

The Beverly Beaird Young Woman Leadership Scholarship

The Junior League of Tyler, Inc, is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. This award is named to honor the memory of one of the League's sustaining members, Beverly Beaird. She was a loyal member and supporter of the Junior League, a gifted Tyler teacher and an amazing woman of faith. This scholarship will leave a legacy of education for years to come, while recognizing a member of our League and community who left a lasting impression with many students. Several members of our community have graciously agreed to partner with the Junior League of Tyler to make this scholarship possible.

Qualifications

The Beverly Beaird Young Woman Leadership Scholarship is designed for a young woman in her senior year of high school in Smith County who:

- Demonstrates excellence in and has commitment to voluntarism and improving her community
- Demonstrates innovation and creative actions that reach out to and motivate others
- Demonstrates a commitment to continuing her education
- Demonstrates at least one year's experience as a volunteer

Application Instructions

In order to be considered for this scholarship, please submit the following:

- Completed page 2 of this Application Packet
- A written essay of one (1) or two (2) pages expressing your motivation for further education and addressing the questions on page 3 of this packet
- A resume which includes:
 - Extra-curricular activities
 - Volunteer activities
 - Leadership activities
 - A list of colleges and/or universities to which you have applied
- Two (2) reference letters – 1 school / 1 community
- Official current high school transcript

The completed information should be mailed to:

The Junior League of Tyler, Inc.
Attn: Nominating Chairman
1919 S. Donnybrook
Tyler, Texas 75701

Applications must be received by **March 13th**

Please Print

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Nominee's Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Parent or Guardian Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail Address _____

High School _____

High School Counselor _____

Phone Number _____

Grade Level _____ Age _____ Projected Graduation Date _____

Please address the following in your essay:

1. How have you demonstrated your commitment to making a difference in your community?

2. How have you demonstrated your commitment to reaching out to others?

3. How have you affected the behavior of your peers and others?

4. What skills have you shown in your volunteer work?

5. How will this scholarship financially impact your ability to achieve your educational goals?