

New Hampshire Women's Golf Association 2021 Scholarship Program

The New Hampshire Women's Golf Association (NHWGA) offers two scholarship opportunities: the NHWGA Scholarship and the Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship. Eligibility and application requirements for these scholarships are described below.

New Hampshire Women's Golf Association Scholarship

Eligibility

Female candidates must meet the eligibility criteria to be considered for funding:

- * Member of NHWGA or relative of member of NHWGA
- * Enrolled full-time in an undergraduate degree program at an accredited college or university

Selection Criteria

Candidates are evaluated for merit factors including academic work, extracurricular activities, community/volunteer activities and work experience, and financial need.

Awards

There is no set amount for an award. Each award is individually determined. Students are encouraged to reapply up to four times for each of the years they are enrolled in an undergraduate program.

Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship

The Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship was endowed through the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation in loving memory of Jean Lyons, an avid golfer and member of the New Hampshire Women's Golf Association for over sixty years. During her life, Jean won multiple club championships at Nashua Country Club, was a Senior NH State Champion and a NH State Champion runner-up. As much as Jean enjoyed competing, she also willingly shared her love of the game with golfers of all ages and abilities. She was especially encouraging of younger players and enjoyed following their development as golfers and in life.

The Scholarship is to be awarded annually by the NHWGA to a female golfer who is a resident of the State of New Hampshire or a playing member at a New Hampshire golf club and pursuing a higher education at an accredited college or university and who combines outstanding character with promise of academic success.

Selection Criteria

- * Female golfer who is a resident of the State of New Hampshire or member/player at a New Hampshire golf course
- * Candidate must play golf with preference given to candidates who play golf competitively in high school and/or who plan to play golf competitively in college
- * Promise of academic success evidenced by superior grades and test scores; preference to be given to candidates enrolled in a four (4) year undergraduate program
- * Evidence of outstanding character measured by extracurricular activities

Application Process for NHWGA Scholarship and Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship

Please read these directions carefully. Applicants can apply for one or both scholarships if they meet the criteria. Applications/requests will be denied if not completed as outlined in these procedures.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Due to the extenuating circumstances surrounding the Covid-19 pandemic, these instructions have been amended to make it easier for applicants to gather, complete and submit the necessary materials. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure the application materials are returned to the NHWGA by the deadline. Once all materials have been received, the applicant will be notified that their application is pending review.

1. Part I - Signed Application

Please fill in answers to each question on the application. The forms may be filled out online then printed, or printed and filled out by hand. If completed by hand, please print clearly and in both instances, please be sure you sign your application. This document can be mailed to the address shown below or scanned and emailed to the email address shown below.

2. School Transcripts -

The applicant shall provide a copy of their current year transcripts. Mail one of the following transcripts to the address shown below:

- 2020 – 2021 college transcript, including cumulative GPA
- 2020 – 2021 high school transcript for graduating high school seniors

Please note: The transcript provided must include applicant's name.

3. Part II - Applicant appraisals -

The applicant must provide two appraisals from people (not related to you) and who know you and your accomplishments. Examples of people who you might ask for appraisals include: teachers, coaches, managers/employers, guidance counselors/advisors, religious or civic organization leaders, etc.

The applicant should obtain appraisals by either method shown below:

- a. Print Part II and give it to the appraiser along with two envelopes; one to put the completed appraisal in and the second should be a stamped, self-addressed envelope to mail back to the applicant. The original signed document must be received in a sealed envelope with the Appraiser's signature across the seal by the deadline.
- b. Provide the appraiser with a link to the Part II appraisal form, found on the NHWGA website, and ask them to download it and mail it to the address shown below by the deadline.

4. All application components must be received by May 15, 2021. No hand delivered applications will be accepted. If you are having an issue with meeting this deadline, send a note explaining the situation to the email address below.

5. Mail or send to:

NHWGA Scholarship Committee

Cindy McLaughlin, Scholarship Chair

PO Box 1566, Derry, NH 03038

For more information or if you have questions email:

Scholarship@nhwga.org

NHWGA / Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship

Part I
Applicant's Personal Information

Full Name

Home mailing address: Street, city, state, zip

County

City/town residency if different from mailing address

Home phone

Cell phone

E-mail address

Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

High school name and state

Graduation date (mm/yyyy)

School for which aid is requested

Expected graduation date (mm/yy)

Check appropriate box in each category

I am a:

- High school senior
- undergraduate student
- adult college student

Next year I will be a:

- freshman
- sophomore
- junior
- senior

I am a competing athlete:

- Yes
- No

Do you play golf?

- Yes
- No

NHWGA member?

- Yes
- No

Member of a golf club?

- Yes
- No

If you belong to a golf club, what is the name of the club you belong to?

I am applying for:

- NHWGA Scholarship
- Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship
- Both

NHWGA / Jean E. Lyons Memorial Scholarship

If you are applying for the NHWGA scholarship and are not a member of NHWGA, please provide the name of the NHWGA member you are related to and your relationship to this person.

If you are a competing athlete, your scholarship check will be sent directly to your school. Please provide the school address to which the scholarship should be sent.

School Name

Mailing Address

School and/or Community Activities

List all community and school activities you have participated in; include sports, student government, clubs and volunteer projects. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Activity

Start and End Dates

Special Recognition

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Special Recognition

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Start and End Dates

Special Recognition

Paid Work Experience

Employee

Start and End Dates

Position(s) Held

Employee

Start and End Dates

Position(s) Held

Employer

Start and End Dates

Position(s) Held

Education and Career Goals

Describe your education and career goals. Why have you chosen your course of study, what job/career are you giving thought to pursuing? Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Special Circumstances

Please tell us about any special family or personal circumstances that you feel the committee should know about. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Certification

I certify that the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that financial information will be considered confidential. I also agree that my name can be used in announcements regarding the particular scholarship(s) that I may be awarded.

Please print the completed application and sign and date in the space provided below.

Applicant Signature

Date

Part II: Applicant Appraisal

To applicants: Please have this appraisal filled out by two individuals (not related to you) who know you and your accomplishments. Appraiser Examples: Teacher, coach, manager, civic or religious leader, counselor, etc.

To appraisers: If you received this form from the applicant please return the signed appraisal to the applicant in a sealed envelope with your signature across the seal or mail it to NHWGA Scholarship Chair, PO Box 1566, Derry, NH 03038 . Alternatively, you can download the form from the NHWGA site and email it directly to Scholarship@NHWGA.org.

Unsigned hard copy appraisals and/or appraisals received with a broken seal will be rejected.

Applicant's Name

	Extremely well	Very well	Moderately well	Not well
The applicant's achievements reflect his/her ability.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The applicant is able to seek, find and use learning resources appropriately.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The applicant demonstrates curiosity and initiative.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The applicant demonstrates good problem solving skills.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The applicant follows through and completes tasks.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
The applicant's ability to set realistic and obtainable goals is:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The quality of the applicant's commitment to school and community is:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The applicant's respect for self and others is:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Additional comments. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Please sign your name, title and date below. An original signature is required if this document is returned by mail.

Name	Title	Date
<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>