## GFWC of Tennessee Scholarship <u>2020-2022</u>

The General Federation of Women's Clubs is an international organization dedicated to community improvement by enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service. The Tennessee Federation awards scholarships of \$1,000 to deserving students in Tennessee. Candidates must be planning to attend or currently be enrolled in a <u>Tennessee</u> college or university.

Application deadline is March 1<sup>st</sup>. After receiving applications, the GFWC of Tennessee Scholarship Committee will evaluate the candidates for a final determination of the distribution. Notification will be made May 1<sup>st</sup>. Previous scholarship winners must reapply to be eligible the following year. Scholarship monies will be mailed directly to the recipient's college or university. Student is responsible for providing GFWC of Tennessee with the necessary information.

The scholarship monies are funded by a certificate of deposit interest and individual club donations specified for the scholarship fund.

## <u>Applications must be received on or before March 1st</u> Preferred Method of Submission is Electronic:

Scan your entire application package to a PDF file and email to blamey62@gmail.com
Or you may mail to: Bonni Lamey, Chairman
2034 Autumn Ridge Way, Spring Hill, TN 37174
Questions? 615-496-1010

A complete information packet for consideration will include:

- 1) Two (2) recommendations ~
  - a. one from a teacher, guidance counselor, or principal
  - b. one from outside the school (employer, minister, etc.)
- Official high school transcript (or college transcript)
- 3) List of <u>significant</u> awards, honors, and achievements (college students use only junior and senior years of high school and college years)
- 4) One-page student essay responding to "What volunteer work have you done, what is the impact you have observed of your volunteer work, and how has it affected you."
- 5) Completed 2-page application including signatures

<u>PLEASE do not staple the pages together</u>. The required attachments must accompany your application and not be mailed separately. In the case of transcript and recommendations, they may be sealed in separate envelopes and included as part of the package. If all components of the applications are not received in hand by March 1<sup>st</sup>, your application will not be eligible.

The Scholarship Committee looks forward to hearing from you and hope we can be of financial assistance in your quest for further education.