



## The Ormond Beach Chamber of Commerce

### Rob Ridder Scholarship Application Form – 2020

**NEW DEADLINE FOR 2020 IS APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup>**

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

Prospective applicants must be senior at one of the high schools located in Volusia County, and be the student of a parent (or legal guardian) that is a member of the Ormond Beach Chamber of Commerce. Additional criteria to be considered include community service, demonstrated leadership in school and community activities, character, integrity, initiative and other personal qualities, and financial need. Finalists will be required to participate in an interview in front of the selection committee. In addition, the following documentation **must be attached** to this application form:

1. High school transcript, including the applicant's class rank and SAT/ACT scores.
2. One letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor at the student's current school.
3. Two letters of recommendation from people or organizations closely familiar with the applicant's community service, leadership activities or charity work. Writers must neither be related to the applicant nor staff members of the applicant's school.
4. Personal statement – in a one page letter, please write about your life, challenges, successes and obstacles you have overcome to get where you are today. Give us your life story so that we may be able to get to know you better!
5. Resume

#### **STUDENT/APPLICANT INFORMATION:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of parent/guardian business or place of employment:  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

Counselor's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of part time work, organizations, societies, clubs, and any other activities in which you have been active during the past four years (you can attach separate document if needed): \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Honors and special recognitions:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Colleges you have applied to: \_\_\_\_\_

Which college is your first choice? Why? \_\_\_\_\_  
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Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe your goals, aspirations and what separates you from the rest of your class: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Estimated Yearly College Expenses:**

Annual Tuition \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Annual Room & Board \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Annual Books & Supplies \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Expenses** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Estimated Income from Grants/scholarships:**

Bright Futures \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Florida Pre-Paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Scholarships \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expected Family Contribution \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**TOTAL Grants/Scholarships** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**BALANCE STILL NEEDED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**AVAILABILITY FOR INTERVIEWS- UPDATED**

**Interviews will be scheduled the week after the deadline date of April 30<sup>th</sup>. All efforts will be made to select interview dates to accommodate the applicant and the committee and will most likely be done on Zoom.**

I swear and affirm that the information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I promise that, if selected, I will strive to meet or exceed

the stated requirements for the recipients of the Ormond Beach Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund.

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Applicant's Signature

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Date

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date