

### APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The American Chesapeake Club Charitable Trust is pleased to announce the creation of a scholarship fund for students who are active in Conformation, Performance and/or Companion Events with the Chesapeake Bay Retriever dog breed. The individual scholarships will be \$1,000.00, with TWO scholarships being awarded annually, dependent upon suitable applications being received. The ACCCT Scholarship Program will be administered by ACCCT. NOTE: Funds awarded will be remitted directly to the recipients' school.

#### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- 1. All applicants must be active in Conformation, Performance and/or Companion events with a Chesapeake Bay Retriever.
- 2. All applicants must be U.S. citizens or legal residents.
- 3. All recipients must be students in High School (Junior or Senior) or attending a higher education institute (college or vocational), and be 21 years of age, or under, at the time of application submission.

#### **Criteria for Awarding Scholarships:**

- 1. Applicant's degree of involvement in competition events (*Example: as a handler, club member, assistant in hosting event, community involvement in promoting performance events, etc.*)
- 2. Applicant's higher education goals vocational, two or four-year college program, or advanced studies beyond a four-year degree for the current academic year.
- 3. Applicant's GPA.
- 4. Extracurricular activities school, community related, youth organizations (4-H, FFA, Scouts, etc.)

# Application Deadline: February 1st (awarded by May 1st)

All applications must be received on or before the deadline. No application will be considered if it is incomplete (*See below*). NOTE: Applications are available at <u>www.accct.amchessieclub.org</u>

# \*\*\* NO STAPLES PLEASE \*\*\* APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Please remember it is your responsibility to include all requested items. Only complete applications will be considered. Have you included?

- Completed and signed 4-page application form.
- 1-2 Page essay (approximately 250 -500 words).
- Official transcript showing GPA from current school or institute.
- Documentation signed by a club officer describing volunteer work performed for the club. (*This is optional*)
- Letter(s) of reference or recommendation. (*This is optional*)

Submit your completed application and checklist by hard copy, email or both to:

ACCCT Jr. Application Attn: Kathleen Luthy 496 John King Rd. Crestview FL 32539-6358

ripplingwaterschesapeakes@yahoo.com,

include in Subject Line: ACCCT JR SCHOLARSHIP
\*\*\*APPLICATION DEADLINE - FEBRUARY 1st\*\*\*

## I. Applicant Information

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name
Home Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Phone	Email Address	
Date of Birth	Age	
Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes □ No □		Are you a legal resident? Yes □ No □
Have you previously been granted an AKC or other Scholarship? Yes $\square$ No $\square$ If yes, the amount and year:		
II. <b>Involvement</b> - (please attach a separate s	heet if additional room l	s needed)
I. Have you ever been suspended or investigated by the American Kennel Club? Yes $\square$ No $\square$ (If yes, please explain)		
2. Event-giving club(s) of which you are a member - (spell out club name):		
3. How you volunteered to assist at Events and	or other activities held	by a club within the past year:
4. List the breed(s) of dog(s), including AKC or other registration number(s), and the event type you have been involved with:		
5. List achievements and/or titles earned by Chesapeake Bay Retriever(s) which you have trained and/or		
handed:		

# A) Scholastic: 1. Member of Organization or Activity- please state year and name 2. Honors and Awards - state year, organization and nature of honor/award 3. Offices and Positions of Leadership - state year, name or organizations, and office or position B) Extracurricular (School, Community Related, Youth Organizations such as 4-H, FFA, Scouts, etc.): 1. Member of Organization or Activity- please state year and name 2. Honors and Awards - state year, organization and nature of honor/award 3. Offices and Positions of Leadership - state year, name or organizations, and office or position IV. Academic History High School or Institute you currently attend: If high school junior or senior, please list schools to which you have applied or been accepted: Date of expected graduation: Major/ Area of interest: Have you ever been on probation, suspended, or dismissed from high school/institute? Yes $\square$ No $\square$ (If yes, please explain)

**III. Activities** - (please attach a separate sheet if additional room ls needed)

### VI. Essay

The essay allows the committee the opportunity to understand your involvement in purebred dogs and Events. Please write a 250–500-word essay using the prompt:

Tell us a bit about yourself and describe how your involvement in competitive Events has impacted your life.

belief and that I understand any false or concealed i or subsequent termination of my scholarship. Furthe ACCCT to communicate with the Financial Aid office	ered the above questions to the best of my knowledge and information will be grounds for rejection of my application rmore, I hereby authorize the scholarship committee of the e at the university, academic institution, or school necessary in or documentation is requested of me, I shall be pleased to o the school attending.
Applicant's signature	Date Page 4