

**SOLID WASTE ASSOCIATION OF NORTH AMERICA
(SWANA)**

LONE STAR CHAPTER

JACK C. CARMICHAEL, P.E., SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Please mail completed application by Saturday, April 30, 2016 to:

Richard McHale
TXSWANA
1814 Dywer Ave.
Austin, Texas 78704

In addition, you may call Richard McHale at 512-974-4301 or contact via email at Richard.mchale@austintexas.gov

To be eligible for Scholarship applicant must meet the requirements of 1 or 2 below:

1. Must be the son, daughter, step-son, step-daughter, grandson or granddaughter of a SWANA member in good standing at time of the recommendation, the selection, and award

And

- A. A graduating high school senior or graduate equivalent certified candidate, who has been accepted for enrollment in a junior college, four-year college or university,

Or

- B. A currently enrolled full-time college or university student.
2. A currently enrolled full-time college or university student who is also a Student Member of SWANA prior to application submission deadline.

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

The Lone Star Chapter of the Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) recognizes the importance of education, especially in the environmental field. For this reason, a Scholarship Awards Program has been developed for the Chapter. The Chapter will award up to \$10,000 in scholarships this year.

I. IMPORTANT DEADLINES

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| April 30, 2016 | All completed application forms and back-up documentation must be received by Chapter Scholarship Committees (CSC). |
| June 15, 2016 | Applicants will be notified of the results of the CSC evaluation. |
| Fall
Newsletter | Announcement of Scholarship winners to the membership. |

II. SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

A. Candidates

To be considered for an award you must be the son, daughter, stepson, stepdaughter, grandson or granddaughter of a member (herein known as sponsor) in good standing at the time of the recommendation, the selection and the award. SWANA employees and members of their families are not eligible.

B. Scholarship Award Categories

To be eligible for Scholarship:

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III. CRITERIA FOR AWARD SELECTION

A. For high school candidates accepted for enrollment:

	<u>Criteria</u>	<u>Relative Weighing</u>	<u>Example of Grading Parameters</u>
1.	Academics	60%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Grade point average (4.0 scale) b. ACT and/or SAT scores c. Academic achievement awards and honors
2.	Citizenship	20%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Student organization participation b. Scouting c. High school ROTC, military, etc. d. Charitable, civic or religious organization work e. Other
3.	Extracurricular Activities	20%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Athletics b. Music, drama, debate, etc. d. Student paper or yearbook e. Employment f. Other

Note: High School Candidate Scholarship Applicants will be evaluated and ranked only against other Applicants in this category.

B. For candidates currently enrolled in College/University:

1.	Academics	30%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Grade point average
2.	Other Activities	20%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Research b. Intern/Assistantship
3.	Relation of studies to solid waste management	50%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Courses currently taking and courses completed

Note: Current College Scholarship Applicants will be evaluated and ranked only against other Applicants in this category.

IV. APPLICATION COMPLETION

Each applicant will be required to fill out the general application form and have it, along with all back-up documentation, in to the Chapter Scholarship Committee by Saturday, April 30, 2016 All applications should be typewritten or written legibly.

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1. Candidate's Full Name: _____
Last First Middle

2. Candidate's Address: _____

Zip/Postal Code

3. Candidate's Telephone #: _____

4. Name of SWANA Member Sponsor: _____

5. Address of Sponsor: _____

Zip/Postal Code

6. Sponsor's Telephone #: _____

7. Relationship to Sponsor: _____

8. Complete the following:
 - a. High School/College: _____

 - b. Address: _____

Zip/Postal Code

 - Telephone #: _____

- c. Faculty advisor (if applicable): _____
- d. Consideration is based on these required criteria:
1. Scholarship: You must have your high school/college mail a complete copy of your most recent transcript or include with your application.
 2. Your SAT/ACT scores must be mailed directly or included with your application.
 3. Academic Achievements/Awards: Please complete Form 1.1 and attach to this application.
 4. Citizenship: Please complete Form 1.2 and attach to this application.
 5. Activities: Please complete Form 1.3 and attach to this application.
- e. What major are you considering or enrolled in at this time?
- f. What college/university are you considering or enrolled in at this time?
- g. Recent high school graduates must provide a copy of your acceptance letter to the college or university you will be attending. (Not applicable if currently enrolled).
- h. For currently enrolled college/university students, provide a list of courses completed and courses currently being taken which may be related to solid waste management. Include a brief description (less than 25 words) of each course and the grade earned.

Signature of Candidate

Date

Signature of Sponsor

Date

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Form 1.1
Documentation of Academic Achievement Awards and Honors

Use one form for each academic achievement documentation. This form may be copied.

1. Candidate's Full Name: _____
Last Name First Middle

2. Name of Award/Honor: _____

3. Description of Award/Honor: _____

4. Verification provided by the awarding organization or institution:

I, _____, _____
Name Title

of _____
Organization

verify that _____ received/was awarded/honored the
Candidate Name

following: _____

Signature of Organization Official Date

A letter of recommendation listing the award/honor may be attached to this form and submitted as verification in lieu of a separate signature from an Organization Official.

Signature of Candidate Date

Signature of Sponsor Date

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Form 1.2
Documentation of Citizenship Qualifications

Use one form for each citizenship qualification. This form may be copied.

1. Candidate's Full Name: _____
Last Name First Middle

2. Description of Citizenship Qualification: _____

3. Verification provided by sponsoring organization:
I, _____, _____
Name Title
of _____
Organization

verify that _____
Candidate Name

did demonstrate citizenship as follows: _____

Signature of Organization Official Date

A letter of recommendation listing the citizenship qualifications may be attached to this form and submitted as verification in lieu of a separate signature from an Organization Official.

Signature of Candidate Date

Signature of Sponsor Date

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Form 1.3
Documentation of Activities Qualifications

Use one form for each activity qualification. This form may be copied.

1. Candidate's Full Name: _____
Last Name First Middle

2. Description of Activity Qualification: _____

3. Verification provided by sponsoring organization:

I, _____, _____
Name Title

of _____
Organization

verify that _____
Candidate Name

did participate in the aforementioned activity in the following capacity:

Signature of Organization Official Date

A letter of recommendation listing the activity may be attached to this form and submitted as verification in lieu of a separate signature from an Organization Official.

Signature of Candidate Date

Signature of Sponsor Date