



## **2023 CORRELL SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

*A Post-Secondary Scholarship Program Offered To  
Members of the Boys & Girls Club of Southeast Georgia or The Gathering Place.*

### **SCHOLARSHIP OVERVIEW**

The Correll Scholars Program was established by A.D. "Pete" and Ada Lee Correll to assist talented Glynn County high school graduates who are active members of the Elizabeth F. Correll Teen Center or The Gathering Place in pursuing a two-year or four-year post-secondary degree through one of Georgia's public academic or technical colleges. The Correll Scholars Program provides an annual scholarship of \$5,000 to students enrolled in four-year academic degree programs and an annual scholarship of \$4,000 to students enrolled in two-year academic/technical degree programs. The scholarship or stipend is paid directly to the post-secondary institution on behalf of the student each semester to offset costs of tuition, fees, books, and room and board. Any excess funds are distributed to the student through the institution's student accounts services to pay for living expenses.

The criteria for a scholarship award are as follows:

- Applicant must have been active members of the Boys & Girls Club of Southeast Georgia's Elizabeth F. Correll Teen Center or The Gathering Place for at least two years immediately prior to application.
- Applicants must have at minimum a 2.75 high school GPA and, if seeking an academic scholarship, must submit SAT or ACT scores.
- Applicants provide two short essays and two letters of recommendation (one from a high school teacher familiar with your studies).
- Applicants must provide a current transcript of grades (9th through 11th grade) To secure the actual scholarship, students must submit a copy of their final grades and a copy of their acceptance letter to the selected college within the University System of Georgia.
- Additionally, scholarship recipients are required to provide at least 20 hours of volunteer service to the Club or Place during each year of their scholarship, and before securing a subsequent year of scholarship support.
- Once awarded a scholarship, students must retain academic good standing at the institution and must attain qualifying enrollment status to receive the subsequent year funding: e.g., "sophomore" for year two.
- Students in four-year degree programs must provide an essay at the end of two years to apply for a second two years of scholarship support.
- Complete and submit online application. (Register as an Individual)