

# **Cobb County Republican Women's Club**

## ***Babe Atkins-Byrne \$1,000.00 Scholarship***

### **Purpose:**

This scholarship was established to honor *Babe Atkins-Byrne in 2006* for her untiring work and service in CCRWC. She served as the Membership Chairman for more than 20 years. As a result of her efforts through the years, the Cobb County Club became the largest Republican Women's Club in the state of Georgia. After Babe passed away in 2020, the scholarship now remains in honor of her memory.

The scholarship is to be awarded to a female Cobb County resident who is a rising freshman, or already enrolled in a secondary education program. The scholarship is provided to assist in the undergraduate educational development of the student that is currently enrolled in a secondary education program.

### **Process:**

The CCRWC Scholarship Committee consist of a chairman and two members.

- The Committee will meet and review the applications. It shall make a decision to award the scholarship(s) to no more than two applicants based on budget approvals by the Board.
- An interview in person, by phone or by zoom with an applicant or applicants will be scheduled by the Scholarship Committee.
- An applicant who is active duty military and/or has served in combat in the past thirty-six (36) months shall be given high consideration.
- The check is sent directly to the college or university where the applicant has been accepted or is currently enrolled. The applicant is to provide the committee a correct address for where the check is to be mailed.
- An applicant who has applied and/or received this scholarship in any previous year may apply again.

### **Deadlines:**

- April 15th – Application Available
- June 1<sup>st</sup> – Application Due – via email or mail
  - Email to: [scholar@ccrwc.org](mailto:scholar@ccrwc.org)
  - Or mail to: **CCRWC Scholarship, P.O. Box 4476, Marietta GA 30061-4476**
  - If you are sending in the mail, please email that you have sent your application so that we can be looking for it in the mail.
- By June 15<sup>th</sup> – Notification to Students
- June 30<sup>th</sup> – Notification to and disbursement of check to the school
- Presentation – Presentation to Student – if student/parent is available to attend the meeting at lunch event designated by the Committee

### **Application Guidelines:**

- Print single-sided sheets and, if hand written, use black or blue ink.
- Fill out the application completely. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

### **Results:**

All applicants are notified of the results. All scholarship recipients are invited as a guest to the General Meeting of the Cobb County Republican Women's Club where the presentation of the scholarship is made. While the Committee prefers the winning applicant to attend, some circumstances prohibit attendance; in that case, she should make every effort to send someone to accept the presentation on her behalf.

**Disbursement:** Disbursement is made in the form of a check that is payable to the educational institution of choice and addressed to the financial aid officer to credit the account of the student.

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## Babe Atkins-Byrne Scholarship Application

### Section 1: Student and Institution Information

Type or print the following information:

Applicant's Complete Name:		
Home Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Other Address, if applicable:		
Email Address & Phone Number		
Have you served in the U.S. Military? If so branch and dates.		
Birth Date: If you are a scholarship recipient, you will need to provide your Student ID or Social Security Number. DO NOT PROVIDE when you apply.		
Parent/Guardian Name:	Occupation:	
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Name of College/University/Secondary Institution :		
Address of College/University/Secondary Institution :		
Financial Aid Officer's name, if known:		
Address to mail check:		

## Section 2: Attachments

1. Attach the most recent copy of your transcript (high school, college or university) to verify that your grade point average is 3.0 or higher.
2. Include a letter of recommendation from a school counselor, teacher, or a non-family member. A second letter is acceptable.
3. Write an approximate 250-word essay describing your career goals in your chosen field. The first paragraph of the essay should explain use of funds for the scholarship. Note: If you are emancipated, this is the place to explain.
4. Attach a detailed list of participation and achievements in community and/or military service you have performed outside of school, including the length of participation, offices held, and any awards received.
5. Attach a detailed list of participation and achievements inside of school, including the length of participation, offices held, and any awards received.
6. Attach a detailed list or statement which provides evidence of membership, involvement or participation in a Republican organization or events.
7. Please attach a statement answering these questions:
  - Have you previously applied for this scholarship? If so when?
  - Have you been awarded this scholarship previously? If so when?
  - Has anyone in your immediate family previously applied for this scholarship? If so, who and when?
  - Has anyone in your immediate family previously received this scholarship? If so, who and when?

## Section 3: Certification

Are you receiving the Georgia HOPE Scholarship or a Grant? Yes / No

Are you receiving other funding, scholarships, or financial assistance? Yes / No

If yes, please explain:

*I certify that the information in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.*

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_