

# The Hamilton Booster Club Community Service Scholarship

## Three \$500 Community Service Scholarships

This scholarship is awarded to students who have volunteered extensively in their school and/or community. The scholarship is awarded each year to three seniors who have demonstrated a commitment to serving their community. Each scholarship is intended to assist students with the cost of their continuing education at a two or four year college.

### WHO MAY APPLY FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP?

- Students who have performed community service at school and/or within their communities
- Current Hamilton seniors
- Students with a minimum 2.0 GPA
- Students who will be enrolled in a two or four year college in the fall semester, with twelve or more units

### WHAT CRITERIA WILL BE USED FOR SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION?

- Number of service hours performed
- Type of service
- Benefit to the community served
- Nature of responsibilities
- Student essay
- Letters of recommendation from teachers, supervisors and administration

### APPLICATION PROCESS:

- Print, complete and sign the Scholarship Application and Community Service Record below (please make a copy for your records)
- You may mail the application and supporting documents to:  
P.O. Box 642351 L.A. CA 90064 or place it in a sealed envelope and drop it in the Booster box in the main office
- If you are a minor have your parent/guardian also sign it
- Write a one page essay describing your volunteer experiences. Please explain why this service was important to you and how it benefited others.
- Please type or neatly write your essay. Be sure to put your name and a contact number in the upper right corner of the essay-illegible essays will be returned
- A minimum of two letters of recommendation are necessary to evaluate each candidate (letters of reference may be from teachers or an adult who has supervised your volunteer activities)

**All applications and documentation are due the first Monday in May.**

**All applicants will be notified by phone and/or mail before Senior Awards Night.**

Scholarship Award certificates will be presented at Senior Awards Night. Scholarship checks are held until we receive proof of enrollment for the fall semester following graduation. Checks are mailed to the student's home address.

If you have a question please contact the booster club through their website:

[www.hamiltonboosterclub.org](http://www.hamiltonboosterclub.org)

**Good luck!**

# The Hamilton Booster Club Community Service Scholarship Application Form

Please print or type all information.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Small Learning Community \_\_\_\_\_

## Authorizations:

I authorize the Hamilton Booster Club Executive Board to request and obtain any additional information that pertains to my application.

I am hereby certifying that all information provided in my application, including the Community Service Record, essay and letters of recommendation is accurate. I acknowledge that if I am found to have provided fraudulent information I will forfeit my \$500 scholarship.

If student is a minor (18 and under at time of award) a parent/guardian's signature is also required

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## Document Checklist:

\_\_\_ Scholarship Application

\_\_\_ Letters of Recommendation (minimum of 2)

\_\_\_ Community Service Record

\_\_\_ Service related awards and/or certificates

*(please provide copies not originals)*

Hamilton Booster Club P.O. Box 642351 L.A. CA 90064

# Community Service Record

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Only include volunteer service performed during high school. Please make copies of the sheet prior to filling it in if you feel you will need multiple pages to document all of your community service. Please be advised that we may contact organizations and supervisors to verify the information provided here.

Organization Name & Address	Service Description	Total Hours Worked	Supervisor's Name	Supervisor's Phone Number	School Year Service was performed

*Parent signature on the service log and/or supervisor's signatures to support/verify information*