

Greater Denton Wise County Association of REALTORS®

Scholarship in Memory of Rose Crawford

HISTORY OF SCHOLARSHIP

In 1993, Rose Crawford was an integral component of a well-run association, serving as the MLS trainer. Rose always went above and beyond in all her duties. Rose's son, Josh Stoner, was a high school athlete and scholar, with a single mother struggling to make ends meet. Although they were both excited about the idea of college for Josh, they deemed it out of reach.

The GDWCAR Members rallied and with lobbying efforts from some very determined GDWCAR members Josh was accepted to Centenary. Everything he needed for dorm life was given by the membership. Bake sales and auctions were organized and held at association meetings. When a plea for funds for room and board went out at the beginning of each semester, cash poured in.

Tragedy struck. Rose died unexpectedly, and Josh was left without his mom and biggest supporter. He was a junior at Centenary, team trainer and outstanding student.

Our association came together to form **The Rose Crawford Memorial Scholarship Fund** and with the support of Centenary coaches, administration and GDWCAR, Josh Stoner earned his degree.

GUIDELINES & POLICIES

1. Applications must be received in the GDWCAR offices no later than 5:00 pm on February 28 annually, via fax at 940-380-1608, USPS, Private delivery service, or email to info@gdwcara.com, or personal delivery. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure receipt.
2. The Scholarship Sub Committee for GDWCAR shall meet in March to review and select recipients.
3. The application is two (2) pages and must be submitted in its entirety. Do not change or retype this form as this will disqualify application. Complete every section using "NA" for items that are not applicable.
4. Submission package must have the following items in this order:
 - a. Application Requirement Checklist (as the top form to submission package)
 - b. Application for Scholarship Consideration (fully completed)
 - c. Reference Letters (3 required)
 - i. Require a printed name, company name, title, phone #, email and signature.
 - d. Documentation to support eligibility including an "official transcript".
5. THE GDWCAR Scholarship amounts vary from year to year based on donations and need.
6. Scholarship recipients shall be notified by written letter in April and asked to attend the May GDWCAR Luncheon, for a Scholarship presentation ceremony.
7. Applicant acknowledges that scholarships are paid directly to the institution of acceptance, upon confirmation, supplied by and through institution, on official institution letterhead. "If applying for a professional designation scholarship will be payable directly to applicant upon proof of payment.
8. If selected as a finalist, a personal interview could be scheduled with applicant at a date TBD. Interviews will be held at GDWCAR.
9. Applicant is eligible for only one scholarship per year.
10. Questions shall be directed to the Executive Officer of GDWCAR at 940-387-8212.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENT CHECKLIST

(Must be attached as top form to Applicant's Submission package)

AT LEAST ONE IN EACH CATEGORY MUST BE SELECTED

STUDENT STATUS ELIGIBILITY

NAME: _____

- Eligible for fall registration as a freshman, in an institute of higher learning, with an ACT score of 24 or higher and/or an SAT score of 1100 or higher, ranking in the top quarter of my graduating class and I have **attached hereto eligibility documentation.**
- I am a continuing college student with a GPA of 3.0 or higher and I have **attached hereto eligibility documentation**
- I am a REALTOR® with Membership at GDWCAR in good standing and eligible to meet requirements for a designation course and I have **attached hereto eligibility documentation,** or course description.

ASSOCIATION ELIGIBILITY STATUS

- I am a Member in good standing with GDWCAR.
- I am a student of Real Estate Studies at an accredited university.
- I am a student of a family member or legal guardian or an employee of GDWCAR who is in good standing with GDWCAR.

RECOMMENDATION STATUS (total of 3 are required from any sources listed below)

- Attached are (____) letter(s) of recommendation from Educational Leader(s).
- Attached are (____) letter(s) of recommendation from Community or Religious Leaders.
- Attached are (____) letter(s) of recommendation from Employer(s).
- Attached are (____) letter(s) of recommendation from real estate industry professional(s).
- Attached are (____) letter(s) of recommendation from GDWCAR members in good standing.

ESSAY REQUIREMENT

- Attached is an essay not more than two (2) doubled spaced typed pages, detailing the reason you feel qualified and deserving of the scholarship and what you intend to study.

STATEMENT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Applicant acknowledges that they have read and understand the Guidelines, Policies and Requirements and agree that incomplete submission packages will not be considered.

Signature of Applicant

Date of Submission

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Application for Consideration

Applicant's Name: _____

Home Address: _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Current education Institution: _____

Grade Point Average: _____ Number of College Hours Accumulated _____

Counselor's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Educational Institution or Program you will be attending: _____

Degree plan or designation you will be pursuing: _____

FOR GDWCAR REALTOR APPLICANTS ONLY

Current Broker: _____ Years in Industry: _____ License #: _____

Academic Achievements (Attach additional documentation if needed)

Awards, Honors, Leadership, etc. (Attach additional documentation if needed)

Civic or Volunteer Involvement (Attach additional documentation if needed)

As an inducement for the Scholarship Committee of the Greater Denton/Wise County Association of Realtors to consider this application, Applicant represents and warrants that the statements contained within this application and the documents attached hereto are true and correct, and if such statements are found to be false, that applicant shall reimburse Association upon demand for any funds paid.

Applicant's Signature
Date _____