

## 2016 FRAN SARGENT SCHOLARSHIP

Florida Goldcoast Chapter of the Ninety-Nines, Inc.

**AMOUNT:** Maximum of \$2,500.00 to be used for an FAA certificate or rating, college program or other worthwhile aviation endeavor.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Open to any woman with at least a private pilot certificate who is a resident of Florida or currently enrolled in an aviation training program in Florida. Written exam required prior to application.

**SELECTION CRITERIA:** The recipient of the scholarship will be selected by a committee consisting of judges active in aviation. The decision of the Scholarship Committee is final. If no qualified applicant applies, the Scholarship Committee reserves the right to withhold the scholarship.

Applications are judged on: Demonstration of financial need, Desire to pursue a career in aviation and/or Ability to be an ambassador representing women in aviation, Likelihood of success at reaching your goals, and Neatness and Completeness of the application package.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:** Write a letter describing your education, aviation training and experience, aviation organizations, employment and/or educational history. List activities in which you participate and organizations to which you belong (not necessarily just aviation oriented).

Include a statement of your educational purpose and/or aviation goals. Tell us about yourself, your goals and why you chose aviation, including special qualifications you may have. Indicate FAA certificate or rating and types of aircraft, college degree or other goal that you will attain using this scholarship.

Describe your financial need and detail how you will meet the cost of attaining your goal beyond the scholarship funds. Indicate if spouse, parents or other individuals are contributing to your costs of training. Include your amount of income earned this year and any other scholarships or grants earned in this year and last year.

Provide two current letters of reference/recommendation— at least one from an employer, instructor or other appropriate person. Include copies of your FAA certificates, ratings, last two pages of your logbook and other pertinent documents. **Complete the four-page application.**

**DISBURSEMENTS OF FUNDS:** Attainment of your stated goal must be completed by December 1st, of next year. Two partial payments for expenses incurred may be provided before the final payment. The Fran Sargent Scholarship Trustees of the Florida Goldcoast Chapter of the Ninety-Nines will be responsible for disbursing the funds. 60 day email updates on your training progress are required during the year.

**Send completed original application packet plus 4 additional copies of complete packets for the selection committee, must be received by October 31st, this year, to:**

Kimberley Lowe  
Scholarship Chair, FL Goldcoast 99s  
624 SW St. Lucie Crescent, PH 407  
Stuart, FL 34994

For assistance or information contact: Kimberley -email: [flynlowe@comcast.net](mailto:flynlowe@comcast.net), 305-984-0561 cell.

The scholarship will be presented to the recipient at the December Holiday Party of the Florida Goldcoast Chapter of the Ninety-Nines. This will be held in North Miami, Florida, on December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016 between 11 am and 3 pm. The 2016, Fran Sargent Scholarship Recipient must send a photograph of herself with her airplane for publication on the Florida Goldcoast Chapter Website and the 99s News Magazine.