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## USS GEORGE H.W. BUSH (CVN 77) SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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To honor President George Bush's commitment to public service, the Board of Directors of the George & Barbara Bush Foundation have instituted two \$2,500 college scholarships for crew or family members of CVN 77. One scholarship is for undergraduates and one for graduate school study. Priority will be placed if attending The George Bush School of Government and Public Service at Texas A&M University.

The scholarships are aimed at recognizing and encouraging President George Bush's commitment to public service, which he has referred to as a noble calling. Scholarships are one time payments payable in the fall semester of the year in which the scholarship is granted.

### **CRITERIA:**

1. Applicants should be in good academic standing with a minimum GPA of 3.0. For current high school and undergraduate students, a counselor/registrar letter certifying GPA is acceptable. For those who have been out of school, an official transcript should be submitted.
2. Applicants must plan to attend college, graduate school at The George Bush School of Government and Public Service at Texas A&M University, or a graduate program elsewhere in the United States.
3. Applicants must demonstrate an exemplary record in school and community activities.
4. A letter of recommendation for the applicant from a community service leader/supervisor should be included.
5. Completed application to be submitted by *June 15*.

Applications for the scholarship will be posted on the George & Barbara Bush Foundation website and on U.S. Navy outlets. The deadline for filing an application is *June 15* annually. Recipients will be notified in May for a fall payment. Scholarship payments will be made directly to the school designated by the recipient.

### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Crew and air wing members and their family members. For purposes of the scholarships, a family member is defined as a spouse or child of a scholarship applicant. A crew or air wing member must be within 24 months of having served on CVN 77 for him/her or a family member to apply for a scholarship. Individuals serving on the Scholarship Committee (described below), members of the governing body and employees of the George & Barbara Bush Foundation, and family members of any such individuals, are not eligible to receive a scholarship.

### **PROCEDURES:**

An application and any supporting materials must be submitted to the Admin Office of CVN 77. The Admin Office will certify service on CVN 77 and forward all applications to the George & Barbara Bush Foundation.

### **SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:**

A committee of community leaders, including retired military personnel, in the Bryan/College Station area will review all applications and select the winner.

### **NOTIFICATION:**

The George & Barbara Bush Foundation will notify the Commanding Officer of CVN 77 regarding the awardees.

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**CREW MEMBER APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Duty: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of Service on CVN 77: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY MEMBER APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Crew Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Duty: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of Service on CVN 77: \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Applying for: *(circle one)*                      Undergraduate Admission                      Graduate Admission

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Goal(s): \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

College(s) Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list school and/or community service (include positions held and years of service):

Please state why you believe public service is important:

Please submit Scholarship Application by June 15 with supporting materials.

Mail/Email Application to:

USS George H.W. Bush (CVN 77)

Admin Officer

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