



January 5, 2017

Ms. Kathryn Misa, Director of Guidance
Wall High School
1630 18th Avenue
Wall, New Jersey 07719

Dear Ms. Misa:

THE BAYBERRY GARDEN CLUB OF BRIELLE awards scholarships to high school seniors and undergraduate students of Monmouth and Ocean Counties to promote the study of Horticulture, Horticulture Therapy, Floriculture, Landscape Design, Botany, Plant Pathology, Agronomy, Environmental Sciences, City or Town Planning or Community Gardens, Land Management, Integrated Pest Management, Farming, Sustainable Gardening and related subjects.

We are enclosing a copy of the **application with requirements for consideration**. (Kindly copy and hand out an application to interested students or their families.) All documents specified on the application form must be submitted, with the completed application, **postmarked March 31, 2017 to The Bayberry Garden Club of Brielle, Inc., Post Office Box 605, Brielle, New Jersey 08730.**

Any questions pertaining to this scholarship may be mailed to our Post Office Box, or by contacting, Patricia Polunas, President-Chairperson of Scholarships at gardenpower823@gmail.com

Awards may be based on academic excellence, community service, current interest or involvement in the fields of farming, gardening, agriculture, etc. Extracurricular activities, work experience, academic honors and Monmouth County and/or Ocean County New Jersey residency are requirements. Scholarships awarded have been up to \$1000 in the past. Scholarships will be forwarded to recipient's school of choice.

Very truly yours,

Patricia Polunas, President
Scholarship Chairperson

THE BAYBERRY GARDEN CLUB OF BRIELLE

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____

Telephone Number _____ E-Mail _____

Parent(s) Guardian(s) Name(s): _____

Present Status: High School Senior _____ College Undergraduate _____

Name and address of High School, Home School Program, College/University:

(For current college/university students) Major: _____ Minor _____

Department in which enrolled: _____ Graduation Year _____

Grade Point Average (4 years) _____ 2016-2017 _____

Applicants - Attach the following documents to your Application;

1. Your personal letter in 500 words or less discussing your goals, background, personal commitment to your chosen field of interest.
2. A list of your extracurricular activities, honors and awards (in and out of school), community service, work experience (if any).
3. Participation in youth community, school, home gardening (explain).
4. An official transcript from your high school, college, university, home school org.

Application in it's entirety must be post-marked on or before March 31, 2017 and received at our P.O. Box 605, Brielle, N.J. 08730 (attention The Bayberry Garden Club of Brielle, Inc.) no later than April 3, 2017. High School seniors must include proof of acceptance to an accredited college or university. Scholarship will be forwarded to recipient's school of choice.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____