

**Friends of Scotchman Peaks Wilderness  
High School Scholarship Application Form, 2019**

**Friends of Scotchman Peaks Wilderness annually offers scholarships to a graduating senior** from high schools in Lincoln and Sanders County, Montana; as well as Bonner County, Idaho

**\$500 is awarded for the best essay overall, and a \$500 scholarship is awarded for the winning essay from each county, not including best overall.** This scholarship is paid directly to the individual upon successful graduation, and may be used as they see fit.

**Friends of Scotchman Peaks Wilderness** is a volunteer-driven local group that seeks Wilderness designation for the 88,000-acre Scotchman Peaks Roadless Area that spans the Idaho-Montana border in Lincoln and Sanders Counties, Montana and Bonner County, Idaho. For further understanding of the proposal, visit our website at: [www.scotchmanpeaks.org](http://www.scotchmanpeaks.org) or visit [www.facebook.com/ScotchmanPeaks](http://www.facebook.com/ScotchmanPeaks).

**Eligibility requirements:** This scholarship has no minimum GPA, nor does it require any commitment for higher education.

**Process:** Fill out this form (**it can be filled out on your computer**), and submit a typed, double-spaced essay of 500 to 750 words in size 12 font **in Word format, please**, with the following theme:

***“A most memorable wilderness experience.”***

***This may be a first-hand account of an experience of the author or an account of a story related to the author by a friend or relative. The experience may have happened in any Wilderness, designated or not, and must portray traditional wilderness activities such as backpacking, camping, hunting, fishing, berry picking, or horseback riding.***

**Deadline:** E-mail this application —filled out — your essay, and a picture of yourself (perhaps one taken in wild country?) to [sandy@scotchmanpeaks.org](mailto:sandy@scotchmanpeaks.org) by Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

You may also mail application form, essay and picture to  
Friends of Scotchman Peaks Wilderness Scholarship  
P.O. Box 2061  
Sandpoint, ID 83864

Name \_\_\_\_\_ High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

I have written this essay in my own words, crediting others' words or thoughts as needed. I understand these application materials may not be returned. I authorize **Friends of Scotchman Peaks Wilderness** the use of my name, hometown, and part or all of my words, in their newsletter, presentations, or in local media.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

For more information, contact Sandy Compton @ [sandy@scotchmanpeaks.org](mailto:sandy@scotchmanpeaks.org), 208-290-1281.