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***Shawnee Chamber of Commerce Foundation
Betty Charlton Scholarship Fund - 2024***

- Purpose:** This fund was established by the Shawnee Chamber of Commerce in memory of Betty Charlton, who was a strong supporter of education, to provide scholarships for education to high school seniors who either reside in the City of Shawnee or attend a school in the City of Shawnee, who have demonstrated involvement in community leadership and received special honors, and who meet the criteria outlined below.
- Criteria:** To be eligible for the scholarship, you must meet the following:
- The student shall be a graduating senior intending to continue his or her education through a two- or four-year college and/or technical school. Consideration will be given to the student's work, school activity and community service records.
 - Student must continue to attend classes and keep a 3.0 grade point average (or equivalent).
 - Submit a scholarship application on a form provided by the Foundation.
 - A certified transcript **MUST** accompany application to be considered for scholarship.
 - A letter of recommendation **MUST** accompany the application and cannot be written by a relative of the student.
 - A personal interview will be conducted with finalist for the scholarship.
- Guidelines:** Scholarships will be awarded on an annual basis and disbursed jointly to the student and the school. The student is responsible for notifying the Chamber office in advance to request a check.
- Amount:** \$1,500 total, to be paid in one installment.
- Deadline:** Applications for the 2022-2023 academic years need to be completed and submitted no later than 5 p.m. **Monday, March 25, 2024.**

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Scholarship recipients will be notified prior to **May 31, 2024**