

Application  
**Brookhaven Village Association**  
**Virginia Brown Scholarship**

As a resident of Brookhaven Hamlet who is graduating from high school in June 2012 and going to college, you are eligible to apply for the Virginia Brown Scholarship.

In support of the young adults in our community, the Brookhaven Village Association (BVA) has been presenting a scholarship to a college-bound, graduating senior for many years. This year the BVA will be awarding two scholarships. One \$1,000 award and one \$500 award will be presented in June 2012

The BVA owns and operates Squassux Landing; aids in the preservation of the natural beauty of the area; encourages improvements pertaining to public welfare;

and guards the interests of the residents of Brookhaven Hamlet.

Virginia Brown, who died in 1992, joined the BVA Board of Management in 1982. She served on the Board for nearly a decade, and was Vice President for several years. While residing in Brookhaven Hamlet, she fought to protect the great resources of this community: our open spaces and waterways.

In addition to her love for the Hamlet, Virginia Brown also loved interacting with people and never tired of learning. Thus, the BVA believes that giving a scholarship in her name to a young Brookhaven resident eager to learn and contribute to society is the most fitting way to perpetuate the memory of Ginger Brown.

**All graduating, college-bound, high school seniors who reside in Brookhaven Hamlet are welcome to apply for the Virginia Brown Scholarship. To do so, please complete both parts of this application, then return it – along with your high school grade transcript – to the BVA, PO Box 167, Brookhaven, NY 11719, postmarked by March 2, 2012.**

**Please mark envelope “Attention VB Scholarship”.**

**Part I. Personal Information** (Please type additional information on a separate sheet, if necessary)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address (if different from mailing address) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Where are you planning to go to college? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your intended major or area of interest? \_\_\_\_\_

What activities have you participated in during your high school years? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you received any awards and/or honors? Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

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**Part II. Essay**

Please submit a typed essay, one page or more, along with this form and your high school grade transcript. The essay should tell the Scholarship Committee about yourself, your interests and concerns, and your future educational and career plans. Since the BVA scholarship award honors the memory of Virginia Brown, we hope that your essay will address some of her own interests as well.