

THE RUTH AND CLINT GILLESPIE SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship Amount: \$500.00

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to graduating High School Seniors who reside within the Trinity Gardens Community for one (1) or more years. The scholarships will be awarded to students who best exhibited an academic excellence with a minimum 2.5 grade point average, leadership skills, and community service. A student may be nominated by their high school counselor, teacher, community leader, or other responsible person (no parental nominations).

All eligible students are required to write a 150-250 word essay on one of the following themes:

- **What community pride means to me.**
- **Who has had the greatest impact on my life.**
- **What I hope to achieve in my personal and professional life.**

Sponsored by:

**Bay Area Women Coalition President, Mrs. Salome Wiley
Trinity Gardens Civic Club President, Mrs. Olivette Henderson**

**'MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF THE CHILDREN IN OUR COMMUNITY BY HELPING WITH THE
RISING COST OF EDUCATION'**

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THE TRINITY GARDENS CIVIC CLUB**

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APPLICATION

Eligibility: (A high school graduating senior living in the Trinity Gardens Community)

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Telephone Number: _____

School Attending or graduated from: _____

Current Grade/Year Graduated: _____

Grade Point Average (GPA): _____

What are your educational goals?

List any community activities.

List any academic activities/achievements.

List any hobbies/interests.

Theme topic (150-250 word essay, 12-font, double-spaced legibly typed).

Please include one (1) letter of recommendation from the following persons:
(Please, no parental nominations)

- **Teacher**
- **Counselor**
- **Community leader**
- **Other (please give title)**

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This application must be received by Friday, May 27, 2011. There will be no exceptions. If you are the recipient of this scholarship, you will be asked to present a transcript from your educational institution before funds disbursements are made. The award date is set for June 18, 2011 (During the **WRAGG SWAMP Festival**). Disbursements will be sent to a 2 yr-4 yr accredited institution (on-line courses are not acceptable)