

National Federation of the Blind of Nebraska
2008 Scholarship Application Form

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Home Address:

School Address:

Home Phone: _____ School Phone: _____

List all post secondary institutions attended:

Grade Point Average (GPA): _____

Attach the following:

(1) A letter telling us about your educational plans, vocational goals, and awards. Tell us about yourself and how you deal with situations involving your blindness. How will our scholarship help you?

(2) A copy of all your transcripts.

(3) Two letters of recommendation.

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(4) Contact the NFBN Scholarship Chairman, Shane Buresh, or the NFBN State President, Amy Buresh, (see contact information at the bottom of this form) to notify him or her of your intention to apply for the scholarship. After your conversation, request that either the president or chairman write a note to the scholarship committee on your behalf. Failure to complete this or any of the previously requested items in this process will disqualify your application and eliminate you from consideration.

(5) Your completed application and attachments **must** be postmarked by **September 15, 2008**. Send to:

Shane Buresh
NFBN Scholarship Chairman
6210 Walker Avenue
Lincoln, NE 68507

NOTE: The first place winner will be awarded a scholarship in the amount of \$1000 from the NFBN. The Omaha and Lincoln chapters of the NFBN, along with the Nebraska Association of Blind Students, will award four additional scholarships to the remaining finalists.

In order to be considered for any of the scholarships, finalists are REQUIRED to attend an all expense paid trip to the National Federation of the Blind of Nebraska State Convention to be held in Grand Island, NE on October 10th, 11th and 12th.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact:
Shane Buresh, Scholarship Chairman
(402) 465-5468, E-mail: scholarship@ne.nfb.org or
Amy Buresh, President, NFBN
(402) 477-7711, E-mail: president@ne.nfb.org