

APPLICATION
BARBARA AND FRANCIS VEIT
YOUNG CATHOLIC SCHOLAR
INCENTIVE AWARD

NASSAU CHAPTER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Applicant Name: (Student) _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Graduate of High School: _____ Location: _____ Year: _____

I will be attending _____ College/University as a freshman
for the fall semester of the 2018 academic year. *

___ I am a member of _____ Council No. _____

___ I am the son or daughter of _____ a member or deceased member in

good standing of _____ Council No. ___ or

_____ Columbiettes Auxiliary of Council No. _____.

___ I am a Squire, Circle No. _____ or a Squirette of _____ Columbiettes Auxiliary.

Certification of membership in Good Standing:

Financial Secretary: _____ Council No. _____ Date _____

I fully understand the requirements of the *BARBARA AND FRANCIS VEIT YOUNG CATHOLIC SCHOLAR INCENTIVE AWARD* and will abide by them. Submitted essays shall become the property of the Nassau Chapter of the Knights of Columbus.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature (If applicant is not 18 years of age) _____ Date: _____

SUBMISSION DEADLINE : MAY 14, 2019

Send essay, copy of College/University acceptance document and application to:

Austin E. Cannon, PGK, FM
105 Haff Avenue
North Bellmore, NY 11710

* Copy of College/University acceptance document required.

**NASSAU CHAPTER
BARBARA AND FRANCIS VEIT
YOUNG CATHOLIC SCHOLAR INCENTIVE AWARD**

PURPOSE: To provide Financial Assistance to a member or dependent child of a member in good standing of the Nassau Chapter for the purpose of furthering his or her post High School Education.

The *YOUNG CATHOLIC SCHOLAR INCENTIVE AWARD* of \$ 2,000.00 will be awarded annually in June on the basis of a one thousand word themed essay submitted by the applicants to the Nassau Chapter, Knights of Columbus by May 15th of each year. The theme of the essay shall be determined by the Nassau Chapter on an annual basis and deal with a topic relevant to Catholic religious, moral and social teachings.

Determination will be based on adherence to religious, moral and social teachings as defined by the Roman Catholic Church. Recognized grammar and writing standards will be considered.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicant must be a member in good standing or a child or legal ward of a member in good standing of the Knights of Columbus or Columbiettes, whose council is a member of the Nassau Chapter. A Squire or Squirette, whose organization is sponsored by a council of the Nassau Chapter, may also apply. Children of deceased members who were in good standing are also eligible.

2. An entering freshman of an undergraduate program leading to a bachelor's degree at a college or university in the United States. Proof of registration will be required.

FILING:

1. Essays will be submitted to the Nassau Chapter no later than May 15th of each year.

2. The essay shall be accompanied by an application containing the name and address of the applicant, name of the school to be attended and verification by the Financial Secretary of the appropriate Knights of Columbus council of the applicant's membership eligibility.

2018 ESSAY THEME:

"What are the challenges facing me as a Catholic student as I enter my freshman year in college and how can I face these challenges in a moral and faith filled manner?"

The winning essay will be selected by a committee of three judges selected by the Nassau Chapter, Knights of Columbus, who are versed in Catholic religious, moral and social teachings. The decision of the judges will be final.

The *SCHOLAR INCENTIVE AWARD* shall be payable in two equal payments:

Payment # 1 A payment shall be sent to the selected *SCHOLAR* upon presentation of a copy of the official school registration document for the first semester.

Payment # 2 Payment shall be sent to the selected *SCHOLAR* upon presentation of a copy of the official school registration document for the second semester.

All essays with completed application and registration document should be mailed to the Young Catholic Scholar Chairman. Applications are available from the Grand Knight, Young Catholic Scholar Chairman and the Nassau Chapter website, www.nassauchapterkofc.org.

FILING DEADLINE: May 15, 2018

Mail essay and supporting documents to:
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516 221-7186