

Pleasant Ridge Woman's Club Scholarship Criteria

The Pleasant Ridge Woman's Club is seeking applicants for this year's scholarship awards. All high school seniors living in the Ferndale School District are encouraged to apply, whether their plans include college, university, trade, or vocational studies.

Selection criteria include:

- 3.3 GPA
- Activities, community involvement, jobs (well rounded)
- Essay
- Transcript
- Scholarships received from other sources, colleges, etc.
- Financial Need
- Recommendations – teacher, counselor, coach, employer(private schools automatically provide thin information)

Deadline for submission: April 8, 2024

Submit to: Pleasant Ridge Women's Club
City of Pleasant Ridge – City Hall
23925 Woodward Avenue
Pleasant Ridge, MI 48069

Pleasant Ridge Woman's Club

Applicant's Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____


Name of colleges or trade/vocational schools of higher learning to which you have been accepted:

Name of colleges or trade/vocational schools of higher learning to which you have applied but have not yet been accepted:

Please indicate your planned field of study or your special interests. Please be specific.

Which three words describe you?

What do you consider your greatest accomplishment in high school?

 Please attach a one-page activity sheet listing your school and community activities, awards, leadership positions and employment.

Family Information

Name of Parent/Stepparent/Guardian

Parent/Stepparent/Guardian's Place of Employment

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Are there any unusual family expenses or financial hardships that affect your ability to pay for school?
(e.g., single parent, serious illness, unemployment, disability, etc.)

List ages of children living with you and your parents under the age of 18, *yourself included*:

At the time of this application, what college or trade/vocational program are you most likely to attend?

Name of institution _____ Yearly of attendance \$ _____

If you believe you qualify for need-based scholarships, please indicate your combined yearly gross income
\$ _____ Have you applied for FAFSA? Y N (select one)

Have you received other scholarships, grants or tuition plans? (e.g., MET, TIP, Pell, etc.)

Y N (select one) If yes, please list:

Essay

Required of all applicants: In 200 words or less, please discuss in the event of a fire, what three items would you save? How would this affect your life? Please attach your typewritten essay.

Student and Parent/Guardian Signatures (required)

Student Verification

If I am awarded a scholarship, I will notify the donor—*within ten days*—in writing, of my acceptance or rejection of any award.

If circumstances prevent me from entering college, I will notify the donor immediately.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Verification

I have checked this form for omissions and errors. To the best of my knowledge, the information is complete and correct.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent's Contact # _____ Parent's Email _____

Below for High School Counselor use only

Official Student Information

Weighted GPA _____ Unweighted GPA _____ Class Rank _____ / _____

ACT Score _____ /36 SAT Math _____ /800 Verbal _____ /800 Note:

Most colleges require *either* ACT *or* SAT scores. Community colleges do not require either.

Counselor Recommendation

The student's **curriculum** is (circle one):

Most Demanding

Demanding

Average

Counselor _____ Date _____

Comments (optional):

