

BONANZA CASINO SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Bonanza Casino, as North Valleys High School's Partner in Education, is pleased to offer two \$1,000 scholarships to the graduating class of 2021. These scholarships have been created to help further the education of the youth in our area and demonstrate the Bonanza Casino's commitment to our community and to North Valleys High School.

SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTION:

Two scholarships will be awarded by the Bonanza Casino this year. The recipients of these scholarships will be selected based on the applicant's involvement in community service, leadership activities, athletic participation and academic achievement. The scholarships are a one-time award in the amount of \$1,000. The funds will be payable in two installments: (\$500) August and (\$500) January. The funds are made payable to an accredited college, skill/training center or trade school of the applicant's choice.

ELIGIBILITY:

All North Valleys High School seniors who have a minimum G.P.A. of 3.0 are eligible to apply. Applicants must enroll at an accredited post-secondary institution or trade school.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Eligible students must complete the scholarship application and submit the following documentation:

1. Official school transcripts
2. Two letters of recommendation (one from a teacher or coach, and one non-North Valleys High School reference).
3. A recent professional photograph (4x6). All scholarship winners will be included on a plaque inside the Branding Iron Café at the Bonanza Casino.
4. A personal essay limited to 500 words. The essay should consist of a description of the most rewarding activity the applicant has participated in, and the impact it has had. This activity could be community service, leadership activities, or sports participation.

Application and all supporting documentation to must be received by Friday, March 19, 2021. Due to COVID-19, please submit application and all supporting documentation electronically via email to jwatson@bonanzacasino.com or by mail: Bonanza Casino attn: Jimmy Watson, 4720 N. Virginia St., Reno, NV 89506.

SELECTION PROCESS:

The Scholarship Committee will base their decision on the applicant's accomplishments in community service, leadership activities, athletic participation and academic achievement. The committee's decision is final.

AWARD RECOGNITION:

The winners will be recognized inside the Bonanza Casino and a press release announcing their scholarships will be distributed to the local media.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT INFORMATION *Please type or print clearly*

Applicant's Name

Last Name, First Name, MI

Male Female

Date of birth (month/day/year)

Home Address

Street (No P.O. Boxes), City, State, Zip

Name of Parents / Guardians _____

Applicant's Phone _____

Applicant's Email _____

Parent / Guardian Phone _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Score on your SAT test (Verbal) (Math) Score on your ACT test List any Advanced Placement or Honors courses you have taken and the grade(s) you earned:

University, college or trade school you plan on attending:

Planned major:

List each organization or club in which you are an active member. If you hold an office, please note which:

COMMUNITY SERVICE

List all community service activities in which you have been active during your junior or senior year:

ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION

List all sports activities in which you have participated in and the position(s) held:

HONORS OR AWARDS

List any honors, awards or other special recognition you have received for school or community service activities:

WORK HISTORY

Have you held a job while in high school? Yes No

If so, where and what work did you perform?

Are you working now? Yes No

If yes, where?

Part time Full time Summer only

Will you be working while in school?

Yes No

PERSONAL OUTLOOK

Why do you feel you should be granted this scholarship award?

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Please list any special circumstances or information that you feel has a bearing on your financial situation and should be considered by the scholarship committee:

PERSONAL ESSAY: *Limited to 500 words. The essay should consist of a description of the most rewarding activity the applicant has participated in, and the impact it has had. This activity could be community service, leadership activities, or sports participation.*

All information included in and with this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Student applicant's signature:

Date:

Parent/Guardian's signature:

Date: