Don and Myrt Neiman Endowed Scholarship -- Instructions

Description of Scholarship
The Don and Myrt Neiman Endowed Scholarship was designed to provide recognition to a graduate student who is a current or former member of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Family who is or will pursue an advanced degree, preferably in journalism or music. Don Neiman was a long time member of the Glenside Kiwanis Club and a member of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation Board. The recipient of this scholarship shall be an upcoming or current graduate student that has demonstrated leadership abilities, provided service to others, achieved academic excellence, and does not qualify for other scholarships offered by the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation. In addition, the recipient shall be of high moral character and striving for excellence in all their endeavors. The scholarship amount is $3,000 for one year. The scholarship recipients will be notified in July 2020 by mail.

Qualifications
- Applicant must be accepted or enrolled in a graduate program in an accredited college or university.
- Applicant should have a grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicant must be or have been a member of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Family. This includes Kiwanis, Circle K, Key Club, Builders Club, or K-Kids.
- Applicant must live in Pennsylvania but does not need to attend school in Pennsylvania.
- Scholarship must be used during the 2020-2021 school year.

Application Procedures
All applications must be typed. Handwritten applications will not be accepted. All applicants must submit the following items:
- Completed application form.
- Two letters of recommendation that describe your leadership ability and service to others.
- A copy of an official school transcript with an explanation of grading system utilized. Official transcripts are preferred but unofficial transcripts will be accepted.

The application with all supporting documents must be scanned and e-mailed no later than April 13, 2020. Note: Late e-mailed documents or e-mails with not all files attached will not be considered.

- Please e-mail the complete application and attachments in one e-mail to the following e-mail address: scholarships@pkfonline.org.
- Add the e-mail subject line: “Neiman Scholarship – [Your Last Name]”

Selection Procedure
- All complete applications will be reviewed by the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation Scholarship Committee.
- This committee will choose the best applicant taking into consideration: service, leadership, citizenship, and academics as reflected in the application documents.

Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation Scholarship Award Policy
Students may apply for multiple scholarships. A student may only receive one scholarship from the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation per year. The amount and number of scholarships, selection of winners, and the payment thereof are determined solely by the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation. All application materials received by the Scholarship Committee of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation shall become its property and will not be returned. The decision of the committee is final.

Questions?
Please contact the Scholarship Chair Emily Reed at 717-502-7233 or scholarships@pkfonline.org.