



Chamber of Commerce MOUNTAIN VIEW

19th Annual
Chamber of Commerce Mountain View

CRLP/Pass the Torch SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2010

PURPOSE: The purpose of this scholarship award is to encourage, recognize and assist Foothill students who are current participants or graduates of the Career Life Planning course(s) or the Pass the Torch Program.

AWARD: The scholarship award of \$1,500.00 will be presented to the winner upon proof of enrollment in a college, university, community college or school for vocational training.

Please type or print clearly.

Application Deadline: Wednesday, April 9th, 2010

Documents: Scholarship Application
Two Letters of Recommendations
Academic Transcripts, official or unofficial
Verification of registration for Winter 2009 and Spring 2010 if applicable

Application Criteria:

Career Focus will be the overall criterion.

- I. Prerequisites** – Applicant must be enrolled in or a graduate of the Career Life Planning (CRLP) course(s) or the Pass the Torch Program.
- II. Scholastic Performance** – Applicant has a minimum 2.5 GPA.
- III. Special Interests** – Applicant has participated in projects and activities outside the realm of work and formal education.
- IV. Goals and Objectives** – Applicant has set goals and objectives focused on a career path.
- V. Financial Need** – While not a major factor, financial need may be considered if applicants are equal in other areas.
- VI. Recommendations** – Two letters of Recommendation must be submitted.

All Completed Applications Are To Be Mailed To:

Chamber of Commerce Mountain View
Attn: CRLP/Pass the Torch Scholarship
580 Castro Street
Mountain View, CA 94041

Please type or print clearly.

PERSONAL DATA:

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

TELEPHONE (HOME) _____ (WORK) _____

I. SCHOLASTIC PERFORMANCE: (Please send a copy of your transcript.)

NAME OF COLLEGE NOW ATTENDING _____

LIST CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT AT OTHER COLLEGES: _____

CURRENT GPA _____ CUMULATIVE GPA _____

WHEN DID YOU PARTICIPATE IN CPEP, CAREER LIFE PLANNING COURSE(S), OR PASS THE TORCH?

II. GOALS AND OBJECTIVES (250 words or less)

What are your career goals? How and why are you pursuing these goals?

III. SPECIAL INTERESTS (250 words or less)

Describe extracurricular school or community activities in which you have been involved. Include student government, sports, clubs, church activities, volunteer work, service activities, family, etc.

IV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (500 words or less)

a) Of what specific value was the Career Life Planning course(s) or the Pass the Torch Program?

b) Describe your unique personal or professional attributes that would assist the selection committee in making a positive decision regarding this application.

V. HOW WOULD THIS SCHOLARSHIP HELP YOU ACHIEVE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND CAREER GOALS? (250 words or less)

VI. RECOMMENDATIONS:

Please provide with this application two letters of recommendation – one letter from a business or community associate and one from an educator.

AGREEMENT:

I understand that all applications and supporting information, including publicity, become the property of the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MOUNTAIN VIEW, who shall have discretionary authority in all matters pertaining to this application and the awards. I authorize publicity and use of my name and photographs.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____
OF APPLICANT _____

The completed application and all letters of recommendation **MUST BE DELIVERED** to the **CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MOUNTAIN VIEW BY Wednesday April 9th 2010**. Winner will be notified by phone by April 14, 2010. Announcement of the winner will be made at the Chamber of Commerce Mountain View Big Wig Lunch luncheon on Tuesday, May 11, 2010. For more information contact David Stevens at 650.968.8378.

Return completed form to:

Chamber of Commerce Mountain View
Attn: CRLP/Pass the Torch SCHOLARSHIP
580 Castro Street
Mountain View, CA 94041
Phone: 650.968.8378 Fax: 650.968.5668
Office Hours: M-F, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Please check all boxes to ensure a completed application has been submitted:

- Completed Application
- Transcripts requested & received by 4/9/2010
- 2 Letters of Recommendation requested & received by 4/9/2010