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**Attached are the necessary forms for the scholarships listed below.
Please inform qualifying students of their availability.
Questions can be addressed to
Jewelann Stefanar at jewelann1@roadrunner.com**

The Western Reserve Herb Society

The Western Reserve Herb Society will award two (2) undergraduate scholarships for the year 2010-2011.

Francis Sylvia Zverina Scholarship

One scholarship of \$4250 will be awarded to a student with a good scholastic standing who is an American citizen in need of financial assistance, who is studying horticulture or related fields such as landscape architecture and horticultural therapy, and whose horticultural career goals involve teaching/research or work in the public sector. Applicants must have completed their 2nd/Sophomore or 3rd/Junior year of an undergraduate school by August 2010 or 4th/Senior year in a 5-year undergraduate program and may be residents of any state who are attending an accredited college or university anywhere in the United States.

Western Reserve Herb Society Scholarship

One scholarship of \$2000 will be awarded to a deserving undergraduate student who is an Ohio resident studying horticulture or a related field such as landscape architecture and horticultural therapy and whose horticulture career goals involve teaching/research or work in the public sector. Applicants must have completed one full year of college. Students entering their 2nd/Sophomore, 3rd/Junior, 4th/Senior, or 5th year in a 5-year undergraduate program are also eligible. Student applicants may be attending an accredited college or university anywhere in the United States. Ohio residents completing 2nd/Sophomore, 3rd/Junior, or 4th/Senior year in a five-year undergraduate program by August 2010 may apply for both the Frances Sylvia Zverina and the Western Reserve Herb Society Scholarships. An Ohio resident need only write one application as long as it is clear that the student is applying for both. An award winner may only be the recipient of one scholarship, however.



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WESTERN RESERVE HERB SOCIETY
A Unit of the Herb Society of America

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (2010-2011)
Frances Sylvia Zverina Scholarship \$4250

You must be a United States citizen having completed your 2nd/SOPHOMORE OR 3rd/JUNIOR year of UNDERGRADUATE school by August 2010 or 4th/SENIOR year if you are in a 5-year undergraduate program. You can be a resident of any state attending an accredited college or university anywhere in the United States. We are interested in awarding scholarships to students who demonstrate financial need and plan a career in HORTICULTURE OR RELATED FIELDS such as horticultural therapy. Preference will be given to applicants whose HORTICULTURAL CAREER GOALS involve TEACHING/RESEARCH or WORK IN THE PUBLIC OR NONPROFIT SECTOR such as public gardens, botanical gardens, parks, arboreta, city planning, public education and awareness. Questions: Contact Jewelann Stefanar. SEE BELOW.

 Check if you are a U.S. Citizen/Ohio resident applying for both scholarships. DO NOT WRITE TWO APPLICATIONS.

Name _____ Date _____

Home Address _____

Home Phone Number _____ Date of Birth _____ Ohio Resident? (Y/N) _____

Name of College _____

Personal College Address _____

Personal College Phone Number _____ E-mail Address _____

College level completed by August 2010 (1/Freshman; 2/Sophomore; 3/Junior; 4/Senior) _____

Projected date of graduation (month and year) _____

Major and minor fields of study _____

List scholarships you have received and dollar amount of each scholarship _____

Organizations and Societies to which you have belonged and offices held _____

List Honors you have received _____

APPLICATION CONTINUES ON THE OTHER SIDE

PLEASE SEND:

1. **OFFICIAL COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS FOR ALL SCHOOLS ATTENDED**
2. **THREE (3) RECOMMENDATIONS:** Two (2) from teachers, preferably recent, and one (1) from an employer.
Enclosed are reference forms to give to your teachers and employer. **COPY MORE AS NEEDED.**

IN THE SPACES BELOW, PLEASE LIST THE NAMES AND CONTACT INFORMATION (PHONE NUMBERS AND/OR E-MAIL ADDRESSES) OF YOUR THREE (3) REFERENCES.

NAME	CONTACT
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**WRITE AN ESSAY OF ONE OR TWO PAGES AND TYPE ON A SEPARATE SHEET(S) OF PAPER.
INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:**

1. A description of your interests, activities, and achievements not included above.
2. An account to date of your employment record on or off campus.
3. A description of your career goals.
4. A discussion of your need for financial aid
5. Anything else you consider pertinent to this application

**THIS APPLICATION,
YOUR ESSAY,
ALL TRANSCRIPTS,
ALL REFERENCES**

MUST BE POST MARKED BY April 1, 2010.

Send them to:

**Jewelann Stefanar, Committee Chair
4706 Bentwood Drive
Brooklyn, OH 44144**

PLEASE DIRECT ALL INQUIRIES TO:

**Jewelann Stefanar
216.741.0985
jewelann1@roadrunner.com**

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TEACHER/EMPLOYER SCHOLARSHIP EVALUTION FORM

STUDENT: Fill in the information below and give this form to your teacher/employer along with a **STAMPED ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO**

**Jewelann Stefanar, Chair
4706 Bentwood Drive
Brooklyn, OH 44144**

Student name _____

College _____

TEACHER/EMPLOYER: Please return your evaluation (original or photocopy) in the envelope provided you by this student, POSTMARKED BY April 1, 2010 (Please print or type.)

Teacher/Employer name: _____

Position: _____

College/Business address: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

How long have you known this student and in what context? _____

What are the first words that come to your mind to describe this student? _____

List the courses you have taught this student or the jobs this student performed while employed by you. _____

EVALUATION CONTINUES ON THE OTHER SIDE

EVALUATION: The following questions are intended merely as guides. We are more interested in a complete report of whatever you think is important.

1. In your opinion, in terms of the following characteristics, how well does the applicant qualify for success in his/her chosen field?

CHARACTERISTICS	RATINGS			
	Fair (1)	Good (3)	Excellent (5)	One of the best I have encountered in my career
Seriousness of purpose				
Industry/Motivation				
Concern for others				
Independence/Initiative				
Potential for growth				
Intellectual Curiosity				
Leadership				

2. In the space below please tell us in narrative form why the applicant received the above ratings. Reference to specific events or unusual circumstances may provide us with added insight into the strength or weakness of the applicant. We welcome information that will help us differentiate this student from others. (Please print or type.)