 2015 Thornton LeaderRcmndtn.pdf; 2015 Scholarship Info.pdf

All

For this years HS Seniors and college students as appropriate.

Thanks
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Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2015 12:30 PM
Subject: The 2015-16 Thornton Memorial Scholarship Applications are now available!!!

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Application forms are attached to this email

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

The Joseph Earl & Jessie Martha Thornton Memorial Scholarship was founded in 2008 by the Estate of Jesse Thornton in memory of Jesse's parents.

Jesse is the late Committee Chairman of Boy Scout Troop 56 in Beavercreek. He was a dedicated Scouter and believed that the lessons learned in Scouting benefit you and those around you for your entire life. Jesse's purpose for this scholarship was to not only memorialize his parents, but to recognize and reward young men and women in the City of Beavercreek who have shown through their commitment of time and actions that they are dedicated to the ideals of the Boy Scouts of America.

WHO SHOULD APPLY

The Scholarship is open to all members (male and female) of BSA Units (Troops and Crews) **in the City of Beavercreek** who are a registered and active member of their Troop/Crew and who are either a:

1) Graduating senior of the class of 2015

OR:

2) Previous high school graduate, but still under the age of 21 as of October 1, 2015

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH INDIVIDUAL UNIT'S LEADERSHIP TEAM TO DISTRIBUTE THE APPLICATION PACKET (IN A TIMELY MANNER) TO ALL ELIGIBLE SCOUTS/SCOUTERS IN THEIR UNITS

Please be mindful of the time necessary for your Scouts/Scouters to fill out the forms and gather all the required paperwork in order to submit their application by the deadline. Detailed eligibility requirements and a complete list of required documentation are outlined on the first two pages of the application.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS

The complete scholarship application and all required attachments must be postmarked no later than Friday, April 3, 2015 or be received in-person at the Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving office by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 3RD.

HOW THE APPLICATIONS ARE JUDGED

Multiple Scholarships may be awarded each year. The Scholarships are awarded based primarily on continuous and current Scouting activity, dedication and spirit. Extracurricular activities, grades and financial need may or may not be used as determining factors. All decisions and rulings by the Scholarship Advisory Committee are final.

Feel free to contact me if you, your Scouts/Scouters, or Scout/Scouter parents have any questions regarding the application or review process. I would also be glad to meet with your Troop/Crew Committee to discuss the scholarship.

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Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving

Joseph E. & Jessie M. Thornton Memorial Scholarship

Application for the 2015-2016 School Year

Applicant Name _____ Unit # _____

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Date _____
(If applicant is under 18 years of age)

Unit Leader Signature _____ Date _____
(Scoutmaster, Asst. Scoutmaster, Committee Chairman or Crew Advisor – must be unrelated to applicant)

Scholarship Details & Eligibility Requirements:

- Scholarship(s) for a one year period, with the potential for a second one year period, are available to be awarded to eligible individual(s) currently active in Boy Scouts of America (including Crew members) in Beavercreek, OH Units.
- The applicant must be a registered and currently active member of a Beavercreek Troop or Crew and be either:
 - 1) a graduating senior of the class of 2015, OR:
 - 2) a previous high school graduate, but still under the age of 21 as of October 1, 2015.
- The scholarship may be used at any college, university, junior college and/or community college of the successful applicant's choosing.
- The scholarship amount will be determined by the Scholarship Committee and may be used for tuition only. The scholarship will be paid directly to the recipient's educational institution of choice, and any unused portion of the scholarship will be returned to Greene Giving.
- A successful scholarship recipient must continue to meet all eligibility requirements and re-apply to receive the second-year award.
- Applicants that do not receive a scholarship may re-apply each year as long as they continue to meet all application requirements.
- All decisions and rulings by the Scholarship Committee are final.

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Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving
Attention: Thornton Memorial Scholarship
941 West Second Street
Xenia, OH 45385

**Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving
Joseph E. & Jessie M. Thornton Memorial Scholarship**

The following information must be submitted for the application to be accepted. Failure to provide all of this required information will disqualify the application.

- ☐ **Completed Application** (this 4 page document)
- ☐ **Essay** – 100 to 150 words
- ☐ **Completed Unit Leader Recommendation Sheet:** To be filled out by Scoutmaster, Asst. Scoutmaster, Committee Chairman or Crew Advisor – must be unrelated to applicant. The Unit Leader Recommendation Sheet may be submitted along with the application or mailed directly to Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving by the Unit Leader.
- ☐ **Boy Scouts:** TroopMaster printouts provided by Scoutmaster or Unit Advancement Chair. If Troopmaster is not used by the Troop, the information may be provided in written or spreadsheet form. The following information must be included:
 - ☐ **Individual History:** (Troopmaster → Reports → Awards/Advancement → Individual History) Include all rank advancement details/dates, merit badges earned, partial merit badges, special awards starting at the date the Scout/Scouter joined the Troop.
 - ☐ **Unit Participation Record:** (Troopmaster → Reports → Activities → Individual Participation) Include all dates, levels, types, amount, locations and remarks for attendance at all Troop activities starting at the date the Scout/Scouter joined the Troop.
 - ☐ **Service Hours:** Provide complete list of service projects, dates, locations and hours starting at the date the Scout/Scouter joined the Troop.
- ☐ **Crew Members:** The following information must be provided by the Crew Advisor or Advancement Chair in text document or spreadsheet form:
Rank advancement details/dates; Special awards; Dates, levels, types, hours, locations and remarks for attendance at all Crew activities; Complete list of service projects, dates, locations and hours. All information should start at the date the Scout/Scouter joined the Crew.
- ☐ **Official High School Transcript(s) or Official College Transcript(s):**
Official, sealed transcript(s) may be submitted along with the application or mailed directly to Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving by the respective institution(s). If mailed by the respective institution(s), it is the Scout's/Scouter's responsibility to follow-up with the school to ensure the transcript is submitted by the deadline. Failure to receive a transcript by the deadline will automatically disqualify the application.

Applicant Name _____
 Last First Middle Initial
 Address _____
 Street City State Zip
 Home Phone _____ Date of Birth _____
 Cell Phone _____ High School Graduation Year _____
 Email Address _____
 Unit: Troop # _____ Crew # _____ Years in Scouting (total) _____
 Current Scout Rank _____ Date of Rank _____

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Joseph E. & Jessie M. Thornton Memorial Scholarship**

Name _____
Last First Middle

Co-Curricular / Extracurricular Activities & Employment History

If you are currently a high school senior, list your activities for the last four years.

If you have already graduated high school or are a current college student, list your activities for the last two years.

Use the back of this form, or an additional sheet of paper, if you need more space.

Activity / Place of Employment	Number of Years Involved or Worked	Position Held

Additional comments: _____

Use the back of this form, or an additional sheet of paper, if you need more space.

**Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving
Joseph E. & Jessie M. Thornton Memorial Scholarship**

Name _____
Last First Middle

Schools Applied to for the 2015-2016 school year:

Use the back of this form, or an additional sheet of paper, if you need more space.

School Name, Type of School and Address			
Estimated Annual Tuition			
Have you been accepted? (yes, no, unknown)			
Intended Major or Course of Study			

**Names and dollar amounts of any grants and/or scholarships or other forms of
tuition assistance awarded to you:**

Use the back of this form, or an additional sheet of paper, if you need more space.

Essay – Use a separate sheet of paper and answer in 100-150 words:

“What part of the Boy Scout Promise/Law is the most important to you, and why?”

How did you hear about this scholarship? _____



Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving
Joseph E. & Jessie M. Thornton Memorial Scholarship
2015-2016 Application – Unit Leader Recommendation Sheet

This Unit Leader Recommendation Sheet may be submitted along with the application or mailed directly to
Greene County Community Foundation / Greene Giving by the Unit Leader.

Applicant Name _____ Date _____

Unit Leader (Scoutmaster, Asst. Scoutmaster, Com Chair or Crew Advsr. – must be unrelated to applicant) _____ Unit Number _____

Unit Leader's Phone Number _____ Unit Leader's Email Address _____

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law. Select four of the items in the Scout Law and briefly describe how the applicant has demonstrated them during their time in your Unit.

Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, Reverent

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

The applicant has been a registered and "active" member of our Unit since: _____ How has the applicant demonstrated being an "active Scout/Scouter" in your Unit?

Is there any other information or specific circumstances relating to this Scout/Scouter that you feel should be taken into consideration in the awarding of this scholarship? ☐ No ☐ Yes If yes, use the back of this form to explain.

I ☐ DO ☐ DO NOT recommend this Scout/Scouter to be the recipient of this scholarship:

Signature (Scoutmaster, Asst. Scoutmaster, Com Chair or Crew Advsr. – must be unrelated to applicant) _____ Date _____

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