

# **South Carolina Walking Horse Association Scholarship Rules and Regulations**

**Effective January 1, 2007**

**The Board of Directors has voted and the General Membership has approved the following Scholarship Program. The current Scholarship Program will be based on a calendar year from January to December. The SCWHA will award two (2) \$1,000.00 Scholarships to be paid to the recipient by August 30<sup>th</sup> of the current year. Scholarship awards are based on available funds. Applications must be postmarked by June 15<sup>th</sup> of the current year. The committee will review and award scholarships and notify recipients by August 15<sup>th</sup> of each year.**

1. Applicant should be a graduating senior or be presently enrolled in a college, university or technical school. SCWHA members accepted into a program of study at one of the above, but not currently enrolled will also be given consideration
2. Applicants must be a current member of the South Carolina Walking Horse Association prior to submitting an application. All scholarship recipients must maintain active membership in the SCWHA throughout the duration of the calendar year for which the scholarship was awarded
3. Applicant must have shown an interest in the Tennessee Walking Horse a minimum of one calendar year prior to the application. Examples of interest include: showing a Tennessee Walking Horse under saddle or at halter, a groom or regularly attending and/or supporting South Carolina horse shows.
4. Each applicant must complete an application from the SCWHA in its entirety. A complete application must include the following:
  - a. Written Application (Form Attached)
  - b. Typed Essay (a minimum of one double spaced typed page in 12 point font but no longer than two pages)
  - c. An Official Transcript from the current educational institution or high school (if applicant will be a freshman)
  - d. A recent photograph
5. The application (and transcript must be postmarked and mailed by June 15<sup>th</sup> of the current year. Completed application must be mailed to:

**Kerry DeArmond  
160 Apalache Duncan Road  
Greer, South Carolina 29651**

6. Application can be requested from any Board Member, Secretary or President of the Association. Rules and application will also be in the Associations Yearly Directory and on the SCWHA website [www.scwha.com](http://www.scwha.com).
7. An applicant must re-apply for the scholarship each year. They must complete a new application in its entirety and follow all rules listed.
8. If for any reason the scholarship winner is unable to complete the year of study, the entire scholarship amount must be refunded in full to the SCWHA Scholarship Fund within six months,
9. The Scholarship Recipients will be recognized at the annual membership meeting (Awards Banquet) and their essay may be read to the general membership by the recipient at that time.

## **Checklist for SCWHA Scholarship Program**

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

**Completed Application  
Typed Essay  
Official Transcript from College of  
High School  
Recent Photograph**

**Please be sure all items are included before  
mailing to:**

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