**Daisy Mtn. Rock and Mineral Club Scholarship**

The Daisy Mountain Gem and Mineral Club is a non-profit (501-3C) Arizona organization offering a $1,500 Geosciences scholarship each calendar year to one qualified graduating high school senior attending BCHS, BGHS, SDOHS. The scholarship is specifically intended to support one student planning to further one’s education in the Geosciences (geology, geophysics, paleontology, hydrology, oceanography, marine science, atmospheric science, planetary science, meteorology, environmental science, and soil science).

The single $1,500 DMRMC scholarship award will be paid to the appropriate higher learning institution’s financial aid office to be applied to the enrolled student’s fees. Successful applicants will be required to verify admission and enrollment at a two- or four-year college or university for the following school year.

In the absence of a qualified applicant, the scholarship will be rolled over into the next calendar year and increase in size ($3,000). The scholarship will be awarded without regard to race, sex, religion, age, or national origin. The application deadline for the scholarship in the calendar year 2020 is April 1. The scholarship will be awarded later in May at the Senior Awards Assembly. The 2020 award will be null and void if the winner is not enrolled in an institution of higher education within one year of the award. Special circumstances will be reviewed and decided upon by DMRMC membership.

**DMRMC SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY AND CRITERIA**

1. Applicant must currently be a graduating senior in good standing and attend Boulder Creek High School, Barry Goldwater High School, or Sandra Day O’Connor High School.

2. Applicant must have plans to attend either a 2- or 4-year college or university in the Fall of 2020, or Spring of 2021.

3. The student must have an expressed interest in, and a plan to, pursue study in the Geosciences.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

To be considered for the DMRMC 2020 Scholarship Award of $1,500, applicants must complete and return the application form to DMRMC by April 1, 2020. The application must include:

- A. Completed application form.

- B. One completed recommendation form, completed by a teacher or school official from the applicant’s present school. A family member may NOT fill out the recommendation form. Applicants please note: *fill in the top portions of the DMRMC recommendation form before you forward the form to your reference provider.*

All forms, letters, and related materials must be submitted to DMRMC by hand or postmarked by April 1, 2020 to be considered. DMRMC is not responsible for applications late or lost in the mail. Applications are available at the Daisy Mountain website (www.dmrmc.com). Mail completed applications to: Daisy Mountain Gem and Mineral Club, ATTN: Scholarship Committee, PO Box 74215, Phoenix, AZ 85087.
Daisy Mountain Rock and Mineral Club
Scholarship Application

****Application Deadline: April 1, 2020

General Information

Applicant Name: _____________________________________________________________

(first) (MI) (last)

Date of Birth: ___________________________

Home Address: _________________________________, AZ __________

(city) (zip code)

Home Phone Number: ________________________

Father/Guardian_______________________________Occupation:___________________________

Mother/Guardian______________________________ Occupation: _________________________

Education Information

Name of College/University applicant will attend in the Fall of 2020 or Spring of 2021:

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Address: _________________________________________________________________________

City: ______________________________ State: ____________________ Zip Code: __________

School’s Financial Aid Office Phone Number (if known): _____________________________

What field within the geosciences are you planning to pursue a career and what made you choose this particular one?

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Activities and Achievements

1. List any school activities, clubs, athletic teams in which you have participated during the past four years and list the grades in which you participated in them:

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2. List any volunteer and/or community activities (unpaid) in which you have participated during the past four years.
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3. List any recent part or full time jobs you have held:
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4. List any special awards, honors, accolades, or distinctions you have received during the past four years:
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Applicant Statement
The Information provided in my application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate. I understand that false statements on this application will disqualify me. By signing, I or parent/guardian, give permission for DMRMC to publish information and photo in DMRMC newsletter (Daisy Mountain Rockchips), on our website, and possibly local newspapers.

IMPORTANT: Please state if you do not wish your photo to be taken or used for said purposes.

Photo OK __________ (Initials) or Please, No Photo __________ (Initials)

Applicant’s Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________

If applicant is under 18 years of age at submission date of April 1, 2020, parent/guardian signature is required.

Parent/Guardian Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________

Print Parent/Guardian Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________

Parent/Guardian Address: ________________________________________________
**Daisy Mountain Rock and Mineral Club Scholarship: 2020**

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**Recommendation Form**

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**Important: Dated Material**

The student noted on this Recommendation Form is applying for the Daisy Mountain Rock and Mineral Club Annual 2020 Scholarship Award of $1,500.

Please complete pages two and three and either mail to the address indicated or return to the student in a sealed envelope for submission.

The Recommendation Form for this student must be submitted to DMRMC before the deadline date of **April 1, 2020**.

**PURPOSE:** The Daisy Mountain Rock and Mineral Club (DMRMC) is a nonprofit corporation (501-C3) established in 2011, for the purpose and mission to promote and further an interest in geology, mineralogy, and lapidary arts through education, field experiences, public service, and friendship.

Membership is open to all interested people. The desire of our membership is to award an educational scholarship to an eligible student meeting the criteria set forth by DMRMC. We propose to give support for a student planning to further his/her education in any area of the geosciences.

DMRMC fosters interest and education in the wonders of nature via meetings, classes, field trips, presentations, shows, and through our newsletter, “Daisy Mountain Rockchips,” as well as the sharing of related materials, and through personal sharing experiences. Daisy Mountain Rock and Mineral Club holds membership with the American Federation of Mineralogical Societies and the Rocky Mountain Federation of Mineralogical Societies.

**IMPORTANT: DEADLINE FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION MATERIALS, INCLUDING THIS RECOMMENDATION FORM, IS APRIL 1, 2020.**
Section One: **To be filled out by the Applicant**

Applicant’s First Name: _____________________ M.I.______ Last Name ______________________

Home Address: ________________________________________________________________

City: ______________________ Zip Code: ______________________________

Section Two: **To be filled out by the person giving the Recommendation**

1.) In what capacity have you known the applicant?

   _____ Teacher
   _____ Counselor
   _____ Home Room Advisor
   _____ Coach

2.) How long have you known this student? ______________________________
Recommendation Form Continued

Please use the space below (or on a separate sheet of paper) to provide your recommendation of the above-named applicant for the DMRMC scholarship. If a separate sheet of paper is used, please attach it to this form for submission.

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Signed: ____________________________ Date __________________________

Printed Name: __________________________________________________________________

Title: _________________________________________________________________________

Please return this form to:

DMRMC
P.O. Box 74215
Phoenix, Az. 85087

(OR)

Return form to the student in a sealed envelope so it they can submit it with their application.

Thank You!