

The Ake L. Dahlquist Memorial Scholarship **2013**

Purpose:

To honor the memory of Ake L. Dahlquist by providing a scholarship to a deserving Dixon High School senior to help with college education costs for his/her freshman year.

Award:

One (1) \$1,500 scholarship to be made payable directly to the university on behalf of the student.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must be an Illinois resident and a graduating senior at Dixon High School, Dixon, Illinois
2. Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5, on a 4 point scale
3. Applicant must be majoring in Engineering or Business Administration at a 4 year accredited university
4. Applicant must submit a typed essay (1 page minimum), explaining why he/she is the best candidate for this scholarship, his/her financial need for the scholarship, his/her reason for choosing the university, his/her goals in life after completing his/her higher education and his/her reasons for choosing Engineering or Business Administration as his/her major of study
5. Strong preference will be given to a student who demonstrates and proves financial need
6. Applicant must be attending college the fall semester after graduating from Dixon High School
7. Attached application must be filled out completely (either typed or legible hand-writing) Incomplete applications **will not** be considered.
8. One letter of recommendation from a current teacher
9. Please include an official academic transcript
10. Application must be completed and returned to the Dixon High School Guidance office by April 15th

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

1. Applicant Information

Name _____

Address _____

Home phone _____ Cell phone _____

E-mail address _____ U.S. Citizen _____

GPA _____ Class rank ____/____ ACT score _____

SAT score, if taken _____

Universities applied to:

1. _____ Accepted _____

2. _____ Accepted _____

3. _____ Accepted _____

4. _____ Accepted _____

University you will be attending:

_____ City/State _____

Annual tuition of University \$ _____ Room & Board \$ _____

Cost of books \$ _____ Major _____

How many credit hours do you plan on taking in the fall? _____

Do you intend to work while going to school? _____

If so, do you already have a job lined up, please explain, along with income:

Will you be living in a dorm your freshman year? _____

Have you applied for any other scholarships? If so, please list them and the amount of scholarship. Also, please include if you have been awarded any of the scholarships.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

List all extra-curricular activities, sports, offices, leadership positions, honors, etc, that you have been involved in during high school:

1. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

2. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

3. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

4. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

5. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

List work experience:

1. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

2. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

List community activities:

1. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

2. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

3. _____ Year: Fr/So/Jr/Sr

2. Family Information

Father's Name _____

Address _____

Occupation _____ Title _____

Employer_____ Years Employed there____

Mother's Name_____

Occupation_____ Title_____

Employer_____ Years Employed there____

Marital status: Married___ Single Parent___ Divorced___ Widowed___

List names of other dependent children living at home

1. Name_____ Age____

2. Name_____ Age____

3. Name_____ Age____

4. Name_____ Age____

Any children above currently in college_____

If so, which child and which college is he/she attending?

How is/are the college costs being paid, for the above children?

3. Financial Information

Father's gross annual earnings \$_____

Mother's gross annual earnings \$_____

Applicant's gross annual earnings \$_____

Other Income (monthly amounts)

1. Child Support/Alimony \$_____

2. Disability \$ _____
3. SSI/SSD \$ _____
4. Dividends/Capital Gains \$ _____
5. Pension \$ _____

Family Total Assets \$ _____

Family Total Liabilities \$ _____

Please explain any special circumstances, that the selection committee should take into consideration, pertaining to your financial situation, either short-term or long-term: (medical bills, job loss, change of job, foreclosure, etc.)

Please explain how the college costs are to be paid for:

Have you applied for any financial aid? _____

If so, how much are you receiving? \$ _____

Have you applied for any grants? _____

If so, how much are you receiving and from where:

\$ _____ From where: _____

Have you applied for a student loan? _____ If so, how much? \$ _____

Have your parents applied for a loan to help pay for college costs? _____

If so, how much \$ _____

Any other information that you would like the selection committee to know:

I hereby confirm that all the information I have provided within this form are correct to the best of my and my parent's knowledge and belief. I understand that failure to disclose full details or falsifying information will in-validate this application. I understand that the selection committee might request further information once application has been reviewed (financial documents, tax returns, pay stubs, etc.) I understand the selection committee may request to interview me in person. I understand that the selection committee might want further clarification of any questions answered in the application.

I agree to notify the selection committee of any changes from that stated in this application. Failure to do so may obligate me to return any scholarship granted to me by this fund.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent _____ Date _____

All information provided in this application is confidential to the selection committee of this scholarship fund. The Ake L. Dahlquist scholarship fund does not discriminate against applicants on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, ancestry or disability.

Any questions, please call Pete Dahlquist at 262-707-0439 or e-mail petedahlquist@sbcglobal.net

Please remember to include: Completed application, transcript, letter of recommendation and essay