2018 College Scholarship Application

Introduction

The Greater Hartford Chapter #3056 of USA Dance, Inc., is pleased to announce the 7th Annual College Scholarship Program for area high-school seniors involved in ballroom. The scholarships may be applied to any area of undergraduate study and will be awarded in late Spring of 2018.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a resident of Connecticut
- Must be involved in <u>ballroom</u> dancing
- Must be graduating from high school in the Spring of 2018
- Must be attending a four (4) year college/university or an accredited two (2) year associates program in the Fall of 2018

Selection Criteria

- Academic Achievement
- Personal Essay
- Recommendations
- Application Responses
- Contribution to the community through ballroom activity
- Financial Consideration

Checklist

Please ensure that the following are included in your submission package:

- Completed application (including personal essay)
- Copy of your current transcript (grades)
- Copy of college acceptance letter
- Written recommendation of a high school teacher or guidance counselor
- Written recommendation of your ballroom instructor

Contact

Please address any questions regarding the scholarship program or application to:

Barbara Baran

Telephone: (860) 568-1401 e-mail: <u>baranbarbara@aol.com</u>.



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SECTION I

| General Information | | |
|---------------------|--|--|
| Name | | |
| Address | | |
| City | | |
| City State | | |
| Zip | | |
| Telephone | | |
| e-mail | | |
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SECTION II

| High School Information | | | |
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| High School | | | |
| Guidance Counselor's Name | | | |
| Guidance Counselor Contact Information (e-mail/phone) | | | |
| GPA | | | |
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| Please list the extra-curricular (non-ballroom) activities you have participated in throughout high school | | | |

SECTION III

| University/College Information | | |
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| University/College Attending in the Fall of 2018 | | |
| University/College Address | | |
| Intended Major | | |
| What are your career plans? (1-3 bullets / sentences) | | |



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SECTION IV

| Ballroom Activity | | |
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| Please list the ballroom activities you have participated in. (1-5 bullets) | | |
| What is your favorite ballroom dance and why? (1-2 sentences) | | |
| Please list any ideas you have that would help to increase awareness of USA Dance/Greater Hartford Chapter. (1-5 bullets) | | |

SECTION V

| Financial Consideration | |
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| Why are you applying for this scholarship? (1-5 sentences) | |
| Please list other scholarship programs you have applied to. | |

SECTION VI

Please attach an essay describing the impact that ballroom dancing has had on you personally and academically. (500 word minimum; 1000 word maximum).



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SECTION VII

Please attach the following to this application:

- Copy of your current high school transcript (grades)
- Copy of college acceptance letter
- Written recommendation of a high school teacher or guidance counselor
- Written recommendation of your ballroom instructor

SECTION VIII

Please return your completed application package by **Friday**, **May 18**th, **2018**.

- i) By U.S. mail / hand delivery to:
 Barbara Baran, Chapter President
 69 Mulcahy Drive
 East Hartford, CT 06118
- ii) By e-mail to:

Barbara Baran at baranbarbara@aol.com