BUFFALO SOLDIER CHAPTER
ROCKS, INC.

2018/2019

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET

Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

APPLICANTS MUST:

- Be a Kansas/Missouri High School Senior SY 2018/2019
- Have a GPA of 2.8 or Higher (4.0 Scale)
- **Must submit a sealed Official School Transcript**
- Must plan to attend 4-year College Fall 2019 and **submit a letter of acceptance**
- **Submit Two (2) Letters of Recommendation.** Recommendations should be written by individuals who have supervised you in an academic, employment, or community service setting and who can comment on your intellectual ability, creativity, initiative, sensitivity to others, and leadership potential. Recommendations should not be written by friends or family members. One letter of recommendation must be from school Principal, Teacher, or Guidance Counselor.
- **Submit a 500-word essay**
- **Must complete the Buffalo Soldier Scholarship Application**
- **Provide a recent photo (5x7)**
- **Submit Application** to Buffalo Soldier Chapter, Rocks, Inc to email bscrocksteamftlvn@gmail.com no later than midnight **5 April 2019**

**OR by mail:**
POC Mailing Addresses: Buffalo Soldier Chapter of the ROCKS, Inc Attn: Scholarship Committee P.O. Box 3122 Fort Leavenworth, KS 66027 *(must be postmarked by 5 April 2019)*

**Scholarship Awards:**

1st place - $500
2nd and 3rd place - $350

**NOTE:** Scholarship payment will be made only after receipt of an Official Letter of Acceptance and proof of enrollment from your selected College or University Registrar. Documents must be received prior to **5 April 2019**. If the applicant’s college or university does not send an official letter stating acceptance and official enrollment, then Buffalo Soldier Chapter, ROCKS Inc., has the right not to honor the award to the recipient. Packets that are incomplete will not be considered to compete for the scholarship.
Please complete handwritten, using pen and ink

Name: __________________________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________

E-mail Address: __________________________________________________

Telephone: (______) ________________________________

High School: __________________________ GPA: _____________________

SAT/ACT Score: __________

Have you applied for admission and accepted to a 4-year college or university for the Fall 2019 semester/year? Yes__ No__ If no, discontinue application

College(s) Plan to Attend:
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Other Scholarships Received/Anticipated:
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School Activities:
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Community Service Activities/Hours:
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Honors/Awards Received:
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Applicant’s
Signature:_________________________ Date__________________

Parent/Guardian
Signature:_________________________ Date__________________

Please answer the following questions in four to five sentences or less:
Complete handwritten, using pen and ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

1. Who is your mentor and why?

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2. What are your short and long-term goals?

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3. Do you consider yourself a leader or follower and why?

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4. What is/are the most significant course(s) you have taken in preparation for your career and why?

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Write a 500-word essay on the following topic:

What do you consider to be the single most important societal problem in America? Why?

**Essay Requirements:**
Essay must be typed and double spaced
Font: Times New Roman / 12-pitch, one-inch margins
Content is important, but spelling, grammar, and punctuation are also considered