

## 2019 Scholarship Application

Submittal deadline: March 15, 2019

The philosophy of the Buffalo Soldiers Motorcycle Club - Sacramento Chapter are:

- \* To promote the history of African American Veterans.
- \* To be a positive role model for youth in our Community.
- \* To support our veterans by visiting local Veterans, their families and supporting our fallen heroes.
- \* To support Charitable Organizations in our Community.
- \* To uphold the traditions and standards of the National Association of Buffalo Soldiers and Troopers Motorcycle Club.
- \* To promote Motorcycle Safety in our Community.

The National Association of Buffalo Soldiers and Troopers Motorcycle Club (NABSTMC) is broken up into five (5) Frontiers representing different sections of the country. The Buffalo Soldiers Motorcycle Club - Sacramento Chapter (BSMC - Sac) is a participant of the NABSTMC in the Western Frontier. Donated funds are set aside for use in the awarding scholarships to qualified graduating high school seniors and/or current college applicants/enrollees.

Each scholarship will be paid by the BSMC - Sac to the students or schools upon verification that he or she has been accepted and enrolled at a college of higher learning. Graduating high school seniors or current college enrollees with a GPA of 2.0 (4.0 scale) or better, who have applied or been accepted to college will be eligible to apply. The scholarships will be awarded based on the verifiable merits in this application.

ONLY high school graduates may be selected and submitted for Western Frontier and/or National Scholarships.

#### Candidtate's Instructions, Requirements and Supporting Documentation

Complete all forms in their entirety. Attach requested documentation and additional pages, as needed.

- 1. ACT/SAT Scores.
- 2. Official High School (or equivalent if home schooled) or college Transcripts.
- 3. Prepare your Letter of Introduction. (See Page 7).
- 4. Provide at least one professional Letter of Recommendation prepared on official letterhead from a teacher, guidance counselor, school administrator, and/or community service organization.
- 5. Proof of college enrollment and/or Letter of Acceptance to an institution of higher learning.
- 6. Provide Student's name, the complete name and address of the school you will be attending and student ID number. Frontier/NABSTMC funds will be mailed to the school via the student's account.
- 7. Write an essay (typewritten in your own words See Page 6) on one of the following topics. Write about the historical Buffalo Soldiers formed in 1866, not about any Buffalo Soldiers Motorcycle Club.
  - A) In what ways does the Buffalo Soldier's legacy inspire you and why is it necessary to pass the legacy on to future generations?
  - B) Buffalo Soldiers exemplify many positive character traits. Please provide examples of at least two traits and briefly describe how they can help mold or shape your life in the future.
  - C) The Congressional Medal of Honor is presented to the recipient by the President of the United States in the name of Congress. This is the highest award for valor presented to military embers for exemplifying the highest degrees of bravery and self-sacrifice on the battlefield. Please provide a brief narrative regarding a Buffalo Soldier that received this honor and what can be learned from his life, efforts, and commitment to duty.
  - D) What are your career aspirations upon graduation from college?
- 8. Submit a completed application and essays by the March 15, 2019 deadline via mail or email (See Page 8).



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#### Name of Local Buffalo Soldier or Trooper Chapter

BSMC - Sacramento, CA

The Buffalo Soldiers Motorcycle Club - Sacramento Chapter was established to foster unity in the Northern California area for motorcycling related activities such as club rallies, mini excursions and other forms of motorcycling fellowship. We are men and women dedicated to the sport of motorcycling and educating people on the historical significance of the United States Army units designated as the Buffalo Soldiers by the American Indians. As our origin implies, we of the Sacramento Chapter must reflect the same discipline, determination and leadership of the Buffalo Soldiers.

We are more than motorcycle riders. We believe that we are role models and share a responsibility and positive value system with our community. Whenever you see us, feel free to come up and speak. Ask us about our motorcycles but more importantly as about the history of the Buffalo Solders and our commitment to further their legacy.

The California Buffalo Soldiers and Troopers Chapters are: East Bay, Fairfield, Modesto, North Bay, Oakland, Oceanside, Sacramento, San Diego, San Jose, and South Bay

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<b>Applicant</b> Information				
First Name		Last Name		
Address				
City			State	Zip Code
Home Phone Number	ome Phone Number Cell Phone Number		В	irthdate (MM/DD/YYYY
Email Address				
Parent/Guardian Inforn	nation			
Parent or Guardian 1 Name				
Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	Email Address		
Parent or Guardian 2 Name				
Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	Email Address		



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Academic Information			
High School Name	GPA	Class Size	Class Rank
City/State		Graduatio	n Date
ACT Composite Score: SAT Critical Reading Score: SAT Math	Score:	SAT Written Sco	ore:
Does your school offer Honors, AP or IB Programs, Dual Enrollment? (Yes/ No)			
Number of Honors classes you have taken:  Number of AP classes	asses you have take	en:	
Number of IB classes you have taken:  Number of Dual	Enrollment classes	you have taken:	
College Information (If you have not finalized your college choice, pr	•	t choice scho	ol.)
College Name	Major		
City/State		Anticipated Gra	duation Date
Institution Type (Certificate/Four-Year/Two-Year/Vocational/Technical)			
Degree Sought (Associates/Bachelors/Certificate)			
Financial Needs			
Use this space to describe your financial situation and why this scholarship is education (add additional pages, as necessary).	s necessary to he	elp fund your c	ollege



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### Applicant Service, Extracurricular Activities and Work Experience

Use this space to provide the applicant's volunteer service, extracurricular activities and work experience during the applicant's academic career. **Do not attach a resume in lieu of completing this form. It will not be reviewed.** 

Company/Organ	ization Name			
Start Date	End Date	Highest Position Held		
Total Hours or Av	rerage Hours per week:		Are you still participating? (Yes/No)	
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# Honors and Awards Use this space to provide the applicant's honors and awards during the applicant's academic career. Do not attach a resume in lieu of completing this form. It will not be reviewed. Description Academic Year Achieved Level (National/State/Regional/Etc.) Description Academic Year Achieved Level (National/State/Regional/Etc.) Description Level (National/State/Regional/Etc.) Academic Year Achieved Description Level (National/State/Regional/Etc.) Academic Year Achieved Description Academic Year Achieved Level (National/State/Regional/Etc.)



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Use this space to write the Buffalo Soldier essay (500 words minimum, see topics on Page 1). The essay should focus on the Historical Buffalo Soldiers founded in 1866 and not on any local chapter or the NABSTMC organization. Attach additional pages, as necessary.

Historical Buffalo Soldier Essay Submission			



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Use this space to prepare a Letter of Introduction (500 words minimum), identifying yourself, your accomplishments, your family background, degree you are seeking and how you plan to use the scholarship funding, if selected. Attach additional pages, as necessary. **Do not attach a resume in lieu of completing this form. It will not be reviewed.** 

Letter of Introduction:				



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Terms and Conditions		
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I understand:		
(1) It is my responsibility to make sure the applicat the application may be disqualified from the scholar award.		•
(2) This application, upon receipt, becomes the pro-	perty of the program spor	nsor
I agree that, if selected as an award winner for the N Motorcycle Club Scholarship Program, the program any other information or materials provided in conn and advertising in all media, including but not limite websites and video media.  To comply with the provisions of the Family Educator school officials to release secondary school reco	a sponsor or its agents may ection with this program ed to print and electronic tional and Privacy Act of ords and other requested in	y use my name and likeness and for purposes of news, publicity media, press releases, internet  1974, I herby grant permission formation, if necessary.
If you are under 18, your parent or guardian must al	so agree to these Terms a	nd Conditions.
Applicant Signature	Guardian Signature	
Date		
Application Submission (choose only one submission	on process) and BSMC C	ontacts
Mail to:	Email to:	
Buffalo Soldier Motorcycle Club Sacramento Chapter Scholarship Program 1420 Tiverton Avenue Sacramento, CA 95822	mzmacc.bsmc@gmail.com  BSMC - Sacramento Chapter Contacts: Lesia Murray (916) 834-1259 Dahlia Macciocchi mzmacc.bsmc.@gmail.com	
	We are <i>READ</i>	Y for your questions.