

2022 Betty Jo Neils Scholarship
of the Greater Tacoma Community Foundation
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This \$1000 scholarship was created to provide financial support for a Pierce County Republican woman to help continue her education. She needs to be a currently enrolled community/technical college or university student (which includes Running Start) with a minimum GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale as well as a resident of Pierce County. This scholarship must be used at an institution of higher education beginning in Fall of 2022. This is a one-time award; financial need is not a factor.

A completed hard copy application packet must include the following:

- The application form with all five sections completed (expanded answers may be a printed attachment) -- 45 pts
- Two letters of recommendation, with contact information included --20 pts
- A copy of your college transcript (unofficial is acceptable) – 5 pts
- One page essay on why you should be considered for this scholarship. Describe your career/academic goals, leadership positions, household/employment commitments, volunteer/community/political involvement (including social media networks), and beliefs reflecting the advancement of traditional values as well as financial and personal responsibility – 30 pts

Send to: Leslie Watts - Scholarship Chair
Lakewood Republican Women
P.O. Box 45518
Tacoma, WA 98448-5518

Applications must be postmarked no later than May 27, 2022, delivered personally, or sent electronically to lesliegwatts@yahoo.com.

All applicants will be notified by email by June 4th, and the scholarship will be officially presented at Lakewood Republican Women's Scholarship Luncheon, Saturday, June 25, 2022

Additional electronic applications are available by contacting the Committee Chair, Leslie Watts at lesliegwatts@yahoo.com or call (253) 380-4290.

The application, letters, essay and transcript must be submitted as one packet.

Thank you for your interest. We look forward to learning more about you as we thoughtfully consider your scholarship application.

Warmest regards,

Leslie Watts

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APPLICATION FOR THE 2022 BETTY JO NEILS SCHOLARSHIP

Section A – Personal Information

Applicants Name

Home address with street, city, state, and zip code

Phone #

Email address

Section B – School information

Name of college or university

Address of college including city, state, and zip code

Name of person who contacted you about this scholarship

Your graduation date

Grade Point Average

List of high school/college activities and achievements (understanding that 2020 had restricted access) : (attach separate sheet if necessary)

Section C – Community and Political Activities and Interests

If you are 18, are you a registered voter? _____

Did you participate in any recent elections or Caucus? _____

On a separate sheet, please write a statement about your community or political involvement that answers any or all of these questions: Have you participated in any community or political activities? What was your involvement? What did you learn? How did your involvement influence you? What would you like to do in the future?

Section D – Community and Other Experiences

List any of your volunteer/community involvement or work experiences.

List your favorite hobbies, interests, organizations.

Section E – Verification

I verify that the information in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's signature

Date