

# **Central Texas Golf Course Superintendents Association**

# **Legacy Scholarship**

Administered by

The Central Texas Golf Course Superintendents Board of Directors

**Application Deadline: September 15, 2023** 

Return completed application to Central Texas Golf Course Superintendents Association 8553 N. Beach Street, PMB 260, Fort Worth, TX 76244 (817) 368-3002

## The CTGCSA Legacy Scholarship

Information for Applicants

### General

The CTGCSA Legacy Awards competition offers education aid to the children and grandchildren of CTGCSA members. The award is administered by The CTGCSA Board of Directors.

Applications will be reviewed by an independent committee. All decisions of the committee will be final. Applicants will be notified of their status by mail the Toy Drive of the year submitted. All scholarship award checks will be made payable to the applicant and his/her educational institution.

# **Eligibility**

One or more of the applicant's parents or grandparents must have been a CTGCSA member for five or more consecutive years and must be currently active, attend at least three (3) meetings in 2023 (and be in good standing).

- 1. CTGCSA member in one of the following classifications: A or B Superintendent Member, C, Retired-A, Retired-B, AA Life, or an Affiliate Member. The competition is open to children or grandchildren of CTGCSA members. Children or grandchildren of deceased members are also eligible if the member was active at the time of his or her death.
- 2. The student must be enrolled full-time at an accredited institution of higher learning, or in the case of high school seniors, must be accepted at such an institution for the next academic year. Graduating high school seniors must attach a letter of acceptance to their application.
- 3. Past winners are ineligible to apply the following year. They may reapply after a one-year hiatus.
- 4. Although any number of students from the same family may apply, only one student per family will be eligible to receive an award.

#### **Criteria for Selection**

- 1. Applicants will be evaluated based on academic achievement, extracurricular and community involvement, leadership, and outside employment.
- 2. The student must submit an original essay of up to 500 words. The essay must be original and not previously submitted to CTGCSA.

Financial need is not a factor in the selection.

## **How to Apply**

Students must complete and submit the attached application form and supply the following under one cover:

- 1. Transcripts from all high schools and colleges attended.
- 2. Typed original essay.
- 3. Graduating high school seniors must attach a collegiate letter of acceptance to their application.
- 4. All applications must be postmarked by September 15 of the year submitted.
- 5. Additional application booklets may be obtained on the CTGCSA website (<a href="www.CTGCSA.org">www.CTGCSA.org</a>) or from Carol Cloud (817-368-3002) or carolcloud2003@gmail.com.
- 6. Send the packet to:

CTGCSA Legacy Scholarship Central Texas Golf Course Superintendents Association 8553 N. Beach Street, PMB 260, Fort Worth, TX 76244

# CTGCSA Legacy Scholarship Program

Your scholarship application will be judged by its appearance. It is important to remember the following tips:

- 1. Read the instructions carefully.
- 2. Request information that you must obtain from others early. When your school will be sending transcripts directly to us, check back with the school about a week after you make your request to make sure your transcripts have been sent.
- 3. If you have questions, call the number on the application.
- 4. Try and have your application arrive as early as possible.
- 5. Provide all the information required. Do not submit an incomplete application.
- 6. Do not include extra items.
- 7. Proof all materials. Have one or two other people proof your essay. Use spell check.
- 8. Type your application. If you do not have a computer or a typewriter, go to the computer lab at your school.
- 9. Be neat. If you need additional pages to fully answer a question, use them.
- 10. Use white paper. Do not use staples.
- 11. Make copies of your finished application for reference.

#### Checklist for a complete application

Carefully complete each question in application.
Sign where indicated.
Attach transcripts from all universities and post-secondary schools that include grades from the last completed semester. The transcripts do not need to be official.
Attach required essay.
If you are a graduating high school senior, attach a letter of acceptance from the college you plan to attend.

#### Deadline for Submitting Application

Completed applications must be postmarked by September 15, 2023. Mail applications to:

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**Application Form**It is very important that you **TYPE** this form.

Section 1						
Name		Date				
Permanent Address						
City	State	ZIP				
Primary Phone ( ) E-mail						
Secondary Phone ( )						
Section 2—Member Relative Information						
Name of Member						
Relationship to Applicant:						
City/State/ZIP						
GCSAA Member # CTGCSA Member since						
Current Classification (Month/year)						
Member's signature						
Section 3						
List in chronological order high school this information is complete. (Note: the school transcript.)						
Name/Location of Institution	Dates Attended	GPA (4.0 scale)	Date of Graduation*			

<sup>\*</sup>If pending, please indicate the date you expect to graduate.

Section 3 continued
Are you now attending college?
If so, which college?
If not, have you been accepted for the fall semester?   Yes  No
Which school?
What is/will be your major?
List any academic distinctions and honors you have received during high school or college:
List school or college activities in which you have participated (athletics, clubs, school paper, fine arts, etc.). Please note any honors or distinctions you have received:
List your activities outside of school or college (clubs, organizations, community service, etc.):
Have you ever been a member of:
☐ FFA ☐ LPGA Girls Golf ☐ The First Tee
MANRRS (Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources and Related Sciences)
Other

Section 3 continued					
List any offices held in	schoo	l or community or	ganizations:		
List employment you ha	ave he				
Type of Work		Employer		<b>Employment Dates</b>	
List any other scholarsh	ips av	varded:			
Scholarship		Sponsor	Date	9	Amount
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Do you qualify for in-st	ate tu	ition? Yes	☐ No		

Please give the name(s) and address (es) of your local and school newspapers:			
<b>.</b>			
Local newspaper			
Address			
City, State and Zip Code			
School newspaper			
Address			
City, State and Zip Code			
Section 4			
Attach a typed essay that does not exceed 500 words. The essay must be original and not			
previously submitted to CTGCSA. The essay should be on one of the following topics:			
1. Who has been the most influential person in your life? Why?			
2. How has your education contributed to who you are today?			
3. Please describe the personal achievement of which you are most proud.			
4. Identify a social or political issue that concerns you and explain what actions you			
have taken in your community to address it.			
5. What do you consider the most important person or event of the last five years?			
Explain why.			
6. Where do you see yourself in ten years?			
7. What are your short- and long-term goals?			
8. Why is protecting the environment important to you?			
Certification			
I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.			
(Applicant's Signature) (Date)			