

## **Birdia Keglars Legacy Community Day 2025 Scholarship Application**

**Purpose:** To recognize a female student who embodies the spirit of Birdia Keglars through her displayed leadership ability in school and community activism. The recipient must be interested in attending a two or four-year College or university in the Fall of that year or currently in good standing with the college or university (i.e. registered as a full-time student and provides proof of enrollment). The applicant must reside (live) in Tallahatchie County Mississippi and provide proof of acceptance to the college or university.

**Scholarship Awards:** The BK Legacy Committee will present a \$1000 scholarship.

**Scholarship Criteria:**

- Applicants must complete Scholarship Application Form.
- Applicants must submit two letters of recommendation (one from a principal, counselor, or teacher and one from a community leader).
- Applicants must write an essay on how they embody the attributes of Birdia Keglars through their leadership abilities and community involvement. Essay must not exceed two pages (typed and double-spaced).

**Instructions:**

- Type or print the application form.
- Type the essay (not to exceed two pages and double-spaced).
- Attach essay and letters of recommendations to the scholarship application form.
- **Mail the completed application packet to:**

***Birdia Keglars Legacy Scholarship Committee***

***P.O. Box 222***

***Charleston, MS 38921***

***OR***

***Email to: [ekglas@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ekglas@sbcglobal.net)***

***OR***

***Call Gwen Dailey @ 662-609-6701***

**Deadline: Application must be received by May 1, 2025.**

The recipient (if high school student) will be announced at high school graduation otherwise recipient will be announced at ceremony.

**Ceremony:** The scholarship winner will be recognized/awarded, at 2024 graduation.



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**Leadership Ability** (Articulate your leadership positions in school organizations, teams, clubs, Boy/Girl Scouts, church activities, community/civic organizations, ...etc.). Attach additional sheet if needed.

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**Extracurricular Activities** (List participation in school organization, clubs, honor society, church, community, part-time works, sports, ...etc.). Attach additional sheet if needed.

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**Career and Academic Goals:**