



THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF BUFFALO
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Buffalo, NY – January 17, 2023 – The Junior League of Buffalo is pleased to announce that we will award three \$2,000 scholarships to graduating female high school seniors who have demonstrated a strong commitment to community service and volunteerism in the Western New York Community. The scholarships are given to the post-high school institution to assist the student in defraying expenses for tuition, books, fees, or housing. The scholarships are awarded based on evidence of demonstrated community service and volunteerism within their school and community. Additionally, the student's background should show strong evidence of being well-rounded in personal and academic endeavors.

Please go to www.buffalo.jl.org to access the application package containing guidelines and required forms. If you cannot access the Internet, please call the Junior League of Buffalo's Headquarters at (716) 884-8865 to request the package.

All potential applicants **must** submit completed applications **by** March 10, 2023 to swilkinson@LumsdenCPA.com. For more information and questions, please contact Stephanie Wilkinson, 2023 Scholarship Committee Chair at (716) 803-9043 or swilkinson@LumsdenCPA.com.

The Junior League of Buffalo is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing women's potential, and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

Thank you for your interest in The Junior League of Buffalo.



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
For Female High School Seniors Only
Graduating Class of 2023
APPLICATION DEADLINE ~ MARCH 10, 2023

Junior League of Buffalo High School Scholarship

Are you a female high school senior graduating in the class of 2023? The Junior League of Buffalo invites you to apply for one of three, two-thousand-dollar (\$2,000) scholarships to be given to your post-high school educational institution to defray expenses for tuition, books, fees, or dormitory.

The selection of recipients is based on evidence of demonstrated community service and volunteerism within their school and community. Additionally, the student's background should show strong evidence of being well-rounded in personal and academic endeavors.

Qualifications: Applicants must be a female student attending an Erie, Niagara, Orleans, Genesee, Wyoming, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, or Allegany County high school, Class of 2023, who plans to attend a two or four-year accredited college beginning in the Fall of 2023. Immediate family members of Junior League of Buffalo members are not eligible for consideration.

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE TYPED OR NEATLY PRINTED ON THE APPLICATION. PLEASE SUPPORT OUR EFFORT TO GO GREEN BY RETURNING THIS APPLICATION VIA EMAIL TO: SWILKINSON@LUMSDENCPA.COM

SECTION A. *To be filled out by the applicant.*

Student Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

High School Name _____

Guidance Counselor _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average _____

College Attending/Applied _____

Interest of Study _____

Are you a relative by blood or marriage to any member or employee of the Junior League of Buffalo?
_____ Yes _____ No *If yes, you may not apply for this scholarship.*

List agencies where you did your most significant volunteer work
 (including community service hours required by your school):

| Agency | Brief Description of Agency | Years of Service | Hours/week Your Responsibilities |
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A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER IS PERMISSIBLE FOR THE NARRATIVES.**

SECTION B. *To be filled out by the applicant.*

In a narrative form, using a maximum of 500 words in a size 12 font, provide the following information: Discuss your community service and volunteer experience. Focus on volunteer service that demonstrated initiative, leadership, and commitment. How many people did it affect and what was the impact that you observed from your service/project? Discuss a project you have started, how you have inspired others to volunteer, a long-term volunteer commitment, or how you have improved you community. Also, if you faced any challenges during your service how did you respond to them and what might you do differently.

SECTION C. *To be filled out by the applicant.*

In a narrative form, using a maximum of 300 words in a size 12 font, provide the following information: What does this scholarship mean to you?

**ALL SECTIONS (A, B, C, & D) OF THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION
MUST BE SUBMITTED AND RECEIVED BY 4 p.m. on March 10, 2023**

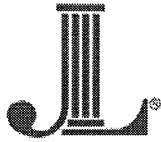
**Submit the application firm and essay attachments in an email to:
swilkinson@LumsdenCPA.com**

Please read the following statement and sign that you agree with it:

The information contained in this application is true. To the best of my knowledge, I am not a relative by blood or marriage of any member or employee of the Junior League of Buffalo.

Applicant's
Signature _____

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ADDITIONAL PAGES WILL DISQUALIFY THIS APPLICATION.**

SECTION D. *To be filled out by the Senior High School Counselor, Teacher or Community Professional familiar with the community service and volunteer experience of the applicant.*

**Applicant's
Name** _____

1) How long have you known the applicant? _____

2) In what capacity have you known the applicant?

3) How would you assess the applicant's character? *Please circle one of the following:*

Poor

Fair

Average

Above Average

Outstanding

4) Why do you recommend this applicant for this scholarship?

Name of Reference _____ Email _____

Signature _____ Title _____

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