



Green-Rock Audubon Society Scholarships

Purpose

In recognition and thankfulness to the Gibbs Family, Green-Rock Audubon Society offers scholarships to promote conservation education, environment and climate sciences, and love of wild places and species through higher education and other educational experiences.

Eligibility

The criteria on which applications will be judged are listed in order of importance. Each application is to be reviewed by a committee and will be judged on the merit of one or more of the following:

1. The applicant resides in Rock County or Green County
2. The applicant has the intention of studying biology, geology, environmental science, conservation, or other subjects related to the mission of Green-Rock Audubon.
3. The applicant's written reason and commitment are worthy of funding.
4. The applicant self-identifies as a minority in their field of study (e.g. A person of color studying forestry).
5. Green-Rock Audubon reserves the right to withhold awards in a given year.

Due Dates

Scholarship applications will be due Mar. 25th. Committee will review in March & April. Awards will be announced by May 15th.

Scholarship Amounts

Two scholarships in the amount of \$1000 each will be awarded to higher education students. Scholarships are also available to students of all ages for other learning opportunities, such as summer camps, if they meet the field of study criteria.

How to Apply

Application essays will answer the following question in 1-2 pages and can be submitted by email to community@greenrockaudubon.org.

College Scholarship Question: What facet of environmental studies are you focused on? How do you believe your higher education will positively affect the future of the environment? Please make sure your essay submissions are typed, double-spaced, and 11 point readable font. Be sure to include your name, year of study, intended major, and the name of the higher education institution you will attend.

Camp Scholarship Question: How do you expect your camp experience to positively affect you and your community? Please include your name, age, and the name of the camp you wish to attend. Also, answer: Will you attend this camp if you do not receive the scholarship?

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