

**The C. Waldo Scott Center for H.O.P.E Announces
The Lylton L. and Augusta Inettie B. Edwards Vocational Scholarship**

Scholarship Release Date: February 8, 2019

SCHOLARSHIP DUE DATE: March 8, 2019 (by 5:00 p.m. EST)

Purpose: Vocational Skill Training

The C. Waldo Scott Center for H.O.P.E. announces a scholarship opportunity for youth and adult residents of the Southeast community of Newport News, Virginia who are interested in pursuing vocational education.

Mrs. Augusta Inettie B. Edwards was a long-time resident of Newport News, Virginia and retired as a teacher in the Newport News Public Schools. Mrs. Edwards and her husband, Lylton, both had a strong belief in not only education in general, but also in job training--vocational education. It has been approximately ten (10) years since the establishment and endowment of the **Lylton L. and Augusta Inettie B. Edwards Vocational Scholarship Fund**.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards were passionate about building the community in which they lived and about providing opportunities for their community members. Embracing their passion, the scholarship fund was established by Mrs. Edwards to assist residents of the Southeast Community of Newport News with pursuing vocational trades. With today's shortage of skilled workers, we see that the vision of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards still holds true!

Applications received by the deadline (March 8, 2019) will be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee. The recommended application will be submitted to the Board of Trustees for approval.

The recipient will be presented to the Board for recognition and awarded the scholarship in June 2019. Initially only a certificate of award will be presented. The monetary award will be sent upon confirmation of enrollment in a program that provides vocational skills training.

If you have any questions or concerns related to this scholarship please contact the Scott Center, 757-244-9223.

This scholarship application is also available on the Scott Center's website:

www.scottcenter.org

Lylton L. and Augusta Inettie B. Edwards
Vocational Skills Training Scholarship Application

Please TYPE/PRINT information requested on the form.

Part A- General Information

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____

Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

Mailing Address:

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone #: _____ Email Address: _____

Education History:

High School Graduate Year Graduated _____

Obtained G.E.D. Year Obtained _____

Last Grade Level Completed _____

Vocational programs to which you have applied:

Name of vocational program you plan to attend:

Have you been accepted to the vocational program of your choice? Yes ___ No ___

*Please provide a copy of the letter of acceptance or other official documentation from the vocational program to verify your acceptance. Documents attached: Yes___ No___ To be mailed ___

Part B-Residency Information

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes ___ No ___

Are you a resident of the Commonwealth of Virginia? Yes ___ No ___

How many years have you lived at your current address? _____

Are you able to provide proof of residency? Yes ___ No ___

(*Proof of residency must be a document that verifies your Southeast Community address, for example a bill or school record.)

If under 18 years old include:

Name of parent/guardian: _____

Address of parent/guardian: _____

Phone number of parent/guardian: _____

Part C- References:

Please provide two (2) letters of reference/recommendation from persons (community residents, church members, co-workers, school personnel, supervisor, etc., but cannot include relatives) to speak to your character, motivation to accomplish your goals, etc.

Part D- Certification

I certify that the information I have provided above/through this application is true and accurate:

Signature of Applicant

Date

Mail/Deliver application and supporting documentation to:

C. Waldo Scott Center for H.O.P.E.

Attn: Scholarship Committee

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