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**YEAR 10
BROWN SISTERS'
MEMORIAL ENTRANCE
SCHOLARSHIP**



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IMPORTANT DATES

Applications Open

Wednesday 1 September, 2021

Applications Close

Friday 28 January, 2022

Offers

will be made to successful candidates by early December, 2021

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Please forward your application to:

The Academic Registrar
Wilderness School
PO Box 93
Walkerville, SA 5081

For further information please contact:

Mrs Natalie Klein
Academic Registrar
Phone + 61 8 8344 6688
registrar@wilderness.com.au

The Brown Sisters' Memorial Scholarship is offered to a new student applying to Wilderness for Year 10 in 2023.

Excellence in academics, sport and the Arts are recognised and celebrated at Wilderness School. The Brown Sisters' Memorial Entrance Scholarship has been established in honour of their belief in the value of education for girls.

For these reasons, the Brown Sisters' Memorial Entrance Scholarship was established in 2013. The perpetually endowed fund will give an accomplished and high achieving girl who, owing to financial circumstances, would otherwise not have the opportunity to attend Wilderness School. Through this scholarship financial assistance is provided for three years inclusive of Year 10 to 12.

The Brown Sisters' Memorial Entrance Scholarship is made possible through the generosity and philanthropic contributions of our donors.

PURPOSE

The Wilderness School Foundation Scholarship Fund is a 3 year scholarship offered every 3 years to a girl entering Year 10. This scholarship will be offered to a girl with an outstanding academic record and potential talents to be developed in sport and/or the Arts.

The purpose of the Wilderness School Foundation Scholarship Fund is to nurture and extend the recipient with an exceptional education which will set her on an amazing path for life.

PREREQUISITES

- The applicant must not be a current student of Wilderness School.
- The applicant's caregivers will be required to demonstrate evidence of their financial position, which would otherwise inhibit them from applying to Wilderness School.
- The applicant will complete the Application Form in full with the required attached documentation.

If awarded the scholarship, the recipient will acknowledge the generosity of the Wilderness School Foundation Scholarship Fund in writing.



APPLICATION PROCESS

Selection Criteria

- Applications will be open and publicly advertised every 3 years.
- Potential candidates will be selected on the basis of their written application, interview process, academic testing and financial considerations.
- After consideration of applications, short-listed candidates will be interviewed by the Head of Boarding and the Academic Registrar. Academic testing will be part of this process.

Selection considerations will include:

- which candidate is most likely to benefit from this Foundation Scholarship; and
- which candidate would be otherwise precluded for financial reasons.
- The Brown Sisters' Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to the candidate who is considered the most deserving and who would receive the greatest benefit.
- The successful applicant will be advised in writing during Term 1 of the year preceding the commencement of the scholarship and will receive the required documentation from our Academic Registrar.

Scholarship Entitlements

The Brown Sisters' Memorial Scholarship provides 100% tuition fees and the consolidated fixed charge for three years inclusive of Years 10-12. It also includes the Enrolment fee of \$1000.

The scholarship does not cover:

- Travel to and from Wilderness School
- Discretionary activities like, but not limited to, individual music tuition and overseas trips
- Books and stationery
- Uniform, shoes, school bag.

Please note: The Wilderness School Foundation is not required to award the Scholarship if it is deemed that no applicants meet the criteria.

The Wilderness School Principal is authorised to rescind the Scholarship if achievements or behaviour are deemed inappropriate or poor. Failure to meet payment within payment terms of the excluded items above will result in a review of the scholarship offering. The terms and conditions of enrolment for the School will apply to the scholarship.

Checklist

Please ensure the following documents are supplied for the student to be considered for a scholarship. NB: The application should be submitted in an A4 display folder containing no more than 10 plastic sleeves.

- Scholarship Application Form
- Copies of the two most recent school reports
- Most recent NAPLAN results
- Please include answers to the questions listed on the last page
- Any other relevant academic, sporting, music, artistic, community awards and/or results
- Financial details plus Income Tax Returns
- Two written character references, one from your current Principal and a teacher
- A 10cm x 15cm photo of the student

Please note that for candidates to be considered for a Scholarship, an Application of Enrolment Form needs to be submitted, or have previously been submitted, on their behalf. The application deposit fee of \$100 is only payable if your scholarship application is successful.

Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

To determine financial need, detailed statements of financial assets & liabilities plus income & expenditure are required, statement of personal contribution, along with;

- A copy of the most recent tax assessment notice for each parent/guardian in the household.
- All information will be treated as confidential

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APPLICATION FORM

CANDIDATE'S DETAILS

Family Name	Given Names
Date of birth	Year level in 2023
Present School	
Home Address	
Postal Address	
Are there any particular circumstances/special needs (including medical) which may affect your daughter during the interview?	

PARENT/GUARDIAN DETAILS

PARENT/GUARDIAN A	PARENT/GUARDIAN B
Family Name	Family Name
Given Name	Given Name
Home Address	Home Address
Postcode	Postcode
Postal Address	Postal Address
Postcode	Postcode
Phone (Home)	Phone (Home)
(Mobile)	(Mobile)

FURTHER CANDIDATE INFORMATION

FAMILY LINK - Please indicate any close relatives that have attended Wilderness

Name	Maiden Name (if applicable)	
Relationship	Year of completion	House
Sister/s Link at Wilderness School		
Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Current Student at Wilderness	<input type="checkbox"/> Prospective Student
Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Current Student at Wilderness	<input type="checkbox"/> Prospective Student

CANDIDATE BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Please outline your interests and hobbies including sporting interests and achievements, musical instruments played and level of achievement, membership to youth groups and clubs.

REFEREE INFORMATION - Please list the contact details of two people who can attest to your intellectual ability and character

REFEREE 1	REFEREE 2
Name	Name
Relationship to Candidate	Relationship to Candidate
Home Number	Home Number
Mobile Phone	Mobile Phone:

We have read the criteria relating to the scholarship and have noted the requirements of this scholarship:

Signature of Parent/ Guardian A	Signature of Parent/ Guardian B
Date	Date

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FINANCIAL SUMMARY

The Brown Sisters' Memorial Scholarship Fund is for high achieving students who are considered to experience educational disadvantage from financial circumstances that would preclude them from attending Wilderness School. Please provide most recent ATO (Income Tax) assessment notices of Care Givers.

FAMILY INCOME

Net monthly earnings (less tax) of Parent A	\$
Net monthly earnings (less tax) of Parent B	\$
Monthly Invoice - other sources	\$
Total Monthly Family Income	\$
NET TOTAL MONTHLY AMOUNT	\$

FAMILY EXPENDITURE

Monthly payments on housing mortgage	\$
Monthly rent paid	\$
Other mortgages (ie investment property)	\$
Other expenses (ie car, personal loans, credit cards)	\$
Total Monthly Family Expenditure	\$

FINANCIAL DETAILS OF ASSETS & LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Home	\$
Other Real Estate	\$
Bank Account Balance	\$
Motor Vehicle Insured Value	\$
Insured value of other assets (list) (ie boats, caravan, furniture, personal effects, jewellery)	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
Value of Shares	\$
Total Assets (A)	\$
NET ASSETS (A) - (B)	\$

LIABILITIES

Home mortgage	\$
Other mortgages	\$
Overdraft	\$
Personal Loans	\$
Other liabilities (list)	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
Credit cards (total limit)	\$
Store accounts/ other liabilities	\$
Total Liabilities (B)	\$

DECLARATION

We declare that the information in this document is true and correct in every respect.

Signature of Parent/ Guardian A

Signature of Parent/ Guardian B

Date

Date

DECLARATION

- I declare that the information supplied on this form is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If any information provided is found to be false or misleading, I accept that the Brown Sisters' Memorial Scholarship may be cancelled or withdrawn and any scholarship awarded to me on the basis of this application requires me to repay any scholarship funds received.
- I understand that the scholarship selection process is competitive and not all applicants who meet the eligibility criteria will be awarded a scholarship, and the decision of the selection panel is final.
- I have read and understood the Brown Sisters' Memorial Scholarship Overview and Application Process.
- If awarded the Wilderness School Foundation Scholarship Fund, I give permission for my name, contact and scholarship details to be released to the School administration.
- I have read and accepted this declaration. YES NO DATE _____

Name (Applicant)

Signature

Name (Parent A)

Signature

Name (Parent B)

Signature

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Please address the following questions and include with your application.

EXCEPTIONAL ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

During your education, have you been a medalist, state or national finalist or received a high distinction in any academic, Performing Arts or sporting areas? Please list and you will be required to provide evidence. Please also attach your most recent School Report in its entirety.

LEADERSHIP

During your education, have you held any leadership roles within your school community? Please list and you will be required to provide evidence.

EXCEPTIONAL COMMUNITY SERVICE

Please summarise details of exceptional community service activities undertaken. Please list and you will be required to provide evidence.

AWARDS RECEIVED

Have you received any awards within your school community or within your local community? Please list and you will be required to provide evidence.

BELIEF AND OPPORTUNITY

In 300 words (approximately):

- Explain how you have already utilised the Wilderness School Values in your life and how this made you feel.

In 300 words (approximately):

- Tell us a little more about you, your interests, your goals, what you are proud of and any other information that you feel is relevant to your application.



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