

# Correctional Officers Association of Delaware "Walking Delaware's Toughest Beat"

## George D. McClure, III Memorial Scholarship

### **Program Overview**

High school seniors, who are the children of Correctional Officers Association of Delaware members, may be eligible for one of five, \$1,000, achievement based scholarships.

**Application Deadline**: A complete application must be received on or before 5p.m. on Tuesday April 2, 2024. Applications will not be considered if received after this date.

**Award Date:** Scholarships will be determined by the Scholarship Committee and applicants will be notified by mail no later than April 16, 2024. Awards will be distributed at the Scholarship Banquet in May. Each award recipient will be able to invite family, friends, and teachers to attend the ceremony.

#### **Eligibility Requirements**

Applicants must be:

- (1) Current high school seniors during the 2023 2024 academic year attending either public or private school in the United States.
- (2) The natural child, legally adopted child, or any child in the legal custody or guardianship of a current full share COAD member who has paid full share union dues continuously for a minimum of one year. The one year membership requirement must be satisfied by April 2, 2024.
- (3) Anticipating completion of a high school diploma at the time of application.
- (4) Accepted into a U.S. accredited public or private college or university at the time of the award and planning to enroll in Fall 2024 as a full-time, degree seeking-freshman. Awards must be used for the 2024 2025 school year.

How to Apply (Obtaining the Application)

1243 College Park Drive Dover, DE 19904

(302) 734-8061 phone (302) 734-8062 fax Applications will be available beginning in January and can be obtained from the

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It is the applicant's responsibility to allow for sufficient mailing time in order for a completed application to be received at the COAD business office on or before the April 2, 2024 deadline date. Applications can also be hand delivered to the COAD business office.

#### **Evaluation Criteria**

This is a competitive scholarship and applicants are evaluated according to academic ability, honors, school activities, leadership positions, community activities and employment..

For more information regarding the COAD College Scholarships contact Hal Taylor, coad2@comcast.net.



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## George D. McClure, III Memorial Scholarship Application Instructions

We are glad you have exhibited an interest in the George D. McClure, III College Scholarship Program for college funding. Each year, COAD will award **5 non-renewable scholarships of \$1000. each** to high school seniors who are the children of Correctional Officers Association of Delaware members.

The application consists of six parts to be submitted together (if one part does not apply to you, write *NIA* on line #1) and received at the COAD business office by 5 p.m. on Tuesday, April 2, 2024.

### Completed application packages may be mailed or hand delivered to the:

Correctional Officers Association of Delaware 1243 College Park Drive Dover, DE 19904

## Applicants are Required to Submit the Following Items by 5 p.m. on Tues., April 2, 2024:

- I. Completed application signed by the applicant and the COAD parent or legal guardian.
- Copy of the most recent high school (grade 9 present) transcript with a cumulative GPA (based on 4.0 scale). If your school uses a different grading system, have your guidance counselor make the conversion.
- 3. Copy of your SAT transcript (can be obtained from your guidance counselor).

For more information regarding the eligibility requirements, evaluation criteria, etc., please refer to the information sheet, view the COAD website, www.coadinfo.org or contact COAD College Scholarship Coordinator, Hal Taylor, <a href="mailto:coad2@comcast.net">coad2@comcast.net</a>.

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## George D. McClure III, Memorial Scholarship Application

## **PART I: Personal Information**

Name:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip Code:	
Phone:	Email:
Father/Mother/Legal Guardian who is a COAD m	nember?
High School	
Anticipated Graduation Date:	
Have you been accepted into a U.S. Accredited Po	ublic or Private College or University?
Name of college you plan to attend:	
Part II: Academics	
Cumulative GPA (copy of a high school transcript	must be submitted):
Weighted GPA(ifavailable):C	lass Standing.:
SAT Scores (transcript required):	

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Part III: High School Honors as	nd Awards (list awards and years)	
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AP Classes, Honors Courses, Academic, Etc. (completed or currently enrolled)

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Part VI: High School Activities and Leadership Positions Held (elected or appointed)

Part VI: Employment (list job and years);
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Statement Of Accuracy
I hereby affirm that all of the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
I understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, I must provide evidence of acceptance by a U.S. accredited public or private college or university for the Fall 2024 semester before my scholarship funds can be awarded.
Signature of Scholarship Applicant:
Date:
Signature of COADMember:
Date: