BRANDON LADIES OF ELKS SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE DETERMINED AVERAGE STUDENT

To Be Eligible for consideration, applicant must:

- 1. Be a resident of the Greater Brandon area and currently attending Armwood, Brandon, Bloomingdale, Durant, Newsome, Spoto or Riverview High Schools, any Hillsborough County Magnet High School, or the equivalent parochial school system.
 - 2. Have shown participation in school, church and community activities.
 - 3. Have been accepted at an accredited institution of higher learning (i.e. Junior college, 4 year college, university or technical institute).
 - 4. Have an academic standing of a B C grade point average.
 - 5. Have shown consistently good attendance records.

The judging procedure will be: A panel of impartial judges that will review all applications received **BY MARCH 2, 2018**. Judges are chosen by the Brandon Ladies of Elks and will make the final selection of awards. Selections of awards will be based on the merits listed. After selection is made, all applications will be returned to the Brandon Ladies of Elks Scholarship Chairman. All winning applicants and parents will be invited to the Annual Awards Banquet as guest of the Brandon Elks Lodge, where the recipients of the scholarships will be announced.

IMPORTANT: Be sure your application packet is in the hands of the Brandon Ladies of Elks Chairperson prior to the established deadline date (MARCH 2, 2018).

Incomplete packets or those received after this date will not be considered.

Awards not claimed will be forfeited 16 months from the date presented at the Youth Awards Banquet

<u>Information included in this packet will be kept in strict confidence.</u>

Applications will be judged on the following merits.

Attitudes: General worthiness and desire.

Needs: Financial needs and resourcefulness

Activities: Work record, school record and community service

Associated with the applicants' field of interest

Skills: Evidence of good aptitude with respect to the

chosen vocation

Grades: High school grades, vocations institutional grades,

standardized test scores, SAT scores

Brochures: Neatly completed – precisely following all directions

All brochures must be in a folder (please punch holes on the left side of the application and clip in folder). We do not want to lose any of your paperwork.

Transcripts of grades, SAT scores, ACT scores or summary sheet must be included in this folder sealed with school seal.

The Counselor Report must be in the folder in a sealed envelope.

DEAD LINE: Applications must be received by March 2, 2018. Scholarship recipients will be announced at the Student Appreciation Banquet in May. Winning applicants and their parents will be invited as our guests.

<u>Please Note:</u> Any student who receives a scholarship award **must** contact the registrar at the college or institute where enrollment has been accepted for **verification** of enrollment. Verification must be forwarded to the **Chairman** of the **Brandon Ladies of Elks Scholarship**Committee. Award money will then be forwarded directly to the financial aid department of the institution in the name of the award recipient.

Mail the completed packet to:

Grace Weigand, Scholarship Chairman Brandon Ladies of Elks, Lodge #2383 800 Centennial Lodge Drive Brandon, Fl. 33510

If you have any questions, you can contact Mrs. Weigand at:

(813) 685-6469 = Lodge

(813) 654-6889 = Home

BRANDON LADIES OF ELKS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR THE DETERMINED AVERAGE STUDENT

NAME:	LAST			
	LAST	FIRST	MIDDLE	
HOME				
ADDRESS	:			
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I have b	een accepted to		rsity or Technical Institution)	
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-	beneficiary of any oth	_	r prepaid college plan? If yes,	
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Activity (club name)	AND EXTRA CURI Grade Level	
Name of Award/Honor	HONORS AND AV Nature of Awar	
List any jobs you have hele		recent and include work on a family
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	ng the sick or elderly,	I someone in the community. Don't mowing lawns, babysitting, tutoring,
please feel free to do so.	Be selective in the exhi	, or would like to attach any exhibits ibits you choose to submit, the idea i

A nominee for this award must have a recommendation from one (1) of his/her teachers. This letter can come from a middle school or high school faculty member.

One additional recommendation must be from one of the following: a church, community, or club organization, or from an adult who has known the applicant for at least five (5) years. Family members are excluded. Recommendations should be sincere and succinct. This is a total of two (2) recommendation letters required.

Please present a paragraph of 200 words or less citing personal reasons addressing motivation for applying for this scholarship.				

Pleas	must prepare an essay of no more than 500 words from one of the following topics. e indicate your topic by checking the appropriate box. This essay must be dated and d. Failure to do so will result in zero points on this section.
[]	Discuss an issue of personal, local or national concern and its' importance to you.
[]	Who do you think is the voice of your generation, and what message does he/she express? Do you agree with the message? Why or why not?
[]	Using one of the leadership roles or extracurricular activities you prioritized as being important to you, describe what impact the experience had on you, what you contributed, what you learned about yourself, and how it has influenced your plans for the future.
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COUNSELOR REPORT

Applicant: Complete the top portion of this page and give it to your counselor or appropriate school official. This section can be completed by your counselor before you are finished with the application.

Student Nan	LAST	FIRST	MIDDLE
questions, even not ranking st	Please include a copy of you en if the information is included cudents, provide information to he in Ladies of Elks will not return t	in the profile. If your selp us identify promis	school has a policy of sing applicants.
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give to the st	e the following items in a sea udent to include in his/her app mpleted Counselor Report For	lication brochure:	
Name (please	e print):	Position:	
Length of tim	e acquainted with applicant:	CHOOLEHIAH.	
Signature		Date	•

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