



Scholarship Description & Instructions

(Complete Application available at www.FriendsofRoughRiver.org or your Counselor Contact)

The Friends of Rough River Lake, Inc., a Kentucky Non-Profit Organization, will award a scholarship to a Breckinridge County and Grayson County senior who plans to attend any post-secondary institute.

Award Amount: \$1,000 (One Thousand Dollars) to each awarded senior. Scholarship award to be used toward reasonable & customary education expenses. **The check will be written after the completion of volunteer hours, which may occur after student graduates from high school.**

College/University/Technical Institute Eligibility: College, University, or Technical School must be accredited.

Student Eligibility: Students must meet **all** of the following criteria:

- A. Resident of eligible county (Breckinridge or Grayson)
- B. High School diploma or GED (received by the time monies are awarded)
- C. Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better
- D. Recommended by a teacher, counselor, or principal
- E. Student volunteers at one of the Friends of Rough River, Inc.'s events (approx 8 hours). Service hours must be completed by Aug 1st. Scholarship will be paid out after the event is done.
- F. No disciplinary or negative behavior record at school.
- G. Student's written submission (answering "Student Merits" questions on Pg 2 of this application.)

Application Process: (What students need to do to apply for this scholarship)

- 1) Contact your school's counselor contact (as noted below). Let them know you intend to apply.
- 2) Complete Pg 2 of this application and return it as the FIRST page of your submission.
- 3) Provide responses requested for Student Eligibility Requirements (A – G) and Student Merit Questions 1 through 6 (Page 2 of application - with your submission. Failure to include any of this information will result in your application being rejected.
- 4) **Submit your completed application and attachments to your counselor no later than March 22nd. This is to ensure that your submission is able to be considered before a final decision is made. The Friends of Rough River reserve the right to disregard ANY applications received by your counselor after that date. Counselors are listed below.**

High School Counselor Contacts:

Hardinsburg (BCHS): Amber.Phillips@breck.kyschools.us (270) 756-3080 Ext. 3041
Cloverport (FFHS): Angela.Dubree@cloverport.kyschools.us (270) 788-3388 Ext. 113
Leitchfield (GCHS): Mona.Higdon@grayson.kyschools.us (270) 259-5459

Completed applications must be turned in by your counselor, to a representative of the Friends of Rough River Lake, Inc. **no later than April 1**. A Friends of Rough River Lake advocate will be assigned to present the merits of each applicant. The final selection of the scholarship award recipient will be made by a Friends of Rough River Committee with notification to the chosen senior on Awards Day. Thank you for your submission! Best of luck to you☺

*Charlie Corbett, President
Friends of Rough River Lake*

**Friends of Rough River Lake
Scholarship Application Form**



(PLACE THIS PAGE ON TOP OF YOUR SUBMITTAL)

Student Name: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

CUMULATIVE GPA: _____

College Choice(s): _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Student Eligibility Requirements – Respond as noted after each item below:

- A. Resident of eligible county: Breckinridge or Grayson (NOTE YOUR ADDRESS above)
- B. High School diploma or GED (NOTE EXPECTED GRADUATION OR GED COMPLETION DATE)
- C. Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better (NOTE YOUR CUMULATIVE GPA ABOVE)
- D. Recommended by a teacher, counselor, or principal (ATTACH THEIR RECOMMENDATION)
- E. WINNER WILL volunteer at a Friends of Rough River event after the award of the scholarship. **Service hours are to be completed by August 1** of graduation year. (WINNER can sign up for service hours by calling Charlie or Cathy Corbett at 270-257-0605.) **Scholarship award will be paid after volunteer service hours have been worked.**
- F. No disciplinary or negative behavior record at school. (ATTACH NOTE FROM COUNSELOR.)
- G. Submit your written response to Questions #1 through 6 below. Since our decision may be based as much on what you've given BACK to your school, your community and your area, please take the time to tell us about you by answering the questions below.

Student Merit Questions – Answer the following questions to explain why YOU deserve this award above others that meet the above criteria?

- 1) What community activities have you supported or been involved in?
- 2) What school related extracurricular activities are you involved in?
- 3) Why do you think you deserve this scholarship award?
- 4) What does Rough River Lake mean to you?
- 5) How will you use your education to benefit society as a whole?
- 6) Is there anything else you would like us to know about you, or thing we should consider?

I authorize the verification of my GPA and disciplinary/behavior record via school counselor for the committee's evaluation.

Student Signature	Date	Parent/Legal Guardian Signature	Date
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