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Weiss Memorial Scholarship

2019 Fall APPLICATION – GREAT BASIN COLLEGE-WINNEMUCCA

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANT: APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE FOUNDATION ON OR BEFORE August 2, 2019 for the Fall Semester for students planning to attend Great Basin College in Winnemucca. The envelope must bear a U. S. Postal Service post mark of August 2, 2019 or before to be considered timely. A non-postal service postage metered date does not qualify, such applications must be physically received before the deadline to be considered. Applications must be made on this application form, be signed, and be typewritten or neatly printed to be considered. Applications MUST be returned to:

*Great Basin College
Winnemucca Branch Campus
5490 Kluncy Canyon Road
Winnemucca, Nevada 89445*

----- Applicant must be registered for Fall classes by August 2, 2019 -----

CONSENT: I hereby consent for any high school or college attended by me to release academic, financial scholarships, or any other necessary information that may pertain to scholarship selection or recognition:

YES
NO

Signature of Applicant

THE FOLLOWING IS TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS: Date: _____

1. This application is for a Weiss Memorial Scholarship to attend *Great Basin College, Winnemucca*, in the following status:

Academic Vocational

2. Major decided upon, if any: _____

3. Name: (F) _____ SSN: XXX-XX-____ Phone: _____
(M) _____
(check one) (last, first, middle) GBC ID. No. _____

Maiden name or other names ever used: _____

4. Present Mailing Address: _____
(address) (city) (state) (zip)

5. Birth date: _____ City & State of birth: _____

6. Name of high school graduated from: _____ Year: _____

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7. Overall GPA: High School _____ College _____ **Attach a copy of high school and college transcripts.**

8. College entrance scores: SAT (CEEB): Verbal: _____ ACT: English: _____
[Required only for 1st time applicants] Math: _____ Science: _____
Reading: _____
Composite: _____

9. If not a graduate of a Humboldt County high school, state how you qualify as a Humboldt County student at time of graduation:

10. What colleges or universities have you attended? (Names & addresses) _____

11. Previously received Humboldt Foundation or Weiss Memorial Foundation scholarship? _____ When? _____

12. OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT HELP THE SELECTION COMMITTEE UNDERSTAND WHY YOU SHOULD RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP:

12.1 Will you be eligible for a Nevada Millennium Scholarship for 2019-2020? Yes _____ No _____

12.2 Other scholarships you have received for the coming semester: (List names and amounts) _____

12.3 Other scholarships you have received in the past: (List names and amounts) _____

12.4 Are you receiving government assistance for school? Yes _____ No _____
If so, describe amounts, duration and when benefits are to become available to you: _____

12.5 Honors received (school & community): _____

12.6 Employment history: _____

12.7 Activities (school & community): _____

12.8 Career goals: _____

12.9 **Financial need is not required for a Weiss Memorial Scholarship.**

13. Personal Statement. A typed statement on separate sheet of paper which you feel the selection committee should know in order to help them make a decision. The statement should be a minimum of 500 words.

Note: Use additional sheets of paper to complete answers when necessary

INCOMPLETE APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

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The Humboldt Foundation GBC - Winnemucca Weiss Memorial Scholarship Program Rules & Regulations

1. Eligibility of student for foundation scholarship. In order to be eligible for benefits under the Foundation a student **must** be a student of Humboldt County, Nevada: (1) who graduated from a Humboldt County high school, or (2) who graduated from any other high school if at the time of graduation he/she was a Humboldt County resident, or (3) who obtained a GED Certificate by age 25 if he/she had been a Humboldt County resident for the majority of the period from age 16 to 18. Participation in a high school student exchange program shall not disqualify a Humboldt County student from this program. Each student, either entering, continuing or one who is transferring from another college, must have an overall cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0 or the GPA for the preceding 12 hours of study must be at least 2.0. Applicant must be enrolled in 6 or more credits. Applicant must provide a copy of high school & college transcript with application. **The typed personal statement required in Section 13 hereof, of a minimum of 500 words must be attached to application.** Applicants with previous baccalaureate degree are ineligible.

----- **APPLICANT MUST BE REGISTERED FOR FALL CLASSES BY August 2, 2019.** -----

2. School which can be attended. Only Great Basin College at Winnemucca may be attended under this scholarship program.

3. Renewal. A new application must be made each semester. Subject to funds availability, renewals may be granted to scholarship holders, current or past, who are eligible.

4. Scholarship award. In awarding tuition scholarships, consideration shall be given to good, hard working, deserving, ambitious students displaying a strong desire to gain a vocational or a college or university education and demonstrating a potential to successfully complete a vocational or academic program. The Humboldt Foundation awards scholarships based upon the applicant's academic merit and accomplishment in high school or college, or based upon other factors including community and school activities, the result of a testing program for high school students, the probability of academic success of the applicant and all other factors deemed relevant. Scholarships in varying amounts will be awarded to qualified students.

5. Scholarship committee. The Board of Trustees shall constitute the Scholarship Committee unless a separate Scholarship Committee is established by the Board. It shall be the obligation of the Scholarship Committee to ensure that the scholarship holders comply with the rules and regulations of the Foundation.

6. Applications. Each applicant **must** file a formal application on form provided by the Board on or before **August 2, 2019** for a Fall semester scholarship. Each application **must** be received on or before the **August 2, 2019 deadline**, or bear a U.S. Post Office postmark date (not a metered mail date) of on or before **August 2, 2019**.

7. Consent to release of information. The application form shall include a consent by the student permitting any high school, college or university attended by the student to release academic, financial, scholarships, or any other necessary information that may pertain to scholarship selection or recognition, including college entrance exams.

8. College grade point average and hours requirement. All recipients shall be required to maintain a satisfactory annual or cumulative grade point average for the preceding semester. No scholarship will be renewed for a student who did not satisfactorily maintain a 2.0 GPA in the previous semester, unless his/her overall GPA remains at least 2.0. The grades and hours earned by recipients for academic credit at the college level for high school courses or by challenging a college or university course for academic credit shall be included in determining whether or not the selectee is in compliance with the grade point average and hours requirements.

9. Selection date. All GBC-Winnemucca scholarship selections will be made for the ensuing semester by the Board of Trustees after the August 2, 2019 application deadline. If the Board has appointed a Scholarship Committee, its selections shall be made subject to final approval of those selections by the Board.

10. Award & evaluation. These rules may be liberally applied or waived for students attending GBC - Winnemucca. Academic, trade, technical and vocational scholarships will be awarded and evaluated for renewal on a student-by-student basis.

11. Requirements for reinstatement. Scholarship holders who are disqualified because of failure to maintain the grade point requirements shall become eligible to apply for reinstatement by attending any accredited institution of higher learning and raising his/her cumulative GPA to 2.0 or receiving a GPA of 2.0 in at least the most recent 12 hours taken.

12. Scholarship address. All applications, questions and correspondence shall be addressed to:

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13. Waiver of rules. Upon good cause shown, in exceptional cases, the Board of Trustees may conditionally waive a rule, provided such waiver would not violate the terms of the Trust Agreement approved by the District Court in Winnemucca on December 18, 2000.