

Rudy
MENN

Community Service
Scholarship Award

Awarded to the senior who best demonstrates a commitment to building a better community through acts of volunteerism and service.

Rudy Menn has served the Argyle community as President of the School Board and as a Founding Member of the Argyle ISD Education Foundation. He has served on countless committees dedicated to providing the best possible educational experience for our community's children.

\$1,000 Scholarship to be award annually to a graduating senior of Argyle ISD.



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APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Award: \$1,000

Application Deadline: 5:00 pm May 7, 2010.

Notification of Recipients: Recipient will be notified no later than June 15th.

Applicant Eligibility: Scholarship is limited to a graduating senior in the Argyle ISD schools.

Application and Essay Review: The applications are submitted for blind review by a selection committee, who will be the final determinate of the winner.



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Please submit the application to:
**Argyle ISD Education Foundation
Attn: Rudy Menn Scholarship
Administration Building
800 Eagle Drive**

Rudy Menn Scholarship Overview



What is the purpose and the amount of the Rudy Menn Scholarship?

The scholarship is established to support the volunteer potential of our youth by awarding one (1) scholarship in the amount of \$1000.00 to a graduating high school senior demonstrating outstanding volunteer performance within the community.

What are the requirements to qualify for the Rudy Menn Scholarship?

- Applicant must be a graduating senior from Argyle High School.
- Applicant must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 (C) or better
- Applicant must have completed at least 100 hours of volunteer service during high school.
- **Volunteer service means service to the community through a non-profit organization. Volunteer hours may include any work completed as a requirement for school or church.**
- A letter(s) from the person(s) supervising the volunteer activities verifying the hours may be required.
- Applicant must submit an essay with the application. This essay must be double-spaced and no more than 500 words.
- Scholarship award must be used for continuing education at an accredited college or university .

When are decisions made?

The screening process will take place through May 2010. Scholarship recipients will be notified in June and be required to attend a Foundation Board Meeting during the summer for a presentation. A check will be sent by the Foundation to the recipient's school upon receipt of written verification of enrollment/registration.

Who makes the decision?

The essays will be reviewed by a committee composed of community members. The essays will be reviewed with a blind copy so the committee will not know the applicant's personal information.

Where can I get a copy of the application and who do I contact if I have questions?

Applications are available in the high school main office and online at www.aisdef.org You may also contact the Foundation at 940-464-7710 or e-mail Mary Stein at mmmwms@gmail.com.

Where do I send my application?

Argyle ISD Education Foundation
Attention: Rudy Menn Scholarship
800 Eagle Drive
Argyle, Texas 76226

When are applications due?

Applications are due May 7, 2010

Rudy Menn Scholarship Application
Due Date: May 7, 2010



Personal Information

Name: (Last First Middle)

Parent or Guardian with whom you reside:

Address:

Street City State Zip:

Home Telephone:

Cell Phone:

Email Address:

Date of Birth:

School Information

Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____

Verification by school counselor: _____

List colleges to which you have applied or been accepted.

(Attach a copy of the acceptance letter if applicable).

Name of Institution and Date of Acceptance:

Volunteer Experience

List volunteer organizations with whom you have worked:

1. Organization:

Hours:

Dates worked:

Description of responsibilities:

2. Organization:

Hours:

Dates worked:

Description of responsibilities

3. Organization:

Hours:

Dates worked:

Description of responsibilities

Leadership Roles

Explain leadership positions you have held in high school, volunteer organizations or extracurricular activities.

Essay

Please submit an essay addressing these questions and any other information that you would like the committee to consider. Essay should be double spaced and no more than 500 words.

- **Why did you become involved with volunteer work?**
- **Describe how your volunteer work has influenced your life and goals?**
- **How has the community benefited from your participation in these volunteer projects?**
- **How will your volunteer experience help you during your college years?**

PLEASE NOTE: While your essay should answer the above questions, you should not necessarily limit your essay to only these topics.

I affirm that the information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I consent to the verification of information contained in my application.

Signature of Applicant

Date

*For Parents:

As the parent/guardian, I certify that the information on this application is true and accurate .If my child does not attend college/accredited school, I understand that I will be responsible for reimbursing the Argyle ISD Education Foundation for the amount of the scholarship.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

**This information will be kept confidential and may be used only to determine eligibility for the scholarship. It will not be released for any other purpose.*

Administrator's Verification/Recommendation

Administrators, Counselors, or Teachers may offer comments or input (optional) regarding this student's circumstances or background. Please sign and date that you have reviewed this application.

Signature/Title: _____

Code _____
(for office us only)