

PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

The dollar amount of scholarship(s) is determined by the North Little Rock Scholarship Committee. One or more fifteen hundred dollar (\$1500) scholarships are awarded in May or during the National Reunion of Classes biennially.

The V. R. Robinson scholar recipient(s) will receive a one- time payment to pay for books, tuition and other ordinary expenses at a qualifying post-secondary educational institution (College, University, Technical or Trade School). To receive the financial aid, the scholar must enroll in school the first semester or term after his/her high school graduation.

When sufficient evidence of enrollment, such as (class schedule) is received, the North Little Rock Treasurer sends the stipend to the educational institution **as mandated by Law**.



FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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SUBMIT APPLICATION MATERIALS TO:

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Qualifying applications must be received by **6:00 p.m., March 31, 2014.**

Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

INFORMATION and APPLICATION

Instructions for the

V. R. Robinson Scholarship

Presented by

North Little Rock Chapter

Of

Scipio A. Jones High Alumni

Association Inc.

The Scipio A. Jones High School North Little Rock Chapter's Scholarship program provides financial assistance to qualifying high school seniors committed to continuing their education. The scholarship program is named in memory of the late Mrs. V. R. Robinson, a member of the Jones High School Class of 1927, and a former teacher of the institution.

The V. R. Robinson Scholarship is funded and granted each year. Financial support comes from fundraisers, contributions from individuals, and organizations in the community.

The V. R. Robinson Scholarship is awarded without regard to the applicant's race, color, national origin, age or disability. Key selection factors used to determine winners are leadership qualities exhibited through school and community organizations, English composition, writing skills, and overall academic achievement.

ELIGIBILITY

The following policies apply to the V. R. Robinson Scholarship(s) awarded by the North Little Rock Chapter of Jones High School National Alumni Association:

The applicant must state that he/she:

- ◆ Is maintaining/graduated with a high school grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale;
- ◆ Is making satisfactory progress toward high school graduation evidenced by a transcript of the current year;
- ◆ Successfully completed the curriculum at an accredited high school or its' equivalent, since the end of the previous year;
- ◆ Has applied and been accepted by an accredited post-secondary educational institution, usually a college, university, trade school or technical school;
- ◆ Is a relative of an Association Chapter Member whose dues are up-to-date;
- ◆ Relative's dues must be paid one year prior to applicant submitting an application.* (see application form)

HOW TO APPLY

An interested applicant must submit:

A completed scholarship application form;
A **current** transcript of his/her high school courses;
Two letters of recommendations. One must be from the applicant's High School Counselor; the other may come from anyone except a relative. Both letters should emphasize the applicant's special accomplishments, abilities, talents, and any other information the selection committee should consider;

- ◆ A biographical profile(minimum of 250 words), doubled spaced;
- ◆ The applicant must state why he/she wants to be a V. R. Robinson Scholar;
- ◆ The course of study or major field to be followed;
- ◆ Proposed future profession or occupation;
- ◆ Leadership skills, and/or accomplishments in high school and in the community.

HOW SCHOLARS ARE SELECTED

The V. R. Robinson Scholar(s) is selected by the Scholarship Committee of the North Little Rock Chapter of the National Alumni Association. The committee reviews and thoroughly evaluates each qualifying application and all documents submitted for the selection process used to determine the winner(s).