



SNOWMOBILE VERMONT

Scholarship Award Program

The Vermont Association of Snow Travelers, Inc. (VAST) Scholarship Awards are limited to members of the association, their spouses and/or dependents. VAST awards two \$1,500 scholarships annually. The awards are intended to help you further your education in any post secondary school, including vocational/ technical education.

Only completed applications will be considered! Please make sure that you have properly filled out your application and that you have included all of the requested information. Each application will be reviewed by the VAST Scholarship Committee. If you are a previous winner or if you have applied before, your name will not be automatically considered, you must file a new application annually. All applications must be **postmarked or faxed no later than March 1, 2012**. Applications received after that date will not be considered. Please send all applications to:

**VAST Scholarship Award
26 Vast Lane
Barre, VT 05641**

If you are one of the successful candidates, your award will be paid directly to your school. **Before it is paid**, you must furnish VAST with proof that you have successfully completed your first semester of study. Any change of your school, without approval, after the scholarship is awarded, will nullify your award.

The applications of the top five finalists will also be submitted for consideration to the Northeast Chapter of the International Snowmobile Council's (NEISC) Scholarship Awards program. The NEISC awards two \$500 scholarship awards annually. So, you have two chances to win!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at (802) 229-0005, ext 14.

Good Luck!
VAST Scholarship Committee



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VAST SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION

MAIL TO: VAST Scholarship Award 26 Vast Lane Barre, VT 05641

MUST BE POSTMARKED OR FAXED BY MARCH 1, 2012

(Please Type or Print Clearly)

Date: _____

Name of Applicant: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____ SSN: _____

Name of Current High School or College: _____

Address: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

Name of College, University or Vocational/Technical School: _____

Address: _____

Date of starting study above: _____ Major area of study: _____

Cost per year: _____ Are you employed? _____ Year round? _____ Summer only? _____

If not, why? _____

Local Snowmobile Club: _____

Parent's Names: _____

Parent's Address: _____

Number and ages of Brothers and Sisters: _____

Are they attending college? _____ Please give details: _____

Occupations: Mother: _____ Income: _____

Father: _____ Income: _____

Total Household Annual Expenses: _____ Total Household Annual Income: _____



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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL NEED FOR 1 YEAR OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Student Resources

Estimated Expenses

Salary: _____

Tuition & Fees: _____

Savings: _____

Books & Supplies: _____

From Family: _____

Room & Board: _____

Loans, Grants-Amount: _____

Transportation: _____

Other Scholarships-Amt: _____

Other: _____

TOTAL RESOURCES: _____

TOTAL EXPENSES: _____

Other Pertinent Financial Information for consideration: _____

PLEASE ATTACH:

- 1. An official High School or College transcript, whichever applies.
2. Recommendations in writing from at least two teachers, counselors or other school administrator.
3. Recommendations in writing from one or two friends, employers/employees or member of the clergy.
4. Proof of acceptance at a College, University or Vocational/Technical School.
5. An essay, 500 words or less, in one of the following areas:
a. The relationship between landowners and snowmobiling in Vermont.
b. Development and maintenance of the Statewide Snowmobile Trails System.
c. Safe, courteous, lawful and responsible use of snowmobiles.
d. Preservation and protection of our environment as related to snowmobiling.
e. Economic benefit of snowmobiling to Vermont's economy.
f. An essay, of your choice, about snowmobiling in Vermont.

ATTENTION: ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED ABOVE (ITEMS 1 THROUGH 5) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN THE SAME ENVELOPE AT THE SAME TIME OR APPLICATION WILL BE REJECTED.

PLEASE NOTE: Essay may be published in the VAST News. The applications of the top five finalists will also be submitted for consideration to the Northeast Chapter of the International Snowmobile Council's (NEISC) Scholarship Awards program.

POSTMARKED OR FAXED DEADLINE FOR COMPLETED APPLICATIONS IS MARCH 1, 2012 LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

The above statements are certified to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____

Date: _____