



RAPID CITY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

JUNIOR LEADERSHIP RAPID CITY

Alumni Scholarship Application

The Junior Leadership Rapid City Scholarship is a \$500 award, presented annually to one alumnus of the Junior Leadership Rapid City program who demonstrates leadership qualities and potential as well as a commitment to community involvement.

This scholarship is sponsored by the Leadership Rapid City Board of the Chamber of Commerce and contributions from alumni of the adult Leadership Rapid City program.

Eligible applicants for the Junior Leadership Rapid City Scholarship are:

- Graduates of the Junior Leadership Rapid City program
- Accepted and committed to attend a college, university or technical program in the same year of application for the scholarship (but not limited to graduating high school seniors or first year post secondary students.)
- Not previous recipients of the Junior Leadership Rapid City Scholarship

ALL application materials should be mailed together to the address below. Materials must be RECEIVED or postmarked by the deadline, **March 15, 2019** to be considered. Application materials may also be hand-delivered (M-F, 8 am – 5 pm MDT) to the Chamber office located at the Rushmore Plaza Civic Center.

**Junior LRC Alumni Scholarship
Rapid City Area Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 747
Rapid City, SD 57709**

Application materials will be reviewed by the Junior Leadership Rapid City Committee of the Leadership Rapid City Board. The winner will be selected in late March and will receive a formal award letter. All applicants will be informed by letter once the winner has been selected. The scholarship winner will be featured in the Leadership Rapid City Alumni Newsletter, and will be presented with the award at an appropriate venue, to be determined after selection.

Complete all items on the following page; attach additional sheets as necessary.

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Personal Information

Responses should be printed legibly in black ink or typed.

Name: _____ Jr. LRC Class (year): _____

Address: _____
Street/City/State/ZIP

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email: _____ High School GPA: _____

*High School: _____
Name of School/City, State/Year of Graduation

College, university or technical school you will attend in the fall (name and location):

*INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT with your application materials.

Leadership and Community Involvement

For this section, TYPE all responses on a separate sheet. No hand-written responses please.

A. List any honors or awards you have received from high school to the present.

B. List extracurricular school activities you have participated in from high school to the present and any leadership positions you have held in those activities.

C. List community activities or volunteer work you have participated in from high school to the present and any leadership positions you have held in those activities.

D. Choose ONE of the following questions and type a ½-1 page response.

1. Discuss one connection between your experience in Junior LRC and your decision to enroll in your chosen school or program.
2. In what specific ways do you foresee that your leadership skills and/or community involvement will develop as a result of your experience in your chosen school or program?

Letters of Recommendation

Submit two letters of recommendation from teachers, employers, youth activities leaders or other adults not related to you who can comment on:

1. Your academic and/or professional capabilities
2. Your leadership skills and potential
3. Your personal character

Each letter of recommendation should be typed and signed, sealed in an envelope with the author's signature across the seal and given to the applicant to submit together with the rest of the application materials.

Applicant's Signature

The information contained in this application was prepared by me and is true and accurate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____