



## ALAMO WOMEN'S CLUB

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#### OVERVIEW

The Alamo Women's Club Scholarship Program was established over 20 years ago and is made possible through annual club fundraising events and community donations. The program focus is to award needs based scholarships to local public high school graduating seniors, Diablo Valley Community College single parents and Youth Homes Emancipated foster students.

#### SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

The following criteria are considered for awarding the AWC Scholarships:

- Needs financial support to meet educational/vocational goals
- Makes a strong commitment to continuing education either academically or vocationally
- Completes the AWC application
- Maintain a 2.0 GPA
- Writes a personal essay describing why they applied for the scholarship, what their educational/vocational goals are and why they deserve the scholarship
- Submits two (2) letters of recommendation from either school counselors, staff members, teachers or community leaders
- Resides in Contra Costa County
- Commits to attending the 2020 AWC Scholarship Awards luncheon to update the membership on their academic/vocational progress
- Completes the Photo Release with required signature
- **Late applications will not be considered**