Name:	High School:	

LEONARD AND EDITH POLSTER SCHOLARSHIP 2024 Facilitated by: BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF SAN DIEGUITO FOUNDATION

Information and Application

The Leonard and Edith Polster Scholarship is awarded annually to graduating high school seniors who plan to continue their education at a four-year college or university, a community college, or trade/technical school. Preference will be given to applicants in North San Diego County high schools with emphasis being given to students applying to <u>California public</u> universities, community colleges and vocational schools. **No out of state colleges and no private colleges**.

The purpose of the scholarship is to award money to deserving students who might not be able to attend college because of financial constraints. Recipients must be full-time students (enrolled in 12 units or more) to be eligible.

Applicants will be judged on the following criteria:

Financial need	40%
Academic standing (2.5 GPA & above) and/or the potential for success	30%
School/community involvement/work experience	
Student essay	10%
Recommendations	10%

Mail completed application (postmarked on or before Friday, April 19, 2024) to:

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF SAN DIEGUITO FOUNDATION 533 LOMAS SANTA FE DRIVE SOLANA BEACH, CA 92075

OR hand-deliver completed application to front desk (no later than Friday, April 19, 2024 at 5PM) to:

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF SAN DIEGUITO FOUNDATION

533 LOMAS SANTA FE DRIVE

SOLANA BEACH, CA 92075

Tel: 858-720-2188 Email SuLynn Daugherty at: sdaugherty@bgcsandieguito.org

****PLEASE let your high school counselor know you are applying for this scholarship****

The following must accompany your application to be complete:

- A copy of this sheet with name & high school filled out
- Essay (statement of intent and/or personal direction)
- College acceptance letter(s)
- Transcript
- Copy of social security card
- 2 letters of reference (prefer one each from an educator and an employer)
- Parents' 1040 income tax records for 2023 REQUIRED***
- Picture of self (optional)
- * The Scholarship Review Committee will review all complete applications. A personal interview may be requested for final candidates.
- * Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the academic institution to offset tuition costs and related fees.