

**Rockcastle County UNITE Coalition  
Hollie Barnett Scholarship**

1. DEADLINE for the scholarship applications is Friday, April 30 by 3pm. (No exceptions)
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
4. Type or print legibly.
5. You will be notified by the RCHS Guidance Counselor if you are the recipient. Scholarship will be presented at the Annual RCHS Awards event.
6. NOTE: Scholarship funds will be awarded to the student upon evidence of registration in an accredited post-secondary institution.

**Purpose:** To provide an annual scholarship of \$500.00 to an outstanding senior who has been an active member of the RCHS UNITE Club.

**Criteria:**

1. Applicant must be an active member of the RCHS UNITE Club.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior in the year of the award.
3. Applicant must demonstrate positive-impact involvement-in the complete sense-consistent with capacity and circumstances determined through letters of recommendation.
4. Applicant must have a cumulative GPA 2.5 or higher documented by high school transcript.
5. Applicant must have applied to an institution of higher learning and must provide documentation of said acceptance.
6. Applicant must submit a relevant essay.
7. Applicant must submit 3 letters of recommendation with one letter being from a high school teacher, principal, or counselor; one from a community source; and one from an additional source.

**Deadline** for the application is Friday, April 30 by 3 pm. Applications postmarked after this date will not be considered.

Please submit application in person to RCHS Counselors  
Mrs. Casey Harper or Ms. Amy Lewis.

Rockcastle County High School  
1545 Lake Cumberland Road  
PO Box 1410  
Mount Vernon, KY 40456

### **Personal Essay**

On a separate sheet of paper, please type an essay on the following question. Essays should be at least 500 words.

***How have you made a positive difference in combating the war against alcohol and drug abuse in Rockcastle County?***

### **STATEMENT OF ACCURACY**

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 my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the Rockcastle County UNITE Coalition's effort in the war against drugs.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to Rockcastle County UNITE Coalition, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **REMEMBER**

The deadline for this application to be received is

Friday, April 30 by 3pm.

**No exceptions!**

***If you have any questions about the application, please contact  
Mr. Dusty McClure at RCHS, 606-256-4816***