



Sharon Melton Myers Memorial Scholarship

Through a donation from the Sharon Melton Myers Memorial Fund, SkillsUSA and the McMinn County Vocational Center SkillsUSA Alumni Association are offering a \$500 scholarship to a SkillsUSA student in memory of Sharon Melton Myers. The Sharon Melton Myers Memorial SkillsUSA Scholarship fund will provide graduating SkillsUSA members the opportunity to continue their education in college or technical school.

Sharon Ruth Melton Myers was an active member of the McMinn County Vocational Center SkillsUSA Chapter from 1985 through 1988. During this time, Sharon participated in local, state and national SkillsUSA activities. She served as a local officer in 1986 and 1987, Tennessee State Secretary in 1986-87 and National President in 1987-88. Sharon also participated in the Chapter's Opening and Closing Team in 1986, 87 and 88. Following graduation from McMinn High in 1988, Sharon continued as an active supporter of SkillsUSA, serving as a National Officer Trainer for several years. Sharon was active in establishing a Tennessee SkillsUSA Alumni Charter and Constitution while attending David Lipscomb College in Nashville. Sharon was totally committed and dedicated to the ideals of SkillsUSA and actively worked for the advancement of this Youth Leadership Organization.

A Judging Committee comprised of Catherine Melton and National SkillsUSA staff will review the nominations and select the national winner.

Candidates can nominate themselves. All nominations must include two letters of recommendation from any of the following individuals: a) instructors; b) SkillsUSA advisors; c) State Association Director; d) Community leader. A nomination form can be downloaded from SkillsUSA's web site at www.skillsusa.org. Nominations must be postmarked by **April 30**.

If you have questions, please contact Chris Powell (703) 737-0621, cpowell@skillsusa.org.



Sharon Melton Myers Memorial Scholarship Application

Applicant's Name _____
Last First MI

Home Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Telephone Number () _____ Work Telephone Number () _____

Applicant's E-mail Address _____

Name of Applicant's Current School _____

Applicant's Occupational Training Program _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Advisor's Name _____

Advisor's Telephone Number () _____ Advisor's E-mail Address _____

To the SkillsUSA student applicant:

Please read carefully and attach to this completed form as separate sheets your typed or word-processed answer to each of the following questions. Answer each question separately. Have your SkillsUSA advisor/instructor sign and date the bottom of each sheet.

1. What SkillsUSA activities, local, state and national, are you participating?
2. What are your academic achievements?
3. What are your non-SkillsUSA leadership achievements?
4. What are your community service achievements?
5. What are your educational goals and objectives?

I hereby attest that all the information contained in this application form and its attachments is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Please return this completed form and attachments by **April 30** to: Chris Powell, SkillsUSA, 14001 SkillsUSA Way, Leesburg, VA 20176-5494