

*Sammamish Kiwanis/Skyline High School Partnership*

**\* Richard G. Nieman Scholarship Application Form \***

**Scholarship Award: \$500**

*The intent of this award is to recognize a graduating Skyline High School senior for their community service, leadership and exemplary attitude during their high school years as a member of Key Club.*

Application deadline April 30, 2012  
Award winner notification at Award's Banquet

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (MI)

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address) (City) (St) (Zip)

**Home Phone Number** \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ **Faculty Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class Rank:** \_\_\_\_ **Class Size:** \_\_\_\_ **Grade Point Ave. (4.0 Scale)** \_\_\_\_

Qualification Requirements

Applicants must be graduating seniors, in good standing with the Key Club at school's year end. Good standing is defined as: volunteer hours completed, dues must be current, attendance of a least 50% of Key Club meetings or participated in school sponsored extracurricular activities and maintained at least a C (2.0) average.

Application Procedure

**Involvement Outline - Please provide insight into the following areas:**

School Organizations and Activities: List the school organizations and activities which you have contributed to significantly, listing any office held in chronological order, from your freshman year through senior year in high school.

Community or Religious Activities: List community or religious activities which you have contributed to significantly, listing each in order of importance to you, from your freshman year through senior year in high school.

Honors, Awards, and Special Recognition: List in chronological order any honors, awards, and special recognition you have received during high school.

Essay: Submit a one page (single spaced) essay on your involvement and leadership experiences in Key Club, or in other school, community or religious activities. Also include a brief paragraph on your future educational and vocational plans.

Letters of Recommendation: Please include at least one letter of recommendation with your application. The person providing the letter of recommendation should be a school official, community or religious leader or Kiwanian. You may submit up to three letter of recommendation, but not more than one letter of recommendation may be provided from each of the identified categories.

Letters of recommendation must be no more than two pages long and need to be dated and signed. They may not be from relatives of the applicant. The letters should cover service to the school, community or Key Club, as well as describe your leadership abilities, scholarship, personality and integrity.

High School Transcript: A dated, certified copy of the applicant's official high school transcript must accompany the application.

Award presentation: The \$500.00 award will be presented at the Skyline High School Scholarship Celebration.

Provision: At their discretion, the Kiwanis Club of Sammamish reserves the right to modify any and all rules.

*Tribute to Richard B. Neiman*

*The Kiwanis Club of Sammamish is pleased to offer this scholarship in honor of Richard G. Neiman. Dick Nieman passed away March 20, 1998. He was an active and dedicated member of the Kiwanis family having, at various times, belonged to the East Sammamish Kiwanis, Kiwanis Club of Issaquah Valley (President Elect) and the Kiwanis Club of Issaquah (past President in 1993). Dick Nieman served his community individually, through his Kiwanis activities and as pastor of various Lutheran churches over the years. Most recently, he serviced as pastor of the Sammamish Hills Lutheran Church from 1984 until his retirement in late 1996. East Sammamish Kiwanis named this scholarship to honor Dick Nieman and his commitment to community service. It is our hope that all applicants for and recipients of the Richard G. Nieman Scholarship will strive to serve their communities as our friend Dick Nieman served the communities where he lived and worked.*

**Applications must be postmarked by  
April 30, 2012 and sent to:**

**Kiwanis Club of Sammamish  
c/o Chip Dusseau  
24001 NE 29<sup>th</sup> St  
Sammamish, WA 98074**