

2011 HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

IT'S SCHOLARSHIP TIME!

Each spring the scholarship program seeks out seniors heading to college in the fall. If you are a graduating senior in 2011, have a GPA of 3.0 or higher, have been a SAHJA member for at least three years including this year (need not be consecutive years) and are planning to attend an accredited college this fall, you are eligible to apply for a SAHJA scholarship. In addition to the application and essay listed below, SAHJA requires a sealed copy of your transcript showing your GPA, and proof of enrollment in your chosen college before awarding any scholarships. Essay submissions will be evaluated by a committee

Essays must be typed and double-spaced and of no fewer than 400-500 words.

Score 90-100 – 100% scholarship award

Score 80-89 – 75% scholarship award

Score 70-79 – 50% scholarship award

Score 60-69 – 25% scholarship award

Score 59 & below – no scholarship awarded

of current and retired teachers. They will be looking for the applicant's ability to address the essay topic in an articulate and accurate manner. They will score each essay and applicant will be awarded a scholarship based on those scores. (see table insert) In order for the scholarship committee to consider you for a scholarship, please write an essay on the topic below and submit it along with other required documents to Anne Polli, PO Box 681, Wilton, CA 95693-0681. **Submissions must be received on or before May 23, 2011.** Best of luck in your endeavors!

Essay topic: "A man on a horse is spiritually, as well as physically bigger than a man on foot."

~ John Steinbeck

What does this quote mean to you? How does it relate to your life, heading off to college, and the experience SAHJA has played in helping you achieve your goals.

Name of Applicant _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Other Phone _____

College to be attended and planned area of study _____

(for the list below, please use a separate sheet of paper if you wish)

1. List extracurricular (non-school) activities
2. List horse activities
3. List SAHJA activities

