



## **WROC Student Leaders Scholarship**

### **Application due by April 24<sup>th</sup> 2009**

WROC-TV 8  
201 Humboldt Street  
Rochester, NY 14610-1093

### **General Description of Award**

WROC and HSBC will award five \$1000 scholarships per school year to high school seniors in the WROC viewing area. The scholarships recognize students with demonstrated leadership skills and commitment to community service throughout their high school career.

### **Scholarship Eligibility**

- Enrollment in grade 12 in any public, private or parochial school in a district in the WROC viewing area.
- Student must have applied to an accredited college or university.
- Student must have an overall satisfactory academic standing.
- Student must be involved in demonstrable community service within their community of residence.

### **Application Materials Required**

- A completed application form.
- An essay written by the student on the topic stated in the application.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation. One from a school official who knows the student, and one personal recommendation from a community member. Letters of recommendation are to be sent directly to WROC, not to the student.
- Deadline for receipt of applications and letters of recommendation is April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2009. All materials must be sent via US mail and postmarked by the deadline, or hand delivered to WROC by 5:00pm on the deadline date. Faxed or e-mailed materials will not be accepted.
- Materials received after deadline will not be eligible for award consideration.



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**Please type or print clearly:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Present grade \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
                  month    day    year

Parents/guardians (full name of each) \_\_\_\_\_

Address if different from your home address \_\_\_\_\_

High school principal \_\_\_\_\_

High school name & address \_\_\_\_\_

High school guidance counselor \_\_\_\_\_

**Please provide GPA and SAT scores below, signed by your Guidance Counselor.**

<b>GPA</b>	<b>SAT SCORE</b>
Grade 9 _____	Verbal _____
Grade 10 _____	Math _____
Grade 11 _____	

Guidance Counselor Signature \_\_\_\_\_

The judges will consider community involvement & volunteer work closely. Please List the activities below that demonstrate your leadership abilities.

**Community**

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**Educational**

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**Sports**

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**List any awards, honors and/or community recognition you have received.**

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Are you working during the school year? \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_ Hrs/Wk \_\_\_\_\_

### **References**

Copy the next page of this application and ask one high school faculty/staff member, and a community member who knows you personally to support your candidacy for selection. These references should be mailed separately. You might want to provide each reference with a stamped envelope for this purpose, addressed to WROC. Please list the names and titles of your references below, and add their building location and telephone number if they are not in your high school.

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_

# Reference

Personal Reference Form – 2009

Please return to:

WROC-TV  
201 Humboldt Street  
Rochester, NY 14610

The student named below has applied for a WROC Student Leaders Scholarship. Please comment on qualities of this student, and indicate in what context you have known this student. References are requested by April 24, 2009. Please mail directly to WROC. Use back of sheet if additional space is needed.

Personal reference for: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_ School District \_\_\_\_\_

School Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## **Essay**

Respond to the following statement with a maximum of 500 words.

Please type or use dark blue or black ink so that pages will reproduce clearly.

**Identify an issue confronting your school or community. Discuss how you would resolve the issue using your current knowledge and experience, and that which you anticipate gaining through future study.**