



Pine Lake Preparatory

2017 Junior Ambassador Scholarship Program

Open Availability to All Pine Lake Preparatory Seniors

Pine Lake Preparatory's Upper School Junior Ambassador Program is honored to extend its second annual scholarship program for the school. The US Junior Ambassador program was initiated in the 2013-14 school year as a sponsor led team of students who volunteered their time, energy and fundraising activities in supporting the PLP Upper School 's events. Students who participated in this elite program know that they have served their peers in order to create a more collaborative and exciting student body. Due to the sheer number of hours that each Junior Ambassador volunteered, each member qualified for The Presidential Service Award. This translates that at a minimum, each of these ambassadors served 100 hours to assist their PLP Upper School student body.

This program will extend scholarship / monetary awards to four distinctive individuals in the 2017 graduating class. These students will have shown exemplary standards of the four pillars of PLP's mission: Prepare, Nurture, Lead and Engage. Selected students will exemplify an individual deserving of promising and determined efforts showcasing these characteristics. Two (2) scholarships will be awarded only to those having participated in 2015-16 Junior Ambassadors for the academic year and two (2) scholarships will be awarded to any graduating senior.

General details of these scholarships are as outlined below.

Students who wish to be considered for any of these scholarships must:

- Present a **complete application** (application is located on the US Home page under News)
- Provide **two (2) recommendations** from a Pine Lake Preparatory Academic Partner (subject class teacher only)
- **Typed Essay**: not to exceed (maximum) 300 word essay on the scholarship pillar chosen for application and how they have supported this (essay page provided)

Application Protocol:

1. The application is located on the US Home page under News
2. Edit your application document
3. Print three complete copies
4. In ONE envelope, enclose each complete copy of your application and essay.
5. Seal / tape the envelope.
6. Mark your hand written initials and date over the seal / tape.
7. Applications must be turned into Ms. Kwiatkowski, Administrative Associate – Upper School **NO LATER THAN 3:00 pm THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2017**

Amount: Four (4) \$500 (five hundred US dollar) scholarship awards (a (1) one time payout directly to student. These scholarships are non-renewing.

Basis of Application: These scholarships are character and service based. No demonstrated financial need/basis is taken into consideration nor should be disclosed.

Applicant Exclusions: (ineligibility)

- Any student who is currently not within good standing academically or conduct within the Pine Lake Preparatory Standard Code of Conduct and Policies

Open Application Period: March 6,2017 12:01 am – April 21,2017 at 3:00 pm

Application Found: Enclosed in Senior Packet

Notification and Award Date: May 24, 2017 – during the evening of the Senior Dinner.

Disbursement Date: to be set by the Finance Director; however, prior to the college freshman's official start date.

General Criteria:

1. Applicant must be at least 17 years of age or older and be accepted to a full time accredited institute of learning (technical, community, college or university).
2. Applicant must be attending the program within an accredited institution within the boundaries of the United States of America.
3. Applicant must be a citizen of and reside in the United States of America.



PINE LAKE PREPARATORY
JA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

OPEN TO ALL 2017 SENIOR GRADUATING STUDENTS

Please complete the following:

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Street / Mailing Address : _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Mobile: _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Were you a 2015-16 Junior Ambassador (in good standing)? Yes _____ No _____ (please check)

Name & Address of parent (s) or legal guardian (s): (include address if different than your own listed)

Name(s): _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Mobile: _____

Email Address: _____

If you have decided on what college you will attend, please list the school name: _____

If not, please list your top (3) three college choices: (1) _____

(2) _____ (3) _____

Please list any academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school (you may attach another sheet of paper if needed):

Please list any hobbies, outside interests, extracurricular activities and school related volunteer activities: (you may attach another sheet of paper if needed)

OPEN TO SENIOR STUDENT BODY AT LARGE: Describe one specific example of your leadership within the Pine Lake Preparatory community or the greater community at large: (you may attach another sheet of paper if needed) *(If you were a 2015-16 JA, please skip this question and go directly to the JA Activity Chart Page to fill out)*

OPEN TO SENIOR STUDENT BODY AT LARGE: Describe one specific example of nurturing that you provided/executed within the Pine Lake Preparatory community or the greater community at large: (you may attach another sheet of paper if needed) *(If you were a 2015-16 JA, please skip this question and go directly to the JA Activity Chart Page to fill out)*

2015-16 Junior Ambassadors Activity Chart

To Be Completed by Junior Ambassadors ONLY (you may attach another sheet of paper if needed)

Please complete the attached chart with your responses.

Monthly Meetings	
Chick Fil A Coordination	
Senior Breakfast	
College Presenters	
College Fair	
National Honor Society Induction	
Rising Freshman Orientation	
Career Fair Breakfast	
Career Fair	
Spring Play Usher	
Fall Dance	
Winter Formal	
Prom	
Senior Dinner	
Graduation	
Other	

Essay Page to be completed by ALL APPLICANTS

On a separate sheet of paper, please answer the essay question in a maximum of 300 words or less.

Essay Question:

Please describe how you have demonstrated, exceeded, or shown commitment to one of the four pillars of Pine Lake Preparatory’s mission statement and / or the greater community at large within 300 words or less.

Mission Statement:

*Pine Lake Preparatory prepares individuals
in a nurturing environment
for leadership and academic success
within the kaleidoscope of an engaging community.*



STATEMENT OF ACCURACY FOR STUDENTS

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that if chosen as a scholarship winner my picture may be taken and used in any media releases to the internal Pine Lake Preparatory community or the general public at large.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, it is my responsibility to remit to the Financial Director – Pine Lake Preparatory the appropriate information for my scholarship to be paid directly to my educational institution.

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of Scholarship Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Pine Lake Preparatory
Junior Ambassador Scholarship
Teacher Recommendation Form

To The Applicant:

This form **MUST** be filled out by a current or prior **subject area** teacher (during grades 9 -12 for the student).

You must turn in two (2) teacher recommendations with this scholarship application. Please copy this page only and have the teacher fill out, seal in an envelope, and return back to you, the scholarship applicant. It is the duty of you, the applicant, to complete and organize this packet **in full** for submission.

I do recommend _____ for selection of the Pine Lake Preparatory 2017 Junior Ambassador Scholarship program.

This student demonstrates: (please check all that apply for your personal statement of this individual)

- ___ Exemplary Moral Principle & Integrity
- ___ Exemplary Leadership
- ___ Exemplary Service towards others
- ___ Exemplary Personal Character & Congruence

Please elaborate with any additional comments:

I do not recommend _____ for selection of the Pine Lake Preparatory 2017 Junior Ambassador Scholarship program.

To The Teacher:

Subject area in which you instructed applicant: _____

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

This form must be given to the applicant in a sealed envelope for scholarship consideration and submission. Thank you.

Checklist

- Application
- JA Activity Response (pertains only to those Junior Ambassadors from the 2015-16 academic year)
- Essay
- Statement of Accuracy
- Teacher Recommendation Form

REMINDER:

The deadline for this application to be received by US Front Desk is:

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2017 by 3:00 p.m. promptly

NO EXCEPTIONS!

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Junior Ambassador Sponsor, Leslie Kidder at 704-651-3957 or events@pinelakeprep.org