



SINGLE MOTHER ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications Due May 1, 2009. Collegiate Scholarships to be Announced During 4th Annual Celebrity Golf Classic on May 31 – June 1, 2009

The Shack Harris & Doug Williams Foundation is now accepting applications for the organization's inaugural collegiate scholarship program for single mothers in northern Louisiana. All **applications are due May 1** and will be evaluated by a Scholarship Selection Committee headed by Ms. Dottie Bell.

A total of five \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded to single mothers and will be announced during the *4th Annual Shack Harris & Doug Williams Foundation Celebrity Golf Classic* on May 31 - June 1, 2009 in Shreveport/Bossier City, LA. For more information on the Celebrity Golf Classic visit www.HarrisWilliamsFoundation.org/events.



Applications must be postmarked by May 1, 2009.

Mail materials to: Ms. Dottie Bell, Scholarship Chairperson
7881 Jefferson Paige Road
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Applicant Eligibility: Scholarships are open to single mothers of any age or ethnicity who are entering their junior or senior year at a 4-year institution or are about to graduate from a 2-year institution. Applicants must be enrolled at one of the following colleges or universities: Grambling State University, Northwestern State University, Louisiana Tech University, Southern University Shreveport, Shreveport Bossier Parish Community College or Louisiana State University Shreveport.

.Application Format: Applicants must submit a letter of recommendation from a collegiate advisor or administrator and a full college academic transcript (w/cumulative GPA). **In addition**, all applicants must submit a **250-300 word essay** about the topic: **“Why Education is Important to a Single Parent”** and include personal experiences.

The Shack Harris & Doug Williams Foundation is a non-profit, tax-exempt organization founded by Grambling State University Tigers and NFL quarterback pioneers Pro Bowl MVP James “Shack” Harris and Super Bowl MVP Doug Williams. Since its inception in 2005, the Foundation has awarded more than \$200,000 in support of children and families in need for after-school initiatives, leadership development, mentoring programs and minority higher education assistance.

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