# Shawsheen Valley Technical High School Alumni Association

## **Scholarship Program**

**The Shawsheen Valley Technical High School Alumni Association** was founded in 2007. One of the main goals of the Association is to provide scholarships to graduating seniors in order to help further their education or to assist graduates in furthering their career goals in the workplace.

#### Scholarships and Eligibility

#### The Legacy Scholarship

The Shawsheen Alumni Association Legacy Scholarship will be given to an outstanding Shawsheen Tech High School graduate who demonstrates commitment to his/her community as well as academic achievement. To be eligible for this scholarship, this recipient must also be the child of a Shawsheen Tech graduate.

#### The Vocational Achievement Scholarship

The Shawsheen Alumni Association Vocational Achievement Scholarship will be given to any outstanding SVTHS graduate who demonstrate significant achievement in their vocational shops, display an excellent attitude and work ethic, and most importantly, exemplify the qualities of workmanship in a student. Recommendations from teachers and other faculty will be solicited for this award, as well as information gathered from the general scholarship application.

You may apply for both scholarships if you are eligible for both.

#### **Application Process**

Applications are available in the guidance counselor's office or request via email at svthsaa@gmail.com

A complete application must include:

Scholarship Application

High School Transcript\*

An essay (see essay section of the scholarship application for details)

Completed applications must be postmarked by April 15, 2023

### **Selection Process**

The Scholarship Committee will base its decisions upon a completed application along with evidence of commitment to academic and/or vocational performance, leadership, community service and volunteer activities.

Currently, the Association awards one-time scholarships annually. The annual scholarship amounts and number of recipients will be based on the performance of the Association's fundraising activities. The scholarships will be made payable to the recipient. All recipients that have been selected will be honored at the SVTHS Scholarship Night. Applications are also available at the School's Guidance Office.

#### **Scholarship Review Criteria**

The scholarship applications will be reviewed/rated for its eligibility/qualifications, completeness, and responses of these four categories.

- All questions must be answered appropriately (None Missed)
- Clarity (Descriptive, Believable, Flow)
- Personal Opinion
- Attendance, Grades, Improvement (Transcripts)

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## 2023 Scholarship Application Form

The Shawsheen Valley Technical High School Alumni Association (**SVTHSAA**) is an affirmative action/equal opportunity organization which does not discriminate against any scholarship applicant because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, marital status, sexual orientation, disability or any other legally protected group.

I wish to be <u>considered</u> for the scholarships that the SVTHS Alumni Association may have available this year.

### PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

| Name   |   |
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| (Last, First, Middle)                          |   |
| Home   |   |
| Address  |   |
| (Street Number/Apt, City, Zip)                 |   |
| Home Telephone                                 | E-Mail  |
| Shop   | Expected Graduating Date                      |
| Scholarship(s) you are applyin (Please Circle) | g for: Legacy ~ Vocational Achievement ~ Both |
| Are you the child of a Shawshe                 | en Tech alumni?                               |
| If yes, Parent(s) Name(s)(Mother's Maiden)     |   |
| Parent(s) Graduation Yr                        | Shop  |
| Parent(s) Graduation Yr.                       | Shop  |

| Do you have siblings that are/have attended Shawsheen Tech? Y or N  |
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| Name  |
| Shop  |
| Graduation Year   |
| Name  |
| Shop  |
| Graduation Year   |
| Guidance Counselor  |
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| Please list any awards you've received and clubs/organizations you belong to: For example: Football 9, 10, 11, Captain 12; Honor roll 9, 11, 12; VICA 10, 11 – gold medal States 11 |
| SCHOOL ACTIVITIES   |
| 1. Scholastic Honors (Honor roll, citizenship awards, scholarships, etc.)   |
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| 2. Other Honors (VICA awards, shop awards, club or class officer, senior of the month, etc.)  |
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| 3. Sports/Clubs   |
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| COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (Civic organizations, community sports, volunteer work,    |
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| church activities, etc. over the past four years)                               |
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| WORK EXPERIENCE ( Part time, co-op, summer, etc.)                               |
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| If applicable, please describe any unusual personal or family circumstances not |
| previously listed that you feel may warrant the attention of the Scholarship    |
| Committee.  |
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| What unique qualities and talents did you contribute to Shawsheen Tech?         |
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### **Essay Question**

# How would this scholarship support your future goals? (75 words or less) Student's Signature\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_ Parent's Signature\_\_\_\_ Date THIS FORM SHOULD BE UPDATED WITH YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR PERIODICALLY TO REFLECT YOUR CURRENT STATUS. E-mail all questions to: <a href="mailto:svthsaa@gmail.com">svthsaa@gmail.com</a> Please return your application by April 15, 2023 to: SVTHSAA Attention: Scholarship Committee P.O. Box 59

Pinehurst, MA 01866