

The Alvie C. Jeffres Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship will be awarded primarily on the basis of financial need to those students who are able to demonstrate commitment to advance their education at a higher level. While grades, activities and recommendations are important, all applicants will be seriously considered who are able to convince the selection committee of a strong desire to achieve success.

Alvie Jeffres was a prominent Sandpoint businessman who owned and operated The Furniture Exchange, a local Sandpoint furniture store. He began working there when he was seventeen years old, and through hard work, was able to eventually own and operate a successful business. He and his wife, June, raised their family in Sandpoint, and until his passing in 1989, Alvie continued to be involved in the lives of young people in Bonner County. His family has created this scholarship in his memory. They believe that Alvie would be most impressed with an individual who may not have the most sterling of grades, yet is highly motivated to further their education and is willing to put forth the effort to achieve their goals. The scholarship will be awarded to those applicants the committee feels best demonstrates Alvie's ideals of hard work and determination.

Those applying for an Alvie C. Jeffres Memorial Scholarship must be enrolled in or applying to any college, university, trade school or any institution of post-high school education or applying for repayment of student loans within two years of graduation. The applicant can reapply each year, for a period of four years if the student qualifies and maintains a 2.5 GPA as a full-time student. The scholarship is for \$1,000 and will be made payable to the successful applicant's school. This annual scholarship will be awarded during a worship service at First Baptist Church each June. Students who have been home-schooled or educated in private schools are encouraged to apply. Relatives of Alvie Jeffres are excluded from applying for this scholarship.

Application Form
Alvie C. Jeffres Memorial Scholarship

This completed application must be turned in to the counselor's office at Sandpoint High School or submitted to the office at First Baptist Church by April 30.

In order for this application to be considered, **all of the following must be included**. Please ✓ each box as items are completed.

- Official application form
- Copy of official transcript
- Two letters of recommendation from someone other than family
- Personal history
- Personal goals
- Student financial statement

Standards for selection:

1. Good character and good citizenship
2. Financial need
3. Scholastic test scores
4. Letters of recommendation
5. Personal history: A statement of no more than two double-spaced typed pages in which you describe yourself and your experiences. You may include your activities and interests, any special talents or skills, community activities, and your work experience.
6. Personal goals: A statement of no more than two double-spaced typed pages describing your reasons for pursuing further education. This may include personal and academic goals, individuals who have inspired you or circumstances that led you to this decision. Please include the reason **YOU** deserve consideration for a scholarship.

Please complete every question as a part of the application for the
Alvie C. Jeffres Memorial Scholarship
If an answer does not apply, please mark the space N/A for "Not applicable."

PERSONAL DATA (please print)

Your Full Name: _____ Date: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Your Father's Name (or Guardian): _____

Your Father's (or Guardian's) Occupation: _____

Your Mother's Name (or Guardian): _____

Your Mother's (or Guardian's) Occupation: _____

List the names and ages of your siblings.

Name	Age	In College? (Yes/No)
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		

Your Church Affiliation (if any): _____

List the activities you participated in outside of school (clubs, service organizations, sports, arts, etc)

COLLEGE PREPAREDNESS

Have you submitted your college applications? Yes No

Have you already been accepted to college(s)? Yes No

Are you currently enrolled in college? Yes No

If so, where? _____

Please list each college that has approved you for admission:

College Name	City and State

Are you planning to work this summer? Yes No

Please indicate where you will be working or what your summer plans are if you are not working:

List your previous work experience:

Job or Duties Performed	Dates (e.g. Apr 17 – Sep 17)

ACADEMIC PREPAREDNESS

SAT Scores: Math: _____ Reading & Writing: _____ Cumulative: _____

ACT Score: _____

List your school activities, awards, and offices in which you have participated in high school. Please indicate the class year in which you were involved in each activity (Use additional paper if necessary).

Activity, Award, Office, etc.	Freshman, Sophomore, etc.

Please indicate the number of additional pages attached: _____

(Be sure all extra pages are securely attached to this form with staples, not paperclips)