

Colchester Chamber of Commerce



Betty Nelson Community Service Scholarship Application

Who was Betty Nelson: Betty Nelson was an active member of the Downsville Community. She served leadership roles in many organizations such as the Colchester Chamber of Commerce, Democratic Club, and 4H. She was also a member of the Church of the Holy Family. Betty was the backbone of the Chamber for many years and through her actions she demonstrated first-hand how service can improve the quality of life for a community. Her efforts and legacy of volunteerism provide a wonderful example for future generations.

Eligibility: A high school senior with a minimum GPA of 2.5 who has displayed the "Spirit of Giving" and has plans to **start a business in the future**.

Submission Deadline: Applications are due by Friday May 1st, 2023. Please turn application into Mrs. Menke

Award Amount: \$750

Applicant's Full Name:

Scholarship Criteria:

Please list any school sports, activities, student body or clubs you participated in your high school career at DCS:

Grade 9:

Grade 10:

Grade 11:

Grade 12:

1. List any additional outside organizations you may have been part of during your high school career:
2. Since the Chamber of Commerce has a specific focus on local business, in no more than 250 words, discuss your plans to start a business in the future. Be sure to include specific ideas, business plans or goals you must have to start that business, and how the community where your business is located will benefit from your past and present "Spirit of Giving."