



### ***Who are the Jaycees?***

The Jaycees (Junior Chamber of Commerce), a civic organization comprised of men and women who join together to improve their communities, provide leadership training through community activism and empower young people to effect positive change. The Individual Development area sets the Junior Chamber apart from other organizations: while many other groups offer community service and social activities, Jaycees chapters offer opportunities for self-improvement. By chairing a local project, a young person can practice organization, delegation, time and resource management, public relations and motivational skills. The Jaycees also offer training programs, usually at no cost to the member, that teach these skills. Even if a project does not meet its goals, chairperson(s) and committee members learn from the experience: this is the success of the chapter.

Active in the Foxboro community since 1961, the Foxboro Jaycees are a dynamic, enthusiastic volunteer organization dedicated to enhancing quality of life through community development projects while growing the skills of our members and providing an opportunity to make lifelong friendships. The Jaycees provide civic service through the organized efforts of the people of the community and promote the welfare of Foxboro and its citizens through active, constructive projects.

The Jaycees build community relationships and forge friendships while developing managerial, project, and people skills. Most importantly, the Jaycees make our community better! Be sure to visit our website and Facebook page to learn more!

### **Foxboro Jaycees Scholarship**

The Foxboro Jaycees are pleased to announce a 2023-2024 Scholarship Program: a \$500 scholarship will be awarded to an individual enrolled in a two or four year college, a technical institute, school of nursing, post graduate school or other accredited secondary program who demonstrates a commitment to community service.

### ***Who is eligible for this scholarship?***

Foxboro area applicants must be enrolled in a 2 or 4 year college, technical institute, school of nursing, post graduate school or other education program beyond high school.

### ***How does one apply for this scholarship?***

Applicants must submit a typed application:

**Foxboro Jaycees Scholarship Program  
PO Box 169  
Foxboro, MA 02035**

Submissions may be emailed to [scholarship.foxjaycees @ gmail.com](mailto:scholarship.foxjaycees@gmail.com)

Contact us with questions!

Scholarship Application Deadline  
**March 20, 2024**

## **Application**

*Applications must be submitted by March 20, 2024*

*Complete the following:*

### **Part 1:**

**Full Name:**

*Maiden Name (if applicable):*

**Address:**

**Telephone Number:**

**Email Address:**

**School Name:**

**Address:**

**Contact/Telephone:**

**Are you a Jaycee or relative of a Jaycee?**

**If yes, please provide details.**

### **Part 2:**

**Describe your career interests, goals, and objectives. Include as much specific information as possible.**

### **Part 3:**

**List and briefly describe your experiences with community service. Include the name and location of the organization, a contact person, and a brief description of your role.**

### **Part 4:**

**List and briefly describe your experiences with the Foxboro Jaycees; for example, what Jaycees' sponsored events did you attend? (Concerts on the Common, Easter Egg Hunt, etc.). Did you volunteer at any of these events? If so, please describe. If not, you may leave this section blank.**

**Part 5:**

The Jaycees Creed, adopted in 1946 by C. William Brownfield in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, concludes with a powerful statement: "service to humanity is the best work of life." Brownfield explained his inspiration for this line: "The life lived unselfishly grows richer, deeper, and fuller. Joy is more enduring and peace of mind, more certain. The world looks at the contribution such a life has made and marks the one who lived it as a benefactor of the race; yet he knows in truth the greater benefit has been his own."

**Please choose one of the following topics and write a short essay to share your insights about community service.**

A. Please tell us about a community service project with which you have been involved, including the impact you believe you had on the community, and the impact of the project on you personally. **Be as specific as possible.**

B. Describe how you see public service fitting in into your life while in college and after you graduate. **Be as specific as possible**; perhaps there is a special awareness you hope to bring to your environment?

C. Imagine, you are a member of a service organization which raises \$1,000.00 to be used within your community. You are in charge of determining how the funds will be spent. What is your recommendation to the organization and how did you reach that conclusion? **Be as specific as possible.**

**Part 5:**

**Educational History (list or attach a resume)**

**College you currently or plan/hope to attend.**

**Part 6:**

**Please attach transcripts (unofficial is fine). (high school, college, etc. )**

