

Chiefs of Police Secretaries Association
Connecticut Chapter

Jean Hillstrand Memorial Scholarship

The Jean Hillstrand Memorial Scholarship is named for a charter member of the Chiefs of Police Secretaries Association, which was organized in 1986. Mrs. Hillstrand served as the Secretary to the Chief of Police at the Berlin (Connecticut) Police Department for 18 years. She was an active supporter of COPSA and made valuable contributions to the organization in its formative months. It is fitting and proper that this scholarship is offered on the anniversary of her untimely death in 1988.

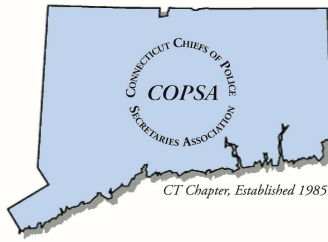
Four scholarships of \$500.00 each will be offered to foster pride and encourage individuals to pursue higher education.

Any individual who is a Police Department employee whose Secretary is a COPSA member is eligible to apply for a scholarship. Also, any student whose father, mother or guardian is an employee of a member Police Department is eligible. (Ask your Department's Chief's Secretary about COPSA membership and eligibility.) Applicants should be entering or enrolled in a formal program of higher education in an accredited school/college/university.

Applications must be submitted to the Scholarship Committee by February 28th. Selection of scholarship recipients will be based on academic achievement, financial need and excellence of general character.

Individuals awarded COPSA scholarships will be announced at the March COPSA meeting each year.

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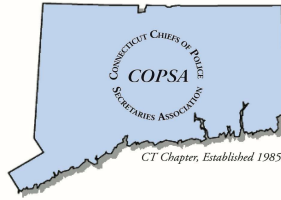
COPSA Memorial Scholarship Program

Applicant Instructions

1. Complete application form.
2. Attach the following items to your application:
 - a. A copy of current grade transcripts from school now attending (or from school most recently attended);
 - b. A letter of recommendation from a teacher, former or present, or from your most current employer;
 - c. A short essay explaining why you are pursuing higher education and what your goals are.
 - d. A copy of your acceptance letter (or registration) from the school/college/university (accredited) you will be attending.
3. Return complete application packet to:

Ms. Marcia Krusewski
COPSA Jean Hillstrand Memorial Scholarship Comm.
c/o Milford Police Department
430 Boston Post Road
Milford, CT 06460

Please direct any questions you may have regarding the scholarship process to your Department's Chief's Secretary. More general information about the scholarship is also found at: www.ctcopsa.net



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Application
(Please type or print)

Date: _____

Applicant Name: _____
 First Middle Last

Applicant Address: _____
 Number Street Town State Zip

High School attending: _____
 Name Address

Financial Information

Are you currently receiving other scholarship aid? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, please describe nature and amount of scholarship aid: _____

Is there a particular financial hardship you have? (i.e., multiple family members in college, etc.) Please describe briefly: _____

Name/Address of accredited school/college/university: _____

Major: _____ Length of program enrolled in: _____

Full year tuition cost (including room, board, tuition): _____
COPSA member name and affiliated Police Department name: _____

State name of employee affiliated with COPSA member Police Department, his/her position at the Department and your relationship to said employee. _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Employee Signature: _____