

**West Texas Press Association**  
**\$2,000 Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship Application Form**  
**for Graduating High School Seniors**

The West Texas Press Association and Texas Press Association will award the Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship of \$2,000, payable over two semesters at \$1,000 per semester, during which journalism courses are taken at the recipient's college of choice.

Graduating seniors interested in applying for the scholarship must live in the general area encompassed by West Texas Press Association member newspapers, and plan to major in Print Advertising or Journalism, or major in Communication Studies with a minor in Journalism. **Broadcast or Public Relations majors do not qualify.**

Students must fill out the following application and submit a 250-500 word essay on the subject, "My Future and Career Plans in Community Journalism."

Send application, essay and transcript to: Bob Dillard, WTPA Scholarship Chairman, P.O. Box 1097, Fort Davis, TX 79734-1097.

Judging will be conducted by the WTPA board, and announced at the 88th Annual Summer Convention, July 18-20, 2019 in Decatur.

**Deadline to Apply is June 19, 2019**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_ Hometown Newspaper \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College or University \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Full Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Full Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings At Home or in College \_\_\_\_\_ Financial Need: (Check one) Great \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Slight \_\_\_

High School Class Size \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ Class Ranking \_\_\_\_\_ (Attach Transcript)

School Paper or Annual Staff Experience \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Subjects \_\_\_\_\_

Have You Worked for a Newspaper? \_\_\_\_\_ If So, What Publication? \_\_\_\_\_ How Long? \_\_\_\_\_

Responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

Major High School Accomplishments And/Or Honors \_\_\_\_\_

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References: Two People Familiar With Your Writing Ability (Include Name, Address and How Associated)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Association \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_