

## Chardon Area Chamber of Commerce 2023 Scholarship Fund Guidelines

Graduating seniors who are residents of the Chardon Local School District (as defined by the Chardon Local Schools) and who have applied to an accredited vocational, two/four year degree-granting institute of post-secondary education are eligible for the Chardon Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship.

### **Qualifications and Guidelines:**

1. The applicant has participated in at least two extra-curricular or community service activities while enrolled as a student.
2. The applicant has attained a minimum grade point average of 3.00.
3. The applicant should demonstrate leadership qualities and upstanding character traits.
4. The applicant must be a resident of the Chardon Local School District.

### **Application Procedure:**

1. Each applicant must complete the application and return it to the Chardon Area Chamber of Commerce by the specified deadline indicated below.
2. Two recommendations must accompany the application. One can be from a teacher and or faculty member. The other must be from a non-faculty member who is not a relative. Forms and instructions are provided with the application.
3. The successful applicants will be awarded the scholarship during the Chamber Banquet scheduled in person for March 21<sup>st</sup> from 5:30-8:00 pm with the location to be determined. The winner and his or her parents are invited to attend the dinner and community awards ceremony as guests of the Chamber.

### **Amount of Scholarship:**

The Chamber will award up to two scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 each.

### **When to Apply:**

Applications will be made available at high schools located in the district and online at [chardonchamber.com](http://chardonchamber.com). **The deadline is March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5 pm.** Completed applications must either be emailed to the Chamber at [mrizzo@chardonchamber.com](mailto:mrizzo@chardonchamber.com), mailed to the Chamber office at P.O. Box 294, Chardon, OH, 44024, or hand delivered to the Chardon Chamber office located at 213 Main Street, Suite D. **Any incomplete applications, or those received after the deadline will not be considered.**

