

**CLAN KEITH SOCIETY USA, INC.**  
**Announces the 2009**  
**Academic Scholarship Award**  
**The Memorial Award**

This memorial award is given in memory of our many cherished clansmen and women whom we have lost - "The Floo'ers o' the Forest are a' wede away".

The Clan Keith Society USA, Inc. Academic Award is given in recognition of academic achievement and interest in Scottish heritage. It seeks to promote academic excellence and pride in our Scottish heritage among the children and grandchildren of current Clan Keith Society USA members. The Academic Scholarship Award is a \$350.00 unrestricted cash award. Any child or grandchild, of a current society member between the ages of 15 - 25 is encouraged to apply.

A three member team will select a winner from all applicants based on the current academic records and upon their interest and knowledge of their Scottish Heritage as demonstrated by a brief (1 - 2 typed pages) written essay. The essay may address any aspect of personal family, Clan Keith or Sept history as it relates to Scotland, past or present. The Clan Keith Society USA, Inc. will have the right to use all submitted essays for non-commercial purposes. The data included in the application (page 2 of this announcement) will complete the evaluation criteria. It is given in recognition of your current accomplishments and interests.

To be considered in the competition, completed applications along with one letter of recommendation from your school must be mailed to the address below by Friday, October 30, 2009. Winners will be notified as soon as possible after the judging is completed. Academic records and other personal data will be kept in confidence by the judges. Completed applications should be mailed to:

James C. Keith, Director  
2601 Guenevere Ave.  
Huntsville, AL 35803-1935

E-mail: <jkeith417@aol.com >

Announcements and applications may be obtained at most "Clan Keith Society Games tents", [www.clankeithusa.org](http://www.clankeithusa.org) or from the above address.

The Clan Keith Society, USA Scholarship Awards are supported by donations from members and friends.

**2009 APPLICATION**  
**THE CLAN KEITH SOCIETY USA, INC.**  
**Academic Scholarship Award**

Last

First

Middle

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: Street (P.O.Box) \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ you must be 15 to 25 years of age. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents (Grandparents) Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Members of Clan Keith Society, USA YES( ) NO( ) Are you a current Member \_\_\_\_\_

Parents address if different from your own \_\_\_\_\_

School of Academic program \_\_\_\_\_

Address of School \_\_\_\_\_

Your grade or level \_\_\_\_\_

Area of academic interest \_\_\_\_\_

Your class standing (Top 10%, Top 20%, Top 50%) \_\_\_\_\_

Your Grade Point Average at end of last term \_\_\_\_\_ 4 point scale ( ) 5 point scale ( ).

ACT or other relevant proficiency exam scores (Exam) \_\_\_\_\_ (Score) \_\_\_\_\_

Academic honor societies of clubs of which you are a member \_\_\_\_\_

Other school activities: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic (professional) goals: \_\_\_\_\_

Any other supportive information: \_\_\_\_\_

Include: your written essay following the directions on page 1 of application; One letter of recommendation by a school official familiar with your academic standing.

*Completed application must be postmarked by Friday, October 30, 2009.*

The decision of the Selection Team is final. Only active society members, their children or grandchildren are eligible. One person can not receive award in two consecutive years.