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## Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce

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The ATHENA/Woman of the Year Scholarship was established in 2013 to award a one-time (non-renewable) \$1,000 scholarship to a deserving female high school senior who has demonstrated community involvement, academic achievement, and leadership.

Female graduating seniors residing in Alliance City, West Branch Local, Sebring Local, Marlinton Local, and those attending St. Thomas Aquinas from those districts are eligible for this annual scholarship.

The applicant must have a minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA and be accepted at a recognized institution of learning offering a post-high school curriculum.

The scholarship will be awarded at the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner and announced at her respective school's Senior Awards Program.

Return the application and all attachments to your designated Guidance Counselor by the date designated on the application.

**I fully understand that in accepting this scholarship, it is my intention to continue my education at a recognized institution offering a post-secondary curriculum. The money will be disbursed to that institution by the Greater Alliance Foundation in accordance with the Charitable Fund Agreement between said foundation and the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce, only upon formal acceptance and enrollment in chosen school. I also give permission for my high school transcripts/pertinent information to be released to the scholarship committee.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_



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## ATHENA/WOMAN OF THE YEAR

### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME OF APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS/PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS RANK \_\_\_\_\_ OUT OF \_\_\_\_\_ CUMULATIVE GPA \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION \_\_\_\_\_

INTENDED MAJOR \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**\*ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Transcripts
2. Three (3) letters of recommendation: (2) teachers (1) adult outside your family and non-school
3. List significant high school and community activities, leadership and honor recognitions
4. Essay: 300 words on why you deserve this scholarship based on the tenets of community involvement, academic achievement and leadership, including your career goal

**Return the application and all attachments to the Alliance Area Chamber of Commerce,  
210 E. Main Street, Alliance, OH 44601**