



Clover Schools Alumni Association
Connecting Alumni, School, and Community

Female Sports/Service Scholarship
in memory of
Diane Harris Hilderbrand

Please note: This form is for senior(s) seeking a two-year or four-year degree upon graduation from Clover High School. Preference will be given to female students who have participated in sports and/or who have been of service to others. If you have questions about whether you might be eligible for the scholarship, please contact the alumni association at 803-810-8083 or at ginger.marr@clover.k12.sc.us.

The awarded amount will be split between two consecutive academic semesters. Scholarship applications are available to Clover High School seniors demonstrating strengths in the following areas:

1. **Achievement:** GPA (Weighted GPA will be calculated by Clover High School using a 5-point scale.)
2. **Service:** Demonstrate involvement in community activities. (Preference will be given to those participating in community athletic activities and/or who have been of service to others)
3. **Leadership:** Demonstrate leadership through active membership in school or community organizations. (Preference will be given to those who show leadership in athletics.)

The 2026-27 scholarship amount will be \$1,000.00 Funds are distributed directly to the institution.

Please place the information below along with the completed application in one envelope. ***Please note: Incomplete applications will not be considered.***

1. **Two Recommendation Forms:** One letter of recommendation should be from the community member such as your minister, employer, etc. (not a relative) and one from a school faculty member such as a coach, teacher, principal, etc. Preference will be given to those who provide these recommendations from someone with whom they have worked with either in their participation in sports or who have knowledge of their service to others. These forms should be provided in sealed envelopes (signed across the envelope seal by the individual completing the form). **Please note: Recommendations must be rated on the form provided. Recommendations without the use of this form will not be considered.**
2. **Transcript:** An official high school transcript is required.
3. **Post-Secondary Information:** Provide a copy of the acceptance letter from the institution/program you will be attending.
4. **Short Answer:** Provide answers to the questions on page. Responses should be your original work. AI-generated text will not be considered.
5. **Disbursement Agreement:** Agreement for Disbursement of Scholarship Funds Form

Students may download a copy of the application and recommendation form at clover.k12.sc.us/alumni or obtain a copy of the application from the Clover High School Guidance Department. ***All applications must be submitted to the Clover High School Guidance Office by March 9, 2026, to be considered.***

Participation in Athletics

Please list all athletics activities in which you are or have been involved.

Activity	Grades Involved

Non-Athletic Extracurricular Activities

Please list all non-athletic extracurricular, school and community activities in which you are or have been involved.

Activity	Grades Involved

Athletic Extracurricular Activities

Please list all athletic extracurricular, school and community activities in which you are or have been involved.

Activity	Grades Involved

Non-Athletic Leadership Roles

Please list all non-athletic leadership roles you have held.

Activity	Grades Involved

Athletic Leadership Roles

Please list athletic leadership roles you have held.

Activity	Grades Involved

Non-Athletic Awards & Honors

Please list all non-athletic awards and honors you have received.

Activity	Grades Involved	Description

Athletic Awards & Honors

Please list all athletic awards and honors you have received.

Activity	Grades Involved	Description

Short Answer

In two or three sentences, please answer the following questions. Responses should be your original work. AI-generated text will not be considered.

1. How has your participation in sports (ex. Cheerleading, basketball, etc.) and/or service to others had an impact on you?

2. What are your career plans and how will you use this scholarship?

3. Where do you see yourself in five years?

Scholarship Recommendation Form

(Recommendation must be placed in a sealed envelope.

Envelope must be signed across the seal by the individual completing the form.)

Student Name:

Last

First

Middle

Please complete the following form for the above-named student and return to the student in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be signed across the seal by the individual completing the form.

Name of person completing the recommendation: _____

How long have you known the student? _____

In what capacity have you known the student? _____

Please circle on in each category:

Quality	High				Low	
Demonstrates leadership ability	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Shows initiative	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Motivated	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Potential for success	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Respected by faculty/community	5	4	3	2	1	N/A

Please comment on the scholastic ability and accomplishments exhibited by the student. Also discuss major strengths or weaknesses and assess his/her potential to succeed academically.

Signature

Print Name

Title

Date

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Scholarship Application Disclaimer**

Agreement for Disbursement of Scholarship Funds

I, _____, (Parent/Guardian) acknowledge and understand that the scholarship award, if received, will only be disbursed directly to the college/university identified by the scholarship recipient, _____. (Student's Name). Funds will be divided between two consecutive academic semesters.

The Clover Schools Alumni Association Scholarship funds will be forwarded to the institution upon receipt of the Enrollment Verification Form in one of the following ways:

1. Placed in the student's account with the Financial Aid Office and/or Student Affairs Office.
2. Place in a recognized university/college bookstore account in the student's name.

I understand and accept these conditions for the disbursement of any scholarship award that my son/daughter may receive.

Parent/Guardian (Signature)

Parent/Guardian (Print Name)

Date