

# **General Federation of Women's Clubs of Wyoming, Inc.**

## **Ruth Clare Yonkee District Scholarship Fund**

This Scholarship is available on a rotating basis between GFWC-W districts on a yearly basis. It will benefit a Wyoming student who is currently attending or will be attending a Wyoming University, College, or any licensed, accredited technical, vocational or trade school located in Wyoming. Questions about the school's accreditation should be directed to the GFWC-W Scholarship custodian. This year's scholarship recipient will be from the North East region of the State; schools North of Douglas including Douglas and schools east of Sheridan, including Sheridan. So large towns included are Sheridan, Gillette and Casper and then all of the small cities in that region as well.

GFWC-W will determine the amount of the scholarship on a yearly basis and it will be awarded on the basis of scholastic ability, financial need and leadership qualities.

**For the 2020-2021 school year the total amount being awarded for this scholarship will be \$1,000.00. Checks will be sent in early August and early January.**

All successful applicants will be notified before May 1<sup>st</sup> yearly. If chosen, GFWC-W will require the address of your chosen school's financial office and your student number. Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the school's financial office in two equal payments at the beginning of each semester. Any funds not used by the student will be forfeited and returned by the institution to the GFWC-W Scholarship custodian.

### **NO PICTURES PLEASE.**

Please make a copy of this application for your files. No forms will be returned unless requested and accompanied with a legal size, stamped envelope. After the application all personal information will be destroyed except for the necessary contact information.

**Mail to:**

**Karen Bard**

**3225 Mesquite Lane**

**(Please call (307) 343-6919 with any questions.)**

**Laramie, Wyoming 82070**

# Application for the GFWC-W Ruth Clare Yonkee District Scholarship Fund-

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_\_
2. Permanent Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_
3. Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_
4. E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_
6. A personal essay with the following information: (limit 350 words)
  - a) Why are you applying for this scholarship; b) Your financial circumstances and your situation, including but not limited to your dependents, spouse, family and employment; c) Any and all special circumstances; d) All, if any financial aid you are receiving; e) Do you have any specific degree you are pursuing? f) Tell us about your school and extracurricular activities including any community groups to which you belong or volunteer work you are involved in. Please include what school you plan to attend.
7. High School applicants: copies of your most current transcripts and ACT or SAT scores. College applicants: copies of your most current transcripts.
8. Three (3) letters of recommendation, one of which may be personal.

The above eight (8) items are required by GFWC-W, Inc. in order to consider your application and must be postmarked by April 15<sup>th</sup> yearly.

**Having read and understood the requirements of this application and verifying all statements are true to the best of my knowledge, I submit this application for review.**

Student \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Additional forms available at [GFWCWyoming.org](http://GFWCWyoming.org)

