

## NORCO KIWANIS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

## NORCO HIGH SCHOOL

The Kiwanis Club of Norco is a local service organization (a part of Kiwanis International) whose mission is to uplift and celebrate children in our community. Part of that mission is our annual scholarship program for high school seniors, and we are pleased to be able to offer scholarships in five categories.

You may apply to any and all scholarships for which you are qualified.

### ◆ SCHOLAR'S AWARD \$500.00

#### Eligibility

- ▶ Minimum 3.5 GPA (unweighted)
- ▶ Focused major and/or career goals
- ▶ Good citizenship
- ▶ Involvement in high school club or community/religious organization or leadership activity

### ◆ LOUIS & ADA VANDERMOLEN SERVICE AWARD \$500.00

#### Eligibility

- ▶ Minimum 2.5 GPA (unweighted)
- ▶ Good citizenship
- ▶ Service in *both* a high school club *and* a community/religious organization/activity

### ◆ KEY CLUB AWARD \$500.00

#### Eligibility

- ▶ Minimum 2.5 GPA (unweighted)
- ▶ Good citizenship
- ▶ Significant involvement in JFK High School's Key Club, through strong leadership and/or dedicated service.

### ◆ ELAINE PARK "WOMEN IN STEM" SCHOLARSHIP \$500.00

#### Eligibility

- ▶ Young woman with a focused educational goal to pursue a major in Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math.
- ▶ Good citizenship
- ▶ Minimum 3.5 GPA (unweighted)

### ◆ MARILYN L. PRIOR "FUTURE TEACHER" SCHOLARSHIP \$500.00

#### Eligibility

- ▶ Focused goal to become a teacher.
- ▶ Good citizenship
- ▶ Minimum 3.0 GPA (unweighted)

*Please return this page with your application.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have completed and received back your FASFA application,  
what is your Expected Family Contribution (EFC)? \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate which scholarship(s) you are applying for.

- ☐ **SCHOLAR'S AWARD**
- ☐ **LOUIS & ADA VANDERMOLLEN SERVICE AWARD**
- ☐ **KEY CLUB AWARD**
- ☐ **ELAINE PARK "WOMEN IN STEM" SCHOLARSHIP**
- ☐ **MARILYN L. PRIOR "FUTURE TEACHER" SCHOLARSHIP**

**Note:** *If you are applying for more than one scholarship, please submit only one application. Be sure your personal essay (limited to 500 words) includes relevant information that touches on all scholarships you are applying for.*

#### TO BE INCLUDED IN YOUR APPLICATION

- ▶ General Award Application cover sheet (included in this packet)
- ▶ Norco Kiwanis cover sheet (this page)
- ▶ Personal Essay, limited to 500 words. In addition to your personal and scholastic history, please include information regarding your
  - a. involvement in school, community, faith-based organizations, clubs, and/or other commitments such as family or work;
  - b. anticipated college major(s) and possible career goals;
- ▶ Copy of your schools' transcripts: Norco High unofficial transcripts (from the student connect, the counseling clerk, or the college and career clerk).
- ▶ Two letters of recommendation (teacher/school official or employer/community member/religious leader). Each letter should attest to the student's abilities and good character.

#### THE SELECTION PROCESS

- ▶ Return your completed application to Mrs. Toledano in Counseling.
- ▶ The Norco High School Scholarship Committee will select which applications are to be reviewed by the Norco Kiwanis Scholarship Team.
- ▶ Interviews, if permitted, will be scheduled in either March or April to meet with the candidates and select a recipient. Otherwise, the Norco Kiwanis Scholarship Team will make decisions based solely on the students' applications.