

Information about the Harriett Marks Scholarship, awarded by the New Bern Historical Society

Thank you for your interest in the Harriett Marks Scholarship Program. The Harriett Marks Scholarship was established by a trust estate which was created in 1968 under the terms of the will of Miss Harriett Marks as a memorial to the O. Marks family, and is awarded annually based on **both scholarship and financial need**. With successful academic performance in college or university, the scholarship is renewed for three additional years.

The Trust which funds this Scholarship designates that it be awarded to a senior graduating from New Bern High School and that the scholarship contribute to the tuition, board or lodging for the purpose of obtaining higher education at an accredited college, university or other institution of higher learning.

The scholarship program has been most successful. We are very proud of the academic records of our scholarship recipients over the years, and we look forward to contributing to more students who will maintain this tradition.

Scholarship applications are available at the New Bern Historical Society at the address below and on the New Bern High School website. The 2017 scholarship application date will be **Friday, March 17, 2017**.

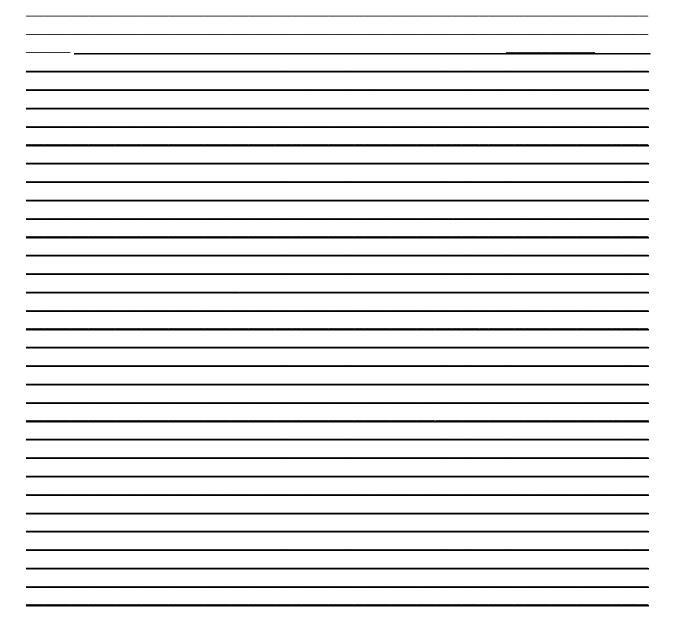
<u>new bern historical society</u> HARRIETT MARKS SCHOLARSHIP FUND 2017 APPLICATION

APPLICANT NAME				
(First)		(Middle)	(Last)	
Present address				
City	State _	Zip		
Phone (home)		(cell)		
(E-mail)				
Age Date of bir	th			
Sex: Female Male	· <u> </u>			
HIGH SCHOOLS ATTENDE	ED:			
<u>Name</u> <u>A</u>	<u>ddress</u>		Dates	
PARENTS: Father: Living Dece	ased	Mother: Livi	ng Deceased	
Full Name		Full Name		
Employer		Employer		
Job Title		Job Title		
# of brothers you have				
Ages of brothers		Ages of sisters		
List others in family who are	in college and th	eir college class		
Number of people depender	nt on your parents	s for support (ind	cluding parents):	
Parents combined annual gr	oss income from	all sources befo	ore taxes: \$	
List all other scholarships ap	plied for, amount	t of each, and w	hether you have been	
awarded any of these to date	e:			
Will you live on campus	Will	you commute fi	rom home	

Describe any special financial challenges facing your family:

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

List all school activities including sports, clubs and other school organizations of which you have been a member; list school letters won, school honors, class or club offices held, and all other school activities or honors. Attach an additional sheet if this space is insufficient.



RELIGIOUS OR CHURCH ACTIVITIES:

List all activities, positions of leadership and honors.

- 1_____2 2_____3 _____4_____5_____
- 6_____

OTHER COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

List all community activities of which you have been a part, positions of leadership held, honors received for example, Boy or Girl Scouts, community drives, baseball teams, YMCA, 4-H clubs, etc.

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If you were on our selection committee, why would you choose yourself for this scholarship? Answer this by stating in your own words and in your own handwriting your ambitions and reasons for wishing to continue your education. We appreciate your limiting this to 100 words - use an additional sheet if necessary.



What occupation are you planning for your life's work?				
If undecided, give your first three choices in order of preference (1) 2)				
(3)				
What especially appeals to you concerning your choice(s)?				
Name & address of the college you expect to attend				
Have you been accepted: YES NO if answer is "no" what is the present status of your application?				
State in your own words your vocational ambitions and educational plans. We appreciate your limiting this to 100 words. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet.				

THE APPLICANT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Checklist:

- Have a high school transcript, estimate of academic standing of applicant in graduating class, number in class, and letter of recommendation sent by your principal or your counselor on your behalf, directly to the address listed below.
- Furnish all SAT and/or ACT scores.
- Forward three letters from responsible citizens, who are not relatives, testifying to your character, personality, and general worthiness to receive the scholarship.
- Furnish student FAFSA report (<u>Free Application for Federal Student Aid</u>).

Applicant's Signature _____

Parent (or Guardian) Signature _____

THE ABOVE LISTED ITEMS MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION AND BE SENT DIRECTLY TO THE ADDRESS LISTED BELOW by Friday, March 17, 2017:

New Bern Historical Society Attn: Harriett Marks Scholarship Committee 511 Broad Street, New Bern, NC 28560 252-638-8558

- Finalists will be notified that they are to interview with the Harriett Marks Scholarship Committee.
- Following the interviews, the Harriett Marks Scholarship Committee will notify the person to whom the scholarship is awarded.
- The Harriett Marks Scholarship will be awarded at the Annual Membership Meeting and Awards Dinner of the New Bern Historical Society in June, 2017. The awardee and parents are invited to the Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner as guests of the Historical Society.