

Georgia District Civitan Foundation, Inc
Kenny Martin, Scholarship Chair
2063 Julianne Road
Rentz, Georgia 31075-3354
(For Civitan Year October 1, 2011 to September 30, 2012)

December 1, 2011

Dear School Guidance Department:

The Georgia District Civitan Foundation invites your Seniors to apply for the following scholarships:

- 2011-2012 Alice Dodd Scholarship for Outstanding Community Service
- 2011-2012 Bobby Dodd Scholarship for Outstanding Community Service (Awarded to a physically challenged student.)

The first place recipient for each scholarship receives a \$1,200 award. In addition, a second place award of \$800 will be presented for each scholarship. Although academics and financial need are important and will be reviewed, the overriding criteria will be the applicant's community service involvement. Junior Civitan Club members are encouraged to make application.

The applications for this year's scholarships are enclosed. All criteria and general information about the scholarships are listed for you on page three of the applications. Any application that does not meet the listed requirements will not be considered.

Please feel free to make as many copies of the applications as needed. Remember, all applications must be postmarked by January 31, 2012.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 478-984-1514 (Home) or 478-275-0506 (Work).

Sincerely,

Kenny Martin

Kenny Martin, Chair
Scholarship Committee

Enclosures

2012

**ALICE DODD
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**FOR OUTSTANDING
COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Awarded by the Georgia District Civitan Foundation, Inc

GEORGIA DISTRICT CIVITAN FOUNDATION. INC

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Civitans sponsor many local community service projects and other programs to assist the mentally challenged. We hold several fund-raisers which benefit various projects such as Camp Big Heart and scholarships for high school seniors in the Georgia District.

ALICE DODD SCHOLARSHIP FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Georgia District Civitan Foundation created the Alice Dodd Scholarship for Outstanding Community Service to honor the late Alice Dodd. Ms. Dodd was the wife of the late Bobby Dodd, the famous head football coach at Georgia Tech. This scholarship commemorates her many years of dedication to community service and her genuine love and concern for other people.

THE CIVITAN CREED

I AM CIVITAN -- As old as life, as young as the rainbow, as endless as time.

MY HANDS do the work of the world and reach out in service to others.

MY EARS hear the cry of children and the call throughout the world for peace, guidance, progress and unity.

MY EYES search for others to join in the fellowship and service of Civitan.

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MY MOTTO: Builders of good citizenship.

MY BELIEF: Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

MY PLEDGE: To practice the Golden Rule and to build upon it a better and nobler citizenship.

2012 ALICE DODD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE

Criteria and General Information

The purpose of this scholarship is to assist a Georgia high school senior who has an outstanding record of community service in pursuing his/her education objectives. Academics and financial need are important and will be reviewed, but the overriding criteria will be the applicant's community service involvement.

- The first place scholarship award for 2012 is \$1,200. The first runner-up will be awarded \$800.
- Students who plan to attend an accredited college or university are eligible for this scholarship.
- Junior Civitan Club members are encouraged to make application.
- The scholarship will be awarded without regard to creed, race, sex or national origin.
- The scholarship will be paid directly to the student upon verification of acceptance and enrollment from the college or university.
- Applications must be postmarked on or before January 31, 2012.
- Recipients will be notified by March 30, 2012.

- Application requirements:
 1. Cover sheet- Please complete the following page and submit it with the required documents.
 2. An essay of 500 words maximum must accompany this application. The essay must be typed and double-spaced. Applicant's essay must reflect his/her community activities and tell how he/she feels these experiences have prepared him/her for life. It should also reflect why community service is important.
 3. Detailed list of community service activities occurring within the last two years.
 4. Three letters of recommendation; one from a school official and two from other sources.
 5. Copy of applicant's transcripts including a statement of explanation. Providing this information will assist us in interpreting your transcripts.
 6. Statement of financial need – Financial need will be reviewed, but the overriding criteria will be community service involvement. Circle one number that best describes your financial need with 1 being the lowest need and 10 being the highest need.

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2012 ALICE DODD SCHOLARSHIP FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE

Applicant's Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

High School: _____

High School Address: _____

High School Phone Number: _____

Guidance Counselor: _____

Guidance Counselor's Email Address: _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- _____ Cover Sheet
- _____ 500 Word Essay
- _____ List of Community Service Activities
- _____ 3 Letters of Recommendation
- _____ Transcript
- _____ Statement of Financial Need

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Guidance Counselor

Date

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**BOBBY DODD
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**FOR OUTSTANDING
COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**TO RECOGNIZE A PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED
STUDENT**

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BOBBY DODD SCHOLARSHIP FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Georgia District Civitan Foundation created the Bobby Dodd Scholarship to be awarded to a physically challenged individual for outstanding community service. This scholarship honors the late Bobby Dodd, famous head football coach at Georgia Tech. This scholarship commemorates his many years of dedication to community service and his genuine love and concern for other people.

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2012 BOBBY DODD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE

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The purpose of this scholarship is to assist a physically challenged Georgia high school senior who has an outstanding record of community service in pursuing his/her education objectives. Academics and financial need are important and will be reviewed, but the overriding criteria will be the applicant's community service involvement and ability to overcome adversity.

- The first place scholarship award for 2012 is \$1,200. The first runner-up will be awarded \$800.
- Students who plan to attend an accredited college or university are eligible for this scholarship.
- Junior Civitan Club members are encouraged to make application.
- The scholarship will be awarded without regard to creed, race, sex or national origin.
- The scholarship will be paid directly to the student before the Fall Quarter/Semester begins and upon verification of acceptance and enrollment from the college or university.
- Applications must be postmarked on or before January 31, 2012.
- Recipients will be notified by March 30, 2012.
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 3. Detailed list of community service activities occurring within the last two years.
 4. Three letters of recommendation; one from a school official and two from other sources.
 5. Copy of applicant's transcripts including a statement of explanation. Providing this information will assist us in interpreting your transcripts.
 6. Brief description of disability and the challenges it has presented.
 7. Statement of financial need – Financial need will be reviewed, but the overriding criteria will be community service involvement. Circle one number that best describes your financial need with 1 being the lowest need and 10 being the most need.

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Home Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

High School: _____

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High School Phone Number: _____

Guidance Counselor: _____

Guidance Counselor's Email Address: _____

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Signature of Applicant

Date

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