Clan BAIRD Society Worldwide Student Application Guidelines

Scholarship Application Instructions:

The application packet [three (3) copies] must be complete and arranged in the order listed below. All original transcripts, letters of recommendation and other required documents must be sent to the Society President, (Debra Baird, Clan Baird Society Worldwide, 3491 County Road, Haleyville, Alabama, 35565 or djbaird4@gmail.com) postmarked or emailed no later than June 30th of each year. Scholarships are judged and awarded without regard to gender, race, color, religion, national origin or disability. The application package must be stapled or paper clipped in the top left hand corner, and must not exceed fifteen (15) pages.

Check List:

- Scholarship Application, which can be found on Clan BAIRD Society Worldwide website at http://www.clanbairdsociety.com/
- > Statement of 1,000 words or less, setting forth the applicant's career objectives and planned use of the scholarship monies.
- > Copy of transcript of formal training (certificates, course grades, high school, college, or graduate school formal transcript).
- Two letters of recommendation (that cover applicant's ability, work habits, integrity, character, potential, and volunteer activities).
- Resume or Vita of previous work, extra-curricular activities, honors received, and scholastic achievements, as well as volunteer activities pertinent to the study and preservation of Scottish heritage.

Rules for Submission of an Application:

- 1) Applicants must be members of the Clan BAIRD Society Worldwide.
- 2) Scholarship monies are to be used to advance the preservation of Scottish heritage and culture, and to promote the objectives of the Clan BAIRD Society Worldwide.
- 3) Proposals for formal courses and schooling will receive preference for awards.
- 4) All scholarship winners must be willing to submit a report of achievement after the course or training is completed, by June 30th of the following year after the award.