



Connecting COMMERCE & COMMUNITY

Mission Statement: The Woodbury Area Chamber of Commerce will lead in promoting the spirit of the Woodbury area to help enhance a progressive business environment and to serve as the voice of business.

Vision Statement: We work toward contributing to a higher standard of living and quality of life for citizens of the Woodbury area by maintaining and promoting a prosperous and vibrant business community. The chamber connects the voices of business and creates powerful leadership that strengthens our members and promotes economic development and community involvement in the Woodbury area.

2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Woodbury Area Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce that four \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to 2018 high school graduates from the Woodbury area. **Application Deadline is April 10, 2018.**

Criteria:

- The student must be a 2018 graduating high school senior who is a resident of Woodbury area or a 2018 graduate from a Woodbury Area High School.
- The student must be pursuing post-secondary education at either a two-year or four-year educational or vocational institution in the summer or fall of 2018.

How to Apply:

1. Answer the two questions below (typed, no more than 1,000 words combined).
2. Complete contact information below.
3. Provide high school transcript (for enrollment verification only-scholarships not awarded based on grade point average).
4. Mail or drop off your application materials to the Chamber Office by the April 10, 2018, deadline.

Essay Questions:

(1) Explain how your life experience has contributed to the overall mission and vision of the Woodbury Area Chamber of Commerce (i.e. volunteer experience, work experience, education, etc.).

(2) What are your career ambitions and how will they allow you to perpetuate the mission and vision of the Woodbury Area or another community?

Notification:

- Students selected to receive the scholarships will be notified in early May.
- Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce will attend award events, where possible, to make a formal presentation.
- Scholarship recipients must submit the name and address of the educational institution attending in fall of 2018. Payment of the award will be submitted directly to the educational institution. No payment will be made to the scholarship recipient.

APPLICATION PACKET DUE NO LATER THAN APRIL 10, 2018

Submit the completed form, essay questions and current high school transcript to:

WOODBURY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
700 Commerce Drive, Suite 245, Woodbury, MN 55125

Name _____ School _____

Home Address _____ Email _____

City _____ ZIP _____ Phone _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Higher Educational Institution Attending (if known) _____