

Region 14 of the American Iris Society, Scholarship

Counseling Office

Attention: Academic/Scholarship Advisor:

RE: Scholarship Application for the 2018-19 school year.

REGION 14 OF THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The members of Region 14 of the American Iris Society are pleased to offer a \$1,000 scholarship with the intent of promoting interest in irises.

The award shall be given to a student who is pursuing a career in horticulture, floriculture, landscaping, nursery production or a related field. Applicants may be current seniors in high school, attending college or a university or be returning to college by fall 2018. Preference will be given to students who are family of Region 14 members or who have demonstrated interest in iris activities with Region 14. However, all those interested are encouraged to apply. The applicant's home address must be within the Region 14 area of Northern California, Nevada or Hawaii.

I am requesting your help in disseminating the attached scholarship application to your students who have an interest and staff who teach in these areas of study. If you have any questions, you may email or call me. When calling and leaving a voicemail, please speak slowly and clearly.

Barbara Kitz, Scholarship Chair
530-745-9559 barbara.kitz03@gmail.com

Completed applications are to be mailed to Barbara Kitz, Scholarship Chair. They must be postmarked by **April 5, 2018**. A committee will screen and evaluate all submissions. All applicants will be notified of the results of the selection for the scholarship by email, no later than June 1, 2018.

Thank you for your assistance in promoting this financial opportunity for your students. For additional copies of the scholarship information and application you may check the homepage of the Region 14 website at: www.aisregion14.org.

Sincerely,

Barbara Kitz
Scholarship Chair, Region 14 AIS
PO Box 5614
Auburn, Ca 95604

Region 14 of the American Iris Society, Scholarship

Dear Applicant,

The members of Region 14 of the American Iris Society are pleased to offer a \$1,000 scholarship with the intent of promoting interest in irises.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CRITERIA:

1. Must reside within the region 14 area of Northern California, Nevada or Hawaii
2. Be a graduating high school senior, community college or 4 year college/university student or a returning student.
3. Pursuing a career in horticulture, floriculture, landscaping, nursery production or a related field.
4. Have an interest in irises
 - a. Family member of Region 14 of the AIS (preference given); or
 - b. Demonstrated interest in iris activities with Region 14 (preference given); or
 - c. Interest in the fields listed in #3. (You are encouraged to apply)
5. Complete the attached Scholarship application
6. Include a copy of your current transcript and grades in progress (if applicable)
7. Include a letter of recommendation from a teacher/professor, counselor or administrator
8. Include two (2) character references
9. Application must be postmarked or email by deadline: **April 5, 2018.**

Please send your completed application to:

Barbara Kitz
Scholarship Chair, Region 14, AIS
PO Box 5614
Auburn, CA 95604

You will be notified by email when your application has been received. A committee will screen and review all applications to select the recipient. All applicants will be notified of the results by email no later than June 1, 2018.

To claim the scholarship, the recipient must provide verification of current enrollment and commitment to attend a community college, 4 year college or university by October 15, 2018.

If you have **any** questions you may call **(530-745-9559)** or email me:
barbara.kitz03@gmail.com

Best wishes for a successful year and in pursuing your future goals.

Barbara Kitz
Scholarship Chair
Region 14, AIS

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***Application for \$1,000 Scholarship to be Awarded by Region 14
of the American Iris Society (AIS)***

Name: _____ Birth date: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email address: _____ Phone: () _____

Affiliation with Region 14 of AIS: no () yes ()

Which Society _____ Name/relationship to member _____

Current School/College: _____ Current Grade: _____

School/college currently attending or returning student? _____

Name and Location of school: _____

What type of school/college do you plan to attend? _____ Trade/Technical
_____ Community College _____ Community College w/transfer _____ 4 yr college/university

Name: _____ Location: _____

Major Area of Study: _____

Occupational Goal: _____

Please include with your application:

1. A copy of your current transcripts & grades in progress report. (Last transcript if returning student)
2. A letter of recommendation from teacher/professor, counselor or administrator.
3. Two (2) character references

The recipient of the scholarship will be sent a check upon proof of successful admission and commitment to attend a Community College, College or University.

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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE COUNSELING OFFICE (for high school students only)

Overall Grade point average _____ Current gpa _____ Class Rank _____ of _____

SAT scores: Verbal _____ Math _____ Writing _____ ACT _____

Printed Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone number: _____ email: _____

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES & HONORS

Please feel free to use a separate sheet of paper to complete your responses below.

AWARDS, HONORS, ACHIEVEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS (School and Community)

WORK EXPERIENCE

OTHER ACTIVITIES (School, Community, Hobbies, etc.)

Please write a paragraph about your goals and how you plan to achieve them. If you have been an active member of Region 14, please tell us of your achievements and the activities in which you have participated.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian's signature (if under 18): _____ **Date:** _____

Printed name: _____ **Relationship:** _____

Do not write below this line

Date received _____ **Affiliate Group** _____ **Score** _____