KENNEBEC VALLEY GARDEN CLUB

Barrows Scholarship Application Form

Date:_____

PURPOSE: To encourage and financially aid students and /or teachers who are strongly interested in majoring in horticulture, landscape design, conservation, forestry, botany, agronomy, plant pathology, environmental studies or other gardening related fields.

QUALIFICATIONS: The KVGC Barrows Scholarship is open to high school seniors, college undergraduates, graduates students, and / or teachers who reside in Kennebec County. Applicants must major in some field of horticulture (see PURPOSE above). Candidates may reapply another year by sending an updated application. The scholarship will range from $500 - $1000.

FULL NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

1. HOME ADDRESS: _____

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_____ PHONE: _____

MAJOR HORICULTURE AREA: _____

STATUS (circle one) HS: SR COLLEGE: FR SOPH JR SR GRADUATE STUDENT

COLLEGE ATTENDING: _____

COLLEGE ADDRESS:_____

NAME OF EMPLOYER AND POSITION: _____

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Please enclose a letter addressing the following topics: Introduce yourself with a paragraph about your family and community life, a paragraph about your school life, a summary of your educational and career aspirations, and a brief statement of your need for financial aid (information will be held in confidence).

REFERENCES: Include two letters of reference and faculty appraisal form with your application.

REFERENCES: 1. _____ Phone # _____

2. _____ Phone # _____

Applicants will be judged on vocational interests, character, academic record and financial need. Please include two wallet size photographs for publicity purposes.

MAIL: completed application form, your letter of introduction, 2 reference letters, faculty appraisal form, transcript of school credits, and 2 wallet size photographs to:

Julie Meagher, KVGC Scholarship Chairman

41 Foxfire Lane

Winthrop, ME 04364

Application deadline: April 30,2019

KVGC BARROWS SCHOLARSHIP APPRASIAL FORM (confidential)

To be completed by a teacher, guidance counselor or administrator

_____ of _____

Plans to attend or is attending_____

Majoring in _____

My appraisal of the applicant is as follows:

A. I have known applicant for _____ years
B. I have known applicant very well_____ fairly well _____ limited contact _____
C. Please rate the student from one to four on the following items. (4 highest and 1 lowest)
    1. Based upon the student's ability and capabilities, he / she has made a wise and realistic choice in pursuing his/her chosen career..... 4 3 2 1
    2. Student exhibits a strong commitment to studies..... 4 3 2 1
    3. Contributions to school activities..... 4 3 2 1
    4. Achievement records reflect ability..... 4 3 2 1
    5. Emotionally capable of coping with post secondary academic requirements..... 4 3 2 1
    6. Attitude will be an asset to success..... 4 3 2 1
    7. Appraiser's expectations of applicant's success..... 4 3 2 1
    8. Personal expectations of career success..... 4 3 2 1
D. Unusual circumstances or factors which you feel warrant special attention.

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E. Remarks (please use reverse side if necessary)

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Date: _____ Preparer's Signature and relationship to student_____

Mail to: Julie Meagher, KVGC Scholarship Chairman

41 Foxfire Lane

Winthrop, ME 04364

DEADLINE DATE APRIL 30,2019