## 2024 ROBERT SHELTON & HARSH MODI UNLIMITED FAA WRITTEN-TEST SCHOLARSHIP

## Florida Goldcoast Chapter of the Ninety-Nines, Inc.

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## THREE ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED:

One for a current member of the Ninety-Nines One for a friend of the Ninety-Nines, male or female One for a Veteran of the Military, male or female

## The winners are entitled to a GIFT CERTIFICATE for unlimited FAA Knowledge Tests taken at <u>PILOT TRAINING CENTER HOMESTEAD (X51)</u>, Gift Certificate valid for a period of one year.

If you are not a member of the 99s, join now and apply! Valued at \$175 per test. Example: winner could get \$1050 for 6 knowledge tests Private/Instrument/Commercial/CFI/CFII/ATP About Robert Shelton & Harsh Modi

Our member Yogini Modi and her husband Bryan Shelton are the donors of the Scholarship. Robert Shelton (Bryan's father) was an FAA Inspector and Harsh Modi (Yogini's nephew) was a commercial pilot; both were pilots in Bryan and Yogi's family. Yogi and Bryan own both Homestead Executive Jet Center FBO and PTCH flight school in X51. Successful pilot and entrepreneur Bryan and Yogini want to contribute to lift a fellow pilot.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Applicants must hold a student pilot certificate (temporary certificate will be acceptable) Medical current. Open to all nationalities. You must be a current member of the Ninety-Nines, or a member of the Friend of the Ninety-Nines, male or female, or a Veteran of the Military, male or female.

**SELECTION CRITERIA:** The recipient of the Robert Shelton & Harsh Modi Scholarship will be selected by a committee consisting of judges active in aviation. The decision of the Scholarship Committee is final. If no qualified applicant applies, the Scholarship Committee reserves the right to withhold the Scholarship.

Applications are judged with priority given in no particular order: Ability to be an ambassador representing women in aviation. Participation in, and promoting or the 99s or aviation events, or aviation activities, after achieving their aviation goals. Demonstration of financial need. Pursuing multiple ratings with a desire to obtain a career in aviation, likelihood of success at reaching stated goals. Neatness. Attention to detail, and completeness of the application package.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:** Your 100-word letter should include all of the following: Describe how you intend to contribute to promote aviation after achieving your stated aviation goals. Include a statement of your aviation goals. Tell us about yourself, including special qualifications you may have, aviation or other, and how they will benefit you in your career, and goals. Describe in detail how you are self-paying or loan borrowing for flight training, and if you are returning to aviation as a career change or building a career in aviation. Include your amount of income earned this year and any other scholarships or grants earned over the past 24 months.

Provide two current letters of reference/recommendation— at least one from an employer, instructor or other appropriate person who knows you. Include copies of your FAA certificates, ratings, copies of the last two pages of your logbook, written exam results and other pertinent documents. **Complete the application form.** 

**DISBURSEMENTS:** Attainment of your stated goal must be completed by December 1st, of the following year. The Pilot Training Center Homestead wants to help you earn your flight certificates as quickly and economically as possible. If you win this Scholarship, you can take the written tests at no charge at Pilot Training Center Homestead. You can turn the Ground Instructor test results into certificates immediately, and the result of the other tests will be valid for two years. Recipient is responsible for own study and must bring all required documents for the test, including Instructor Endorsement, etc. To schedule a written test call 786-309-2FLY (2359). If you are more than 20 miles from X51, you may be eligible to take a test at a convenient location and email your results to yogini@flyptch.com for reimbursement. Your reimbursement will be processed in 3 business days. This Scholarship does not cover a re-test for the same rating, and three test failures will disqualify you from further testing at no charge. Email updates to the Scholarship Committee on your training progress are required during the year.

To apply, please complete the google application by October 15th 2024 2359 hrs. For assistance or more information contact: Kimberley Lowe at flynlowe@me.com.

To receive your Scholarship, you will be required to attend the FL Goldcoast Chapter of the Ninety-Nines Scholarship Award and Holiday Luncheon in December. Details for the luncheon will be posted on the website, <u>www.flgoldcoast99s.org</u>. Recipients must send a high-resolution photograph of yourself with your current airplane for publication on the Florida Gold Coast Chapter Website and in the 99s News Magazine.

Application Link https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScgR0iPS7YtGzWbtLyhcRE1whQLbz1IA-6q ucz87wtEH2wWWw/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&fir=0&usp=mail\_form\_link