## CHARLESTOWN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The Charlestown Chamber of Commerce annually awards (2) One thousand dollar (\$1000.00) scholarships to Senior Students. Applicants for this scholarship must meet the following requirements:

- 1. Year-round residency in the Chariho (Charlestown, Richmond, Hopkinton) area, with preference given to Charlestown residents.
- 2. Acceptance and attendance at an accredited school of higher education.
- 3. Demonstration of merit, financial need and community service.

Applications are available by contacting the Charlestown Chamber of Commerce:

Charlestown Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Committee
PO Box 633
Charlestown, Rhode Island 02813
Telephone: 364-3878 Fax: 364-8794

Applications must be postmarked by May 15, 2023
\*\* Enclosed is one application; please feel free to copy\*\*

## CHARLESTOWN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in the Charlestown Chamber of Commerce Scholarship.

**Please complete the application, in ink, with the attached documentation type-written**. Forward the completed application to: The Charlestown Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 633, Charlestown, Rhode Island 02813. Forms must be received no later than May 15, 2023.

Name:
Date of birth:
School Address:
Home Address:
Home phone number:
Institution to be attended in the fall of 2023 with class level (freshman, sophomore, etc.)
Current or Anticipated Field of Study:
School Activities:
Awards/Honors received:
Work experience:
Community Service:
Hobbies:
For High School Seniors Only: College Admission Composite Test Scores SAT ACT
NOTE: Please attach copies of all score reports per number two of the list of attachments.

Please fill out the application and attach the following documents.

- 1. Personal letter from applicant. Keep in mind that CCOC scholarships are awarded on the basis of several factors including scholastic excellence, financial need, community service as well as post-graduate plans. In preparing your personal letter, consider how you can most effectively convey your best qualities.
- Current transcript from institution now attending and transcripts from all other postsecondary schools attended. If you have not yet attended such an institution or have not completed one year of study, send high school transcript. Attach all score reports.
- Family Data: include parent's occupation, estimated family income, and number of siblings (Are any in postsecondary school? If yes, list their name(s) and the name(s) of the school).
- 4. Financial Data: tuition, room & board at the school of your choice, sources of funding/income for your education, student loans, scholarships, parent's contribution, your contribution and any additional financial assistance received.
- 5. A one-page essay entitled, "Making a Difference." The essay should address either of the following topics:
  - a. How the applicant has made a difference in his/her school or community?
  - b. How the receipt of the scholarship will help make a difference in the applicant achieving his/her goals?