RCTC SCHOLARSHP APPLICATION

 RANCHO CIENEGA TENNIS CLUB (RCTC) is pleased to announce that they are offering an opportunity for high school students to receive a $500 scholarship towards college tuition (or other college related expenses). Please go to our website at [www.ranchotennisclub.org](http://www.ranchotennisclub.org) for an application. RCTC wants to be able to support higher learning for young people in our community that are in financial need by providing this scholarship through the generous donations of its club members and others in the greater LA community.

**APPLICATION CRITERIA**

* Applicants must be a high school senior
* Live and attend school in LA County

**SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION CRITERIA**

* Financial Need
* Community involvement
* School achievement (minimum 3.0 GPA)
* Participation in organized tennis program

**WHAT IS NEEDED**

* Scholarship application
* Copy of most recent report card
* Two Letters of recommendation: one must be from a teacher, counselor or school administrator and one from another source not school related
* Essay/Personal Statement – The applicant must submit an essay that should consist of no more than 750 words and no less than 250 words. It should be typed and address the following components: 1) Your career objectives, 2) reasons why you should be a scholarship recipient and 3) a short biography of past academic accomplishments and future academic goals.
* Photograph – it can be any size and will be used to help the committee identify applicants and for promotional purposes if the applicant receives the scholarship
* Proof of college acceptance
* Interview with Scholarship committee

**DEADLINE**

Completed application must be received on or before 5 pm on April 1st They can be mailed to R.C.T.C. P.O. BOX 431589, Los Angeles, CA 90046, hand delivered to any R.C.T.C. Board member or sent via email to vicepresidentrctc@ranchotennisclub.org

Winner(s) will be notified by R.C.T.C. President and awarded scholarship at next club event/meeting.

*Note: All personal information provided is used solely by the Scholarship committee and kept strictly confidential.*

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

*Important: To be considered for this scholarship award, applications must be legible. If a question does not apply, write N/A in the space designated.*

First Name: Last Name:

Home Address: Phone Number:

City: State: Zip:

Email:

Birthdate: Gender: Male Female

Name of High School:

Address:

City: State: Zip:

Phone number: Current G.P.A.

Name of Tennis program/park:

Coach/contact person:

Phone number:

How long in program:

Academic Awards:

Extra Curricular Activities:

Community Involvement/Volunteer Work:

**PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION**

First Name: Last Name:

Phone Number: Email:

Occupation:

Total number in household: Free/Reduced Lunch Yes No

Total Annual Household Income:

Signature of Applicant: Date:

Signature of Parent/Guardian: Date:

**INCOMPLETE** Applications cannot be considered and will be returned to the applicant. Before sending please confirm that you have answered all questions, signed your application and attached the following documents:

* Letter of Recommendation
* Essay
* Current Report Card
* Picture
* Proof of college acceptance