

**2009 EAST TEXAS GUSHER DAYS  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

List name and ages of other children in your household \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Are you employed? If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_ Hours per week \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had summer jobs? (or jobs not listed above?) Please list jobs and dates of employment.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List **three teachers, administrators or community leaders** who know you well and would recommend you for this scholarship.

**Name**

**Occupation**

**Phone**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

What are your hobbies? \_\_\_\_\_

What are your future plans? (include plans for college and after) \_\_\_\_\_

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List extracurricular activities and organizations in which you have participated.

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List any honors you have received. \_\_\_\_\_

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List any community and church activities in which you participate. \_\_\_\_\_

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College major and minor at this time \_\_\_\_\_

What college do you hope to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

**Write or type a brief essay of at least 300 words on the heritage of Gladewater during the oil boom days. Either by interview of a person or persons who lived and or worked in the East Texas Oil Fields from 1930-1945 or by research. This essay must be in your own words. In order to score the essays based solely on content, the student should not put his name or her name on any of the pages of the essay. Any essay which features the student's name on any pages other than the application will be disqualified.**

Any other comments we should know. \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Your signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**This scholarship application must be completed and returned  
to your counselors' office by March 30, 2009.**

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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE COUNSELORS' OFFICE**

Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ students

Grade point average: four point scale \_\_\_\_\_ 100 point scale

SAT scores: Math \_\_\_\_\_ Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Composite \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Scores : English \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ Reading \_\_\_\_\_

Science \_\_\_\_\_ Composite \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarships already awarded: \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarships pending : \_\_\_\_\_

Financial need: Great \_\_\_\_\_ Minimal \_\_\_\_\_ Unknown \_\_\_\_\_

Completed by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Dear Student,

Congratulations upon your graduation from Gladewater High School/Union Grove High School districts. The East Texas Gusher Days Committee will be giving at least one \$500.00 scholarship which will be payable in the amount of \$250.00 per semester for two consecutive semesters to a 2009 Gladewater High School/Union Grove High School Senior which will be awarded on proof of enrollment in college. This scholarship is to be used only for tuition, room and board and/or textbooks. Please take time from your very busy schedule to complete this application. You will need to write or type a brief essay of least 300 words, **complete the application and return both the application and essay to the counselors' office by March 30, 2009. In 2008 we were able to award a \$1,000.00 scholarship to one individual and we hope to be able to award either the same amount in 2009 or more so please consider applying for our scholarship. The Scholarship winner will be announced during East Texas Gusher Days Festival on Saturday April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009.**

The entries will be judged on the following criteria:

1. Essay (90 percent)
2. Extracurricular activities at GHS/UGHS and or Gladewater community
3. Academic scores at GHS/UGHS

Thank you for your participation,

East Texas Gusher Days Committee