IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA SPORTSMAN'S CHAPTER JAMES A. THOMAS CONSERVATION SCHOLARSHIP

Please print the requested information below

1.	Name:
	First - Middle Initial - Last
2.	Address:
	City, State, Zip Code:
3.	Telephone Number:
	High School or College presently attending:
5.	College you will attend:
	ollege Mailing Address:
	ote College/University students need to provide the mailing address for the financial aid or admissions ice. The information provided will not be shared with any third party.
6.	Major planning to pursue:
7.	List school activities/subjects (conservation/environmental related):
8.	List non-school volunteer, community activities (conservation/environmental related):
Yo	our Signature:
	ate:

In an essay (500-800 words): Please describe your outdoor experiences and the importance of conservation efforts to you, your family, and our community as a whole.

Your Scholarship Essay will be graded as follows:

- 1. Knowledge & experiences 45%
- 2. Depth of content and understanding of conservation principles 45%
- 3. Grammar, punctuation, and spelling 10%

Please write your essay using Microsoft Word. The recommended type font is Times New Roman 12 – point size. It may be acceptable to use other typefaces, such as Calibri 11, as long as your essay is easy to read and professional in appearance.

References: Enclose a letter of reference from a teacher/counselor or conservationist with whom you have worked. Please return the completed application, essay and a letter of reference postmarked no later than April 1, 2020: Mail to:

SPORTSMAN'S CHAPTER IWLA % SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE 5018 ONION RD. PYLESVILLE, MD 21132

Amount and Deadline: \$1000 (1 Award) – April 1, 2020

Scholarship Eligibility: To be eligible for the IWLA Sportsman's Chapter conservation scholarship you must be currently in Grade 12 and planning on entering into your first year of college/university in 2020, or be currently in your first or second year of college/university. Applicant must be a Harford County, Maryland resident. An applicant is also eligible if an active member/dependent of an active member of the IWLA Sportsman's Chapter residing outside of Harford County, Maryland. Application materials must be submitted by the April 1, 2020 deadline.

Scholarship Award Selection: The winner will be selected and notified on or before May 1, 2020. The award will be presented at our May 6, 2020 meeting.

Sportsman's Chapter Izaak Walton League of America

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