

## WILLIAM H. "BILL" LANDERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This non-renewable scholarship was established in memory and honor of former El Dorado, Arkansas optometrist Bill Landers who practiced in El Dorado for over 36 years. The scholarship is awarded annually to at least one El Dorado High School Senior who intends to pursue a career in the medical profession (any area of medicine/patient care is allowed: nursing, medical doctor, physical therapist, dental professional, etc).

### **Eligibility Criteria:**

A recipient must be a candidate for graduation from high school during the academic year in which the scholarship is awarded, and have a GPA no lower than a 3.0. Criteria to be used by the Advisory Committee in the recommendation of recipients shall include but not be limited to financial need and academic merit. Although it is not a requirement to receive the scholarship, preference will be given to students who were members of the Boys and Girls Club of El Dorado, Arkansas, an organization that was special to Bill Landers.

The following must be submitted online by March 31<sup>st</sup>

### **Application Requirements:**

- ◆ **One** completed scholarship application.
- ◆ **One** cumulative high school transcript through the most recent term (only one need be official; the others can be copies).
- ◆ **One** letter of recommendation from a school official.
- ◆ **One** typewritten essay (one page) that relates the student's educational and career goals.

Apply: Click below link to submit online application.

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