



OCEAN COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MUSEUM & RESEARCH CENTER

Telling the Stories of Ocean County

1/15/2025

Dear Student:

The Ocean County Historical Society will be offering the annual L. Manuel and Janet Hirshblond Community Service Award, which is a \$1,000 Scholarship. All Ocean County High School seniors who will be attending college beginning in the Fall of 2025 are eligible to apply.

Applicants must submit the following:

- The attached information forms and essay
- A high school transcript
- Two recommendations (one from an educator at your school and one from someone who oversees your volunteer activities)

Your completed packet must be sent by to:

The Ocean County Historical Society
26 Hadley Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753

I wish you much success in your high school senior year and all your future endeavors. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns at jeffschenker@myyahoo.com or my cell phone at 609 339-9134.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Schenker

Ocean County Historical Society President

26 Hadley Avenue, Toms River, New Jersey 08753

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Ocean County Historical Society
L. Manuel and Janet Hirshblond Scholarship
Application 2025

Please print neatly or type the information requested below. Include all the requested documents with this application.

PERSONAL BACKGROUND

Applicant Name: _____

Street Address _____

City _____ NJ Zip _____

Telephone _____ . Email _____

Date of Birth _____

Current High School _____

Colleges you have applied to: _____

Include the following information:

1. School volunteer activities
2. School Leadership positions
3. After school employment, paid or unpaid
4. Awards and Honors received
5. Any additional activities you care to share
6. Your high school transcript
7. Provide two letters of recommendation. One should be from a teacher of yours and the other from someone who oversees your volunteer activities.
8. Please **do not** staple paperwork; paperclip only

Please respond to the following in a one page essay, double spaced, typed format:

What do you deem to be the importance of community service? Additionally, do you plan on serving your community in college and on into the future?

Organization	Volunteer Hours This School Year	Capacity Served	Name of Volunteer Coordinator	Signature of Volunteer Coordinator
