

Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club Scholarship Application

Each year the Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club (LVHCC) strives to continue our purpose of providing scholarships and educating the community on Hawaiian and Pacific Islander culture and political issues.

To be eligible for a monetary scholarship from the LVHCC, an applicant must meet the following criteria:

Be a resident of Nevada

Be a full-time student in an accredited two- or four- year college as either a classified undergraduate or graduate student in or out of the State of Nevada

Have a cumulative grade point average (g.p.a) of 2.7 for graduating high school seniors or undergraduate students

Have a cumulative grade point average (g.p.a.) of 3.0 for graduate students

Additional consideration is given to a) members of LVHCC in good standing including directly-related family members; b) applicants of Hawaiian ancestry; c) applicants exhibiting Las Vegas/Hawaii community involvement and/or; d) applicants who participate in community fundraising events with the LVHCC.

Application requirements

In order to process your application, you will need to send the following items:

1. A completed Fall 2008 LVHCC Scholarship Essay
2. A LVHCC Fall 2008 Scholarship Application Form. Form must be legible, filled-out correctly and completely.
3. An official sealed copy of your most recent transcript
4. A letter of acceptance from the institution you will be attending

Illegible, incorrect and/or incomplete application packets will not be considered. Completed application packets must be post-marked by specified date as noted under scholarship deadlines. No exceptions will be considered. The official copy of your transcript may be sent under separate cover and must be post-marked by the specified date as noted under scholarship deadlines.

The LVHCC Board of Directors, based on recommendation by the LVHCC Education Committee, approves the amount of each award. Applicants will be informed by mail. Applicants will be required to give a short presentation at a membership meeting either in person or via video at the end of the semester the award is given summarizing the impact your education is having on you.

The LVHCC Scholarship Program is administered by the LVHCC Education Committee. Mail the completed application packet to the Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club at the following address (must be postmarked by specified date).

**Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club
Education Committee
P.O. Box 29237
Las Vegas, NV 89126-9237
DO NOT E-MAIL THE APPLICATION.
E-mailed applications will be deleted WITHOUT being read.**

Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club Scholarship Application Form

Name	
Birthdate	
Address	
City	
State	
Zip Code	
Home Telephone	
Other Telephone	

Parent(s) name : _____

Please circle Yes or No in the following table to indicate you response.

Are you or your parent(s) members of the LVHCC?	Yes	No
Would you like to become a member of the LVHCC?	Yes	No
Are you of Hawaiian ancestry? (if Yes, please submit documentation)	Yes	No
Do you have a Las Vegas/Hawaiian community connection?	Yes	No
Have you participated in fundraising events with the LVHCC?	Yes	No

List community involvement:

Name of High School: _____

Graduation date: _____

GPA/ Rank: _____

College/University or Vocational School you are applying for: _____

City / State / Zip Code: _____

Major: _____

AGREEMENT

I understand that if selected I will send a copy of my grade report or transcripts no later than 45 days from the end of the term to:

Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club
Attn: Education Committee
P.O. Box 29237
Las Vegas, NV 89126-9237

It is my understanding that if for any reason I do not enroll in the institution on my application or complete the course of studies indicated on the application form, the scholarship monies will be returned to the LVHCC Scholarship Fund for redistribution to another applicant.

Note: If Applicant has decided to change his/her college, a new application must be submitted to the Scholarship Committee. This application will be reviewed as a new application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parent Signature (if under 18): _____ Date: _____

LVHCC Fall 2008 Scholarship Essay Question

All applications must be postmarked by April 15th, 2008.

Part A- Give a personal history, specific reasons why you picked the career you are pursuing, how you will use the knowledge in your personal life, and how this education will benefit the Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club (LVHCC) community.

Part B- What is the purpose of Hawaiian Civic Clubs, and why is it important that there be a Hawaiian Civic Club in Las Vegas?

Part C- What are the current goals and the role of the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs (AHCC) in the federal, state and local government of Hawaii?

Essays should be 2-4 pages in length, typed and double spaced.