

James Reed Scholarship Application

James Clyde Reed was an honorary member of CKI since his introduction into our community in 1983. He was known for his extreme kindness and generosity, and he always made a point to learn all the names of CKI members. James was also an avid photographer, who took pictures of Circle K events and volunteers, framing them on his wall to better remember their service and passion for helping others.

Sadly, James lived with the degenerative and ultimately fatal disease, muscular dystrophy, for most of his life. Muscular dystrophy caused James' muscle tissue to weaken, but CKI was always there for him by assisting him and his family weekly with daily tasks around his house. Since his passing in the spring of 1999, Virginia Tech Circle K has established a *\$1,000 scholarship* in his name to honor him and what he meant to our organization. *This scholarship is for new members to VTCKI who have been inducted in Fall 2019 and on, or will be inducted by Spring 2021. The awardee must be returning as a student in Fall 2021.* The awardee will embody the principles of Kiwanis International, the dedication that James had to our club, and the spirit of service he inspired in us all.

THE ENTIRE APPLICATION MUST BE **RECEIVED** BY MIDNIGHT ON APRIL 21st, 2021

Please contact VTCKI's K-Family Vice President at <u>kfamilyvp.vtcki@gmail.com</u> if you have any questions! **To turn in the application, please** <u>email</u> to the Vice President.

Name:	
Local Address:	
Cell Phone #:	Email Address:
Major:	Year:

Recommendation:

Please include a recommendation from one inducted and currently active member of the club with your completed application.

By signing my name here, I confirm that all information provided is truthful and accurate.

Short Essays: (Please type or handwrite answers)

 ★ Do you have any previous experience with the Kiwanis Family? If so, please describe. This can include time in Key Club, K-Kids, etc. and/or if you have any relatives or know any individuals who are Kiwanis Club members. (About 1-2 paragraphs)

Short Essays (continued):

★ Please list some of the projects that you have worked on with Circle K this year.
Describe specific projects as necessary and what you enjoyed about some of your favorites. (About 1-3 paragraphs)

Short Essays (continued):

★ Discuss some of the leadership that you have shown in the club thus far. This includes any project chairing, committee chairing or participation, pulling in more new members, etc. Also talk about any future leadership opportunities you may be interested in within the club, if applicable. (About 1-3 paragraphs)

Short Essays (continued):

★ What skills do you believe that Circle K at Virginia Tech has helped you develop or cultivate in your time with the club thus far? Also discusses what you can offer to the club and to the community at large with the skills that you have. (About 1-3 paragraphs)