

Rhode Island Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.

Life Member Group

**APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarships are restricted to *legal residents* of R.I. and nearby Massachusetts. **Please note** that the student *may attend any accredited college/university in the United States*. College sophomores through graduate students are eligible to apply. Scholarships, based on need and academic standing, will be given to outstanding students majoring in horticulture, floriculture, landscape design, conservation, botany, plant pathology, forestry, agronomy, environmental concerns, city planning, land management and/or allied subjects. A 3.0 GPA or higher is required.

**DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATION IS FEBRUARY 1st**

Please print or type.

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

College or University to be Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Annual Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

What scholarships, honors, awards, special recognition, etc. have you received since entering college? \_\_\_\_\_

In what extra-curricular activities have you participated? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your interests and employment outside of school. \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any information you think would be in your best interest for the Scholarship Committee to know, please attach a separate sheet.

In addition to the Life Member Scholarship, one student will be recommended for consideration for a National Garden Club (NGC) Scholarship. A 3.25 GPA or higher is required for the NGC scholarship. Candidates are encouraged to apply for both scholarships.

Questions about the application process should be addressed to the RIFGC Scholarship Chairman.

This application, along with a copy of your transcript, and three letters of recommendation (non-relatives please), must be sent to the Life Member Scholarship Chairman of the R.I.F.G.C. as soon as possible. The **deadline** for receipt of the application package is **February 1st**. You may use the same letters of recommendation and transcript copy to apply for both the Life Member Group Scholarship and the National Garden Clubs Scholarship.

R.I.F.G.C. Acting Life Member Scholarship Chairman

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