

The Susanne D. Briney Scholarship

Honoring young teens for Volunteer Action

Carbon Canyon Women's Club Purpose Statement

The purpose of this organization is to support its members, family and surrounding community residents with activities of both social and charitable benefits. The Club accomplishes this purpose by offering seasonal activities for families along with fundraisers and service projects for those in need. As part of our commitment to serving the larger community; the club supports, financially, such worthy causes as "Adopt a Family Program" sponsored through the City, the "House of Ruth" and "Caring for the Hills." A vital service we offer is social networking for women living in Carbon Canyon and surrounding villages of Chino Hills. Monthly meetings and social programs provide an avenue for women of our community to connect, which helps develop both social and professional relationships, along with community awareness.

Description of Scholarship Program

In recognition of student volunteerism in Chino Hills and surrounding areas, the Carbon Canyon Women's Club has established a scholarship for young teens between the ages of 14 - 17. The Club is looking to honor a caring, compassionate, creative and most of all, a young person who is committed to making the world and their community a better place to live.

In support of the Student Volunteer Program, the scholarship recognizes individuals who have made significant contributions to the Chino Hills or surrounding area through their volunteer efforts. Different from traditional scholarships, the Carbon Canyon Women's Club Student Scholarship places more emphasis on a demonstrated interest in and service to the community.

Criteria for Selection

- A young teen who is a Chino Hills resident.
- A young teen that has had significant and noteworthy accomplishments as a volunteer.
- Volunteer services may include summer, school, community, church and cultural activities.
- A young teen who has demonstrated initiative in both identifying a problem and trying to solve it.
- A young teen that is committed to making a difference in their community.

Deadline: May 1

Scholarship applications will be available at schools after the first of February.

Applications must be received by **May 1st** and should be mailed to:

Carbon Canyon Women's Club
3233 Grand Ave., Suite N #260
Chino Hills, CA 91709-1489

Selection Process

Carbon Canyon Women's Club Scholarship recipients are selected each May by members of the Scholarship board. Committee members select recipients by consensus after thorough review of submitted applications. At least one scholarship will be awarded to a Chino Hills resident who is a student in public, private or home school community based high school. Evaluations will be made on the comparative body of service work submitted in the entire group of applications.

Announcement and Presentation of Awards

Scholarship winner(s) will be contacted in June by a Carbon Canyon Women's Club member. The scholarship will be presented at a high school awards assembly or other appropriate public venue.

Questions

Call Angela at 951-347-4641 or e-mail angela1926@aol.com

Application Form

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General Information (please print neatly in blue or black ink)

Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle initial)

Date of Birth _____

Address _____
(Number and Street)

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Country _____ Telephone _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Essay

In a typewritten essay, up to 750 words, tell us why you decided to become involved in your chosen volunteer activity (ies). Describe your most meaningful volunteer experience. What effect has your volunteer experience had on yourself and your community?

Additional Materials (Optional)

Please feel free to submit any supporting materials that you think we should see (Ex. newspaper clippings, photographs, etc.)

I declare the information in this application to be true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Student

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date