**Application for the**

**Fraternal Order of Police, Evergreen lodge #1**

**Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship**

Full Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_DOB:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_zip:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_EMAIL:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Spouse, Son, or Daughter of:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Serving with; or

retired from Agency:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Education Years completed.......................................Current GPA:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Community Service Performed:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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School Clubs/Associations:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Other: (Awards/4H/BoyScouts/FFA)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Education Institution which enrolled

 and/or accepted for enrollment:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 \*Applicant shall attach a copy of a letter of acceptance, or copies of unofficial transcripts as proof of enrollment with this application. If awarded, scholarship check will be made payable to the institution

Address/Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

This application is for the school year beginning in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(MONTH) / (YEAR)

NOTE: Applications must be post marked no later than 15 May of the school year. Applications will not be accepted any sooner than January in which the application for scholarship is made.

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Signature of Applicant Date

Mail original signed and dated application and supporting documentationto:

 FOP Evergreen Lodge #1

 PO Box 3189

 Silverdale, WA 98383-3189

**Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship Program**

Fraternal Order of Police Evergreen Lodge #1has created a educational scholarship program for the spouses and children of law enforcement officers. The Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship Programisa tribute to the last Kitsap County fallen officer who made the ultimate sacrifice to maintain peace and freedom.

The Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship Program complements resources already available to spouses and children of through the U.S. Department of Justice and U.S. Department of Education.

Eligible recipients will be children, step-children and spouses of current or retired sworn law enforcement officers. The scholarships will allow recipients to pay for programs such as four-year university degree programs, community college certification courses, and customized on-the-job training programs.

Information related to the Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship Program includes:

Eligibility: Children, Step-children, and spouses of Kitsap County Law Enforcement Officers enrolled or having a letter of acceptance to an institution of higher learning, or vocational or technical school. Applicants shall have no record of felony arrest, prosecution, or deferment;

###### Overview

***Scholarship Objectives***

The objective is to demonstrate our ongoing commitment to our law enforcement families.

***Scholarship Funds & Uses***

Scholarships will be awarded in amounts up to $500. Award amounts are based on the anticipated needs of the individual, as well as the funds available.

Scholarship funds can be used to pay for education programs and job training. Recipients can use the money to learn new skills, upgrade current skill sets, or pursue and complete a college degree.

***Fund Interaction with Other Benefits & Scholarships***

The Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship complements other grant/scholarship programs available through the U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Department of Education.

**Who can apply?**

All children, stepchildren, and current spouses (or widows) of current and retired law enforcement officers

**Eligibility Checklist**

Eligible applications for the Dennis Allred Memorial Scholarship must meet the following criteria:

1. Applicant is the child, step-child,or spouse of a current, retired, or deceased law enforcement officer.

"Spouse" is defined as a U.S. citizen that is lawfully married to the sponsor officer. No other non-marital unions will be considered, regardless of whether the couple shared children.

“Widow” An un-remarried spouse of a deceased law enforcement officer.

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Step-children must have been younger than 18 yoa at the time of their parents' marriage to the Law Enforcement Officer and the marriage is still current (except for a death of one of the spouses) and must have resided in and was a member of the officer's household to be eligible. Former step children of a law enforcement officer, whose step parent and parent are now divorced are not eligible.

"Law Enforcement Officer" means: An individual employed full-time (or retired) by a local, county, State or Federal law enforcement agency, rail carrier or private institution of higher education in an official capacity, with or without compensation, who is sworn, licensed or certified under the laws of a State or the Federal Government and is involved in crime control or reduction, or the investigation, apprehension or detention of individuals suspected or convicted of violations of criminal law; and includes, but is not limited to, police officers, sheriffs and deputy sheriffs, military police, correctional officers, probation and parole officers, and judicial officers.

2. Annual award: $500.00. Applications shall be posted marked by, and/or submitted no later than June 1, for the following school year. Scanned and emailed applications must be signed, are acceptable if received by this date. Awards will be made payable to the institution.

3. Selection Criteria:

Applicants shall submit an application which will be reviewed by the scholarship committee comprised of three members. Applicants will be notified by mail or email and awards will be announced on or before 1 August each year and presented to the individual at the next regular meeting of the Lodge. Selection criteria will be based on scholastic achievement, financial need, volunteerism, and Community Service.