



## Keep McIntosh Beautiful Scholarship Guidelines (2017)

### Scholarship:

- One \$500 scholarship to be given to the school of higher learning for the expenses of the winning student.
- Winners to be chosen by a team (of at least 3 or 5 members) of the KMB Board of Directors.
- Scholarship to be awarded second semester enrolled in college, university or technical college.

### Timeline:

- Due to KMB no later than **April 28, 2017** (postmarked no later than April 28, 2017)  
Mail application, documentation and cover letter to:

**Keep McIntosh Beautiful** , P.O. Box 2055, Darien, GA 31305

Or email application, documentation and cover letter to:

[director@keepmcintoshbeautiful.com](mailto:director@keepmcintoshbeautiful.com)

### Eligibility Criteria:

- Resident of McIntosh County and a member of the current graduating senior class in the year of application or currently enrolled in college, university or technical school
- Cover Letter to include: Name, Address, Phone, E-mail address, Parent/Guardian Name including address and phone number, Institution to which scholarship funds will be applied, with Institution contact name, address and phone number
- Winning student may apply subsequent years as long as activities meet all eligibility criteria
- Involvement or active work during the academic year of application in any clean-up or environmental campaign or project in McIntosh County related to the mission of KMB, including work with another environmental organization. (List of sample activities attached).
- Minimum GPA requirement is 2.5 (high school and/or college work if already enrolled)
- Copy of current transcript

**Project Description and Documentation:** Describe the environmental campaign or project you have been involved with this year, including why you chose this specific campaign or project and its environmental impact/results.

**Documentation:** Include the following as applicable:

- Charts, graphs or tables
- “Before and after” photos, action or other campaign or project photos
- Listing of hours involved, and names of volunteers and organizations who assisted in your campaign or project, demonstrating your leadership in encouraging and involving others

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

First/Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION:

First Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

INSTITUTION TO WHICH APPLIED:

Name of Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_

## **Environmental Campaign or Project DESCRIPTION**

*(at least one page in length, typed in Times New Roman font size 12, double-spaced, add additional pages as needed)*

**Environmental Campaign or Project DOCUMENTATION**  
(photos, graphs, tables, etc.)

## 2017 Keep McIntosh Beautiful Scholarship

### **Samples of Qualifying Environmental Campaigns or Projects**

1. Form an Adopt-A-Highway MCA or other student team. Students pick up at least 3 times during the spring semester of 2017.
2. Create a simple project related to recycling, litter reduction or beautification to benefit MCA, Darien or McIntosh County.
3. Design and complete a simple research project or survey related to recycling, pollution or resource conservation or preservation in McIntosh County. For example, a survey could be conducted to collect information about recycling habits/behavior or attitudes toward recycling among high school students at MCA or some other group. It could also be an online survey of some kind. Compile the results.
4. Design and complete a project for Keep McIntosh Beautiful, such as an awareness campaign related to recycling, litter, pollution or another topic, carried out at MCA or in the community. For example, a series of brief articles for the Darien News, your school newspaper or for the KMB website or KMB Facebook page, aimed at children/students or adults. Create a section about recycling of a particular material for inclusion on the KMB website. For ideas, visit Earth911.com
5. Design and complete a landscaping project at MCA in conjunction with the Agriculture curriculum at MCA.
6. Applicants are invited to work with a MCA faculty member (or College organization if applicant is already enrolled in a college or technical school) Beta Club (for their community service requirement) or work with a KMB Board Member or the executive director to create and complete their project.

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