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APPLICATION Vincent R Triolo Scholarship

*Street Address: *City, State, Zip Code_____ *Telephone Number:_____ Parent's E-Mail: (optional) *Catholic High School Planning to Attend: (Lines indicated with an * required to be filled in.) Permission of Custodial Parent or Guardian: I certify that I am the custodial parent or legal guardian of _____ ____ and grant permission that he/she participate in the Vincent R Triolo Scholarship competition as described on the following page. In the event he/she is awarded a scholarship, I authorize the Latham-Colonie Knights of Columbus #3394 to publish or cause to be published the submitted essay along with a picture of the student. Parent/Guardian Date **Parish Certification:** I certify that the above name student is a member of the above name parish and I recommend he/she be considered for a scholarship. Pastor or Religious Education Director Date

Deadline: Application and essay must be received by the Knights of Columbus or postmarked no later than May 15th.

VINCENT R TRIOLO SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Rules

Eligibility: Student must be in Grade 8 and intending to attend a Catholic High School beginning in September of this year.

Parish Membership: Student must be a member of one of the following parishes located in the Town of Colonie: Christ Our Light, Our Lady of the Assumption, St. Ambrose, St Clare's, St Pius X. The Pastor or Director of Religious Education must confirm membership on the application. <u>Applications</u> without parish certification will not be considered.

Number of Scholarships and Amount: A total of three scholarships valued at \$500 each may be awarded. This scholarship is awarded only for the students first year at the Catholic high school.

Notification of Award: The Latham-Colonie Knights of Columbus #3394 will notify students who have been awarded a scholarship on or about June 15th. The school that is listed on the application will also be notified. The award will be paid after the high school notifies the Knights of Columbus that the student has enrolled and begun classes.

Parent/Guardian-Authorization: One of the custodial parents or guardians must sign the application granting permission of the applicant to participate and, if selected for a scholarship, grant the Latham-Colonie Knights of Columbus #3394 to publish or cause to be published the essay and picture of winners.

Required Essay: Each student must submit an essay on the following topic-"WHY I WANT TO ATTEND A CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL". The essay should be typed and be approximately 350 words in length.

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Submit to: The application and essay should be mailed to:

Vincent R Triolo Scholarship Program Latham-Colonie Knights of Columbus #3394 PO Box 221 Latham, New York 12110

Interview: At the discretion of the Latham-Colonie Knights of Columbus #3394, students may be asked to participate in an interview. A parent or guardian is welcome to attend the interview.

Inquiries: Any questions relating to the competition may be made by calling Grand Knight Robert Ostiguy at 235-5216.

Judging: The essays will be judged and interviews conducted by a panel of Knights of Columbus members. The decision of the panel is final.