

Italian American Social Club of Palm Coast

Application for Academic Scholarship

Requirements:

- 1) Scholarship candidates must have a home address/be a resident of Flagler, St. John's or Volusia County.
- 2) Candidate must be an IASC Regular Member/Associate Member's child, grandchild or great grandchild and be of Italian descent.
- 2a) For Associate Members – These members are assumed to not be Italian. They have a child who is also not Italian. That child marries a person of Italian descent. That person becomes eligible to apply for the scholarships. Their children become eligible to apply for the scholarships.
- 3) Candidate must be accepted by or are enrolled in an accredited college or university or planning to attend graduate school.
- 4) Candidate must write and submit a minimum 500 word essay as detailed later in the application.
- 5) All qualified candidates will be interviewed by the Scholarship Committee prior to award selection.
- 6) Scholarship candidates must have a 3.0 or better GPA, based on a scale of 1 to 4. A 3.5 or better GPA is required if the scale is based on 1 to 5.
- 7) A sponsoring member must be a member of the IASC in good standing and have been a member of the IASC for at least 1 year prior to the application submittal date. A sponsoring member will also be considered to be in good standing for the scholarship application process if the sponsoring member has joined the IASC mid-year and then pays their next year's dues by the scholarship application submittal deadline. Usually mid-January of the following year.
- 8) Students who meet the above requirements and are "home schooled" are eligible to apply.

Applicant Information

Name (Last, First, MI) _____
Address _____
Telephone numbers Home _____ Cell _____

Parent's full names _____

IASC Member Identification

Name (Last, First, MI) _____
Address _____
Member's Signature _____
Member's IASC number _____

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If applicant's surname differs from the IASC member's name, please provide explanation of relationship.

Education

High School/College/University (name& address)

Dates attended/attending _____
Curriculum or Major _____
GPA _____ out of _____

If you are currently attending a college or university, please provide latest information in above spaces.

Accomplishments

Activities and Awards _____
Clubs and Honors _____
Other _____

Employment

Present Employer address and duties _____

Previous Employer address and duties _____

Educational Goals

Name of College or University you have been accepted to and plan to attend or are currently attending

Please attach letter of acceptance as applicable and if available at time of application submittal

Career Goals and Future Plans

Define any Special Needs for this Scholarship

References – Submit 3 - other than relatives – Name and Contact information

Essay Requirements

Write a 500 minimum word essay about your Italian heritage and what it means to you. Include any of the following information as you see fit.

1. Relationship of anyone who came from Italy
2. When, where and how did they get to America?
3. What part of Italy did they come from? Include any information about that area of Italy

If you are applying for this scholarship and have been previously awarded an IASC scholarship, then your essay does not have to be about your Italian Heritage. Your essay needs to be about the progression of your academic career to date and how this scholarship will help support that effort. Word length up to student.

Statement by Candidate

I hereby authorize the IASC to verify the information I have given, which is correct to the best of my knowledge. If I am chosen to receive this scholarship, I will comply with the scholarship requirements set forth in this application.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date _____

Administrative Procedures

Mail Application to: IASC/Scholarship Committee
45 Old Kings Road North
Palm Coast, Florida 32137

Attach: Wallet sized graduation photo or appropriate college or university photo. Official Transcript of GPA, courses, attendance records, etc.

Electronic Documentation Submittal: Electronic equivalent submittal of this application is allowed.

Deadline for Application: January 20, 2025

Scholarship Amount: 2 awards at \$1,000 each

Award winners will be selected based upon minimum qualifications, academic achievements, activities, community service, background and need.

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