Mokihana Club

Laura Marsh Perpetual Nursing Scholarship

Mission Statement

The Mokihana club is offering a $5000 scholarship annually to promote, expand and enhance the nursing skills of students in a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program. This scholarship was created through the generosity of Frank Marsh. **The Laura Marsh Perpetual Nursing Scholarship** is created in honor of Laura Marsh who was an extraordinary nurse and wonderful person who dedicated her career to the profession of nursing, care giving, community service and a calling that many can be proud of.

Procedures:

Applicant Eligibility:

- Applicant must live on Kaua'i
- Applicant must be enrolled in a program to obtain a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Degree or higher degree in Nursing
- A Citizen of the United States

In the event the applicant is granted the scholarship they must pass appropriate licensure exams and commit to working in the profession for 5 years on Kaua'i.

Also, if the applicant is granted the scholarship and pursues further education to obtain an MSN Degree or a degree to become a Licensed Nurse Practitioner, they may apply to receive this scholarship for 2 additional years.

Application Process:

The Application Packet must include:

- The completed application form
- Letter from the appropriate university verifying enrollment in the appropriate program
- Two Letters of Recommendation, at least one being from a nursing instructor
- Verification of U.S. Citizenship

- Verification of address on Kaua'i
- An essay indicating their desire to continue in Nursing and why they should qualify for this scholarship

Application Process:

- A deadline for submission of all required documents shall be established by the Mokihana Nursing Scholarship Committee.
- After all applications and documents have been submitted, an interview with the candidates will be scheduled by the Nursing committee.
- After the interviews the Nursing committee will make a recommendation to the Mokihana Board for approval
- After approval is given the candidate is notified and asked to attend a Mokihana Meeting, if possible, for presentation of the check and announcement of the scholarship to the full membership.

All application information shall be submitted by September 30, 2026.

Laura Marsh Perpetual Nursing Scholarship Application

The scholarship committee reviews only complete applications. Failure to complete or provide any of the following information will result in the disqualification of the applicant. Please type or print in blue or black ink. For additional information, please leave a message at (808) 332-0282

Applicant's name_____

Address_____

City_____**State**_____**Zip**_____

Telephone_____**Email**_____

Are you a full-time student? _____ Yes _____No

Have you attached a statement from the Nursing Department confirming applicant's admission/registration to the nursing program? _____Yes_____No

Are you a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident? _____Yes _____No

Applicant's signature _____

Date _____

Return Completed Application and all attachments to:

Scholarship Awards Committee

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