

**GCFM HORTICULTURE SCHOLARSHIP
(APPLICATION FORM MUST BE TYPED or COMPUTER GENERATED)**

PURPOSE: To encourage and financially aid students who are majoring in horticulture, floriculture, landscape design, conservation, forestry, botany, agronomy, plant pathology, environmental control, city planning and/or any other gardening related fields.

QUALIFICATIONS: The GCFM Scholarship is open to college juniors and seniors or graduate students who are legal residents of the State of Maine and not related to a GCFM Board member. (College sophomores are eligible as they will be entering their junior year the following fall.) The scholarship winner is expected to attend the GCFM Awards Luncheon in mid-June.

Date _____

Name in Full _____ Social Security Number _____
Age _____ Female _____ Male _____ Marital Status _____ Number of Children _____
Legal Residence _____
Home Address _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail _____
School Address _____ E-mail _____

College or University _____
Department in which enrolled _____
Major _____ Minor _____
Present Status: Junior _____ Senior _____ Graduate _____ CUM GPA _____
School previously attended _____ DATES _____
When do you expect to graduate? _____ Degree _____
Occupational objective after graduation _____
Are you related to a GCFM Board Member? Yes _____ No _____
Name of Financial Aid Officer _____
Address _____

Phone _____

Attach Personal letter by applicant, not to exceed two typed pages, discussing goals, background, financial need, personal commitment.
List of extra-curricular activities

References Three (3) letters of recommendation, one typed page each. Include: 1. Scholarship ability
2. Personal references 3. Work-related experience

Application form, with grade transcript, letters of recommendation, Financial Aid form, personal letter by applicant, list of activities, and optional head & shoulders photograph, must be received by the GCFM Scholarship Chairman by MARCH 1.

- All applicants will be judged on the following:
1. Aptitude in the field of horticulture
 2. Academic record
 3. Avocational interests and vocational potential
 4. Character
 5. Financial need

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