FORT BRAGG AREA OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB
2010 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (HIGH SCHOOL)

January 2010

Dear Applicant,

The Fort Bragg Area Officers' Spouses' Club (FBAOSC) will award scholarships to children of active duty or active duty reserve service members (Sponsor), or the child of a retired or deceased military officer or enlisted service member whose last duty station was Fort Bragg, and graduating from high school and attending their freshman year of college in the 2010-2011 academic year.

To be considered for the FBAOSC High School scholarship, you must meet the eligibility criteria as outlined in the FBAOSC Scholarship SOP. Applicants who do not meet the scholarship criteria will not be considered.

Mail your completed application "Return Receipt Requested" and postmarked no later than 15 March 2010. Applications should be mailed to:

FBAOSC Scholarship Chairperson
PO Box 70292
Fort Bragg, NC 28307

It is your responsibility to ensure that all items sent under separate cover, such as letters of recommendation, transcripts, or test scores are also postmarked by 15 March 2010. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

The Scholarship Committee will meet in April and all applicants will be notified of the results no later than 30 April 2010. Scholarship recipients will be recognized at a reception in May. The date of the reception will be communicated at the time of notification.

Scholarship monies are for the payment of tuition, fees and/or books, but not room and board. If the scholarship monies are not used for these fees before 1 October 2010, you may lose eligibility for a monetary award and the monies will be returned to the FBAOSC Scholarship Fund.

Please ensure that your application is accurate, complete, and legible and submitted by the deadline. The FBAOSC Scholarship Committee will not consider incomplete or late applications. Should you have any questions regarding this application, please email info@fbaosc.org and use the subject "Scholarship".

Best Regards,

FBAOSC Scholarship Chairperson

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Application Checklist

- ☐ 1. A completed application form
- ☐ 2. Official high school transcripts or proof of GED
- ☐ 3. Copies of SAT and/or ACT results
- ☐ 4. Proof of application to or acceptance from a post-secondary educational program leading to a degree
- ☐ 5. Typed essay on one of the topics provided, not to exceed 200 words
- 6. Two letters of recommendation:
  - ☐ Academic reference, from an instructor
  - ☐ Character reference, from an individual who can attest to your character
- ☐ 7. A photocopy of the Applicant's current military ID (front and back)
- ☐ 8. Additional information, such as Sponsor's short tour orders, if required

It is highly recommended that you maintain a copy of your completed application and all other items on the checklist for your own records.

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Applicant Information

Applicant Name _____
Last First Middle

Applicant's Home Address _____
Street

_____
City State Zip Code

Phone Number (910) -

Email Address @

Date of Birth / / ☐ Male ☐ Female
MM/DD/YYYY

Are you applying for the Gold Star Family Member Scholarship? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Sponsor Information

Sponsor's Name _____
Last First Middle

Sponsor's Rank _____ Service Branch Army
☐ Active ☐ Retired ☐ Deceased

Unit Address/Duty Station (if Active Duty)* _____

Sponsor's Home Address _____
Street

_____
City State Zip Code

* Attach a copy of orders if on short tour, or provide Sponsor's last unit/duty station information if applying for the Gold Star Family Member Scholarship.

I pledge that the information contained in this application form is accurate to the best of my knowledge. Should any information be inaccurate, I understand that I may be disqualified. I also understand that the decision of the Scholarship Committee is final.

_____
Applicant Signature Date

_____
Parent/Guardian Signature Date

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Academics

List all high schools attended.

High Schools Attended (Grades 9-12)

Dates Attended From – To (Month,Year)	School Name	City, State	Transcripts*
-		,	☐ Enclosed ☐ To be sent by school
-		,	☐ Enclosed ☐ To be sent by school
-		,	☐ Enclosed ☐ To be sent by school
-		,	☐ Enclosed ☐ To be sent by school

* Applicant must provide academic transcripts for grades 9 through 12. (Check one.)

Applicant must provide copies of SAT and/or ACT results. (Check all that apply.)

☐ SAT results enclosed. ☐ SAT results to be sent by testing service.
☐ ACT results enclosed. ☐ ACT results to be sent by testing service.

Applicant must provide proof of acceptance to an accredited two or four year institution for undergraduate study in the pursuit of a first BA/BS degree. If acceptance has not yet been received by the Applicant, proof of application may be provided instead, for the purposes of this scholarship application.

☐ Acceptance letter enclosed ☐ Proof of application enclosed

Employment

List any employment during high school, including summer jobs.

Employment

Dates Employed From – To (Month, Year)	Employer	Position	Hours/Week
-			
-			
-			
-			

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Activities

School-Related Activities

Dates Involved From – To (Month, Year)	Activity/Organization	Leadership Positions	Awards/Honors
-			
-			
-			
-			

Athletic Activities

Dates Involved From – To (Month,Year)	Activity/Organization	Leadership Positions	Awards/Honors
-			
-			
-			
-			

Volunteer/Community Activities

Dates	Organization	Position	Hours/Week
-			
-			
-			
-			

If necessary, you may provide additional information on activities, awards or honors below:

Please provide any additional information that you feel is pertinent to this application:

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Essay

Choose one of the topics below on which to write an essay. The essay should be typed and should not exceed 200 words. The essay may be typed on a separate sheet or in the space provided below.

Topics (Choose one.)

1. Describe a significant event in your life. Explain why it was significant.
2. Who is your role model? Why?
3. Tell us about your favorite volunteer or community activity.
4. What question do you wish we had asked? Answer it.

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Scholarship **References**

Applicant Name			
	Last	First	Middle

To the applicant: Two references are required. One reference must be an academic evaluation from a teacher. The other must be a character reference from the adult of your choice, preferably a club sponsor, employer, coach, minister, or other adult who knows you personally. This page may be printed and provided to the evaluators or you may provide a soft copy of the scholarship reference form to them.

To the evaluator: Please be honest and realistic in your evaluation of this candidate. You may include comments on initiative, attitude, integrity, intellectual curiosity, or any other information you deem pertinent. To ensure fairness in judging, each applicant will be given a number, and the name shown above will be removed. **Please do not include the applicant's name in your evaluation.**

Your evaluation may be typed or written in the space provided below. Feel free to include additional pages if necessary.

How long have you known the applicant? _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

(teacher, employer, coach, minister, etc.)

Evaluator Signature Date

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