

**HUDSON LIONS CLUBS**  
**2009 - 2010**  
**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**  
Instructions and Guidelines

**Introduction:** The purpose of the Hudson Lions Clubs Scholarship is to make available to deserving graduates of Hudson High School\* an amount to be applied to the cost of continuing education beyond high school. The institution can be a college, university, technical school, vocational school, or specialized educational school that is certified as post-secondary education.

**Scholarship Amount:** The Hudson Lions Clubs will award two (2) \$1,000.00 Scholarships in 2010. The Clubs reserve the right to decline to award one or both scholarships in the event that applications received do not meet acceptable selection criteria.

**Due Date and Submission Location:** The 2010 Hudson Lions Club Scholarship Application must be completed and returned **NO LATER THAN MARCH 20, 2010 to:**

Hudson Lions Clubs/Attn: Scholarship Committee: P.O. Box 691, Hudson, WI 54016

**Eligibility:** The applicant must be a senior at Hudson High School\* with the necessary requirements to graduate during the current scholarship year.

**Requirements:** The applicant will complete the Hudson Lions Clubs Scholarship Application and submit it along with at least two references by the due date. *[Note: a fellow classmate or casual friend is not an acceptable reference.]* Please ask those providing references to use the attached Reference Form.

**Disbursements of Funds:** The scholarship amount will be disbursed to the winning applicant(s) upon receipt by the Hudson Lions Clubs Scholarship Committee of the student's transcript(s) showing successful completion of at least one semester (or equivalent) of post-secondary education and evidence of enrollment for the upcoming term. *[Note: If the scholarship recipient is on academic probation at the end of the first semester, the scholarship amount shall be held until the end of the second semester, at which time the student's GPA for the year must be 2.0 or greater to be eligible for receipt of scholarship funds. In addition, if at any time before the actual disbursement of scholarship funds the recipient is deemed to have at any time engaged in behavior determined by the Scholarship Committee to be inconsistent with the goals and mission of the Lions organization and which behavior may reflect poorly upon the Clubs' reputation of having representatives of good moral character, the Clubs reserve the right to withdraw the scholarship offer at any time.]*

**Award Selection Criteria:** As the Hudson Lions Clubs are affiliated with Lions Club International, our motto is "We Serve". Lions International is the world's largest service organization serving communities locally, nationally, and internationally through a variety of mediums. With this in mind, the student(s) selected for this scholarship will show, through prior and current actions and attributes, a willingness to serve. The emphasis on this service will be in the areas where the student has helped the community or others. Other factors utilized by the selection committee will be additional information included in the application form, although it will be secondary criteria. The winning student will show an attitude toward service to community and/or others and the potential of continuing this service throughout future years.

\*includes individuals who would have been eligible to enroll in the Hudson School District who will have obtained graduation certification in Spring 2010