Reef Relief Environmental Education Scholarship

Amount: $1,000

Applications Due by April 30,2025, via mail or email.

*For graduating seniors within Monroe County who have displayed a passion towards marine conservation. They should have experience with the ocean and documented community service. Applicants should be pursuing majors in marine affairs, marine*

*biology, environmental studies, related field OR a career related to marine conservation (i.e. Eco Tourism, obtaining a USCG Captains license, etc.).*

Date:

Name:

Current School (Must be in Monroe County):

Total Documented Community Service Hours:

What are your plans post high school graduation (i.e schooling, declared major, career path etc.)?:

Recent School Activities (sports, clubs, leadership positions):

Recent Community Activities (community service, activities not in school):

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Please list two reference contacts. One reference must be a current or previous teacher the other should be a character reference (excludes relatives):

1. Name of Teacher Reference:

Phone Number:

Email:

2. Name of Character Reference:

Phone Number:

Email:

Please answer the following questions in approximately 300 words or less each on a separate page. Be sure to correctly write the corresponding question number and that your name is clearly displayed. Handwritten responses are acceptable, however typed is preferred.

1. What would you like to see yourself doing in 10 years?

2. How has the ocean impacted you?

3. Why do you feel that the coral reef needs protecting?

4. What do you feel is the largest issue(s) facing our marine ecosystems right now?

5. In your spare time, how have you given back to the environment (i.e volunteer with environmental organizations, shoreline cleanups, etc.) ?

6. How will this $1,000 scholarship benefit you?

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