

# Rehoboth Baptist Church

## Dear DeAnndra Roach Memorial Scholarship

### Mission

The mission of the Dear DeAnndra Roach Memorial Scholarship is to envision a world where all relationships are positive, healthy, and free from violence.

### Purpose

The Dear DeAnndra Roach Memorial Scholarship is intended to provide financial assistance to high school graduates attending one of the following: 2 or 4 year accredited college/university full time, vocational school, trade school, technical school, or certification program.

### Objective:

The Dear DeAnndra Roach Memorial Scholarship is to support current high school graduates who are committed to their academic studies and to increase awareness of a healthy relationship.

### **The applicant must meet the following guidelines:**

- Must be a current high school graduate
- Have plans to attend a 2 or 4 year accredited college/university full time, vocational school, trade school, technical school, or certification program by the Fall semester of the current year
- Be a member of Rehoboth Baptist Church
- Submit a copy of acceptance letter from educational institute
- Submit a two page essay on “*What is a Healthy Relationship? What do you do to foster a healthy relationship?*”
- Essay must be double spaced, 12 point Times New Roman Font, 1/2 inch margins on the top, bottom, and sides
- Two letters of recommendation (i.e., teachers, counselor, extra-curricular coach, mentor, pastor)

The Scholarship Committee will review and evaluate all submitted applications. The winner of the scholarship will be notified on or before **Friday, June 2, 2023. The total amount of the scholarship will be \$500.00 for a single year. Rehoboth Baptist Church will match the scholarship amount to the winner.**

The recipient of the DeAnndra L. Roach Memorial Scholarship will be recognized at Rehoboth Baptist Church during the High School Graduate Recognition Day Program on **Sunday, June 11, 2023, during the 9:30 a.m. service.**

## **Application Deadline**

The completed application, typed essay, two letters of recommendation, and letter of acceptance must be in a sealed envelope and be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than **Friday, April 28, 2023.**

You can submit the application packet to the church secretary or place the application packet in the box outside of the church secretary's door.

It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to take the necessary actions to ensure that the application packet is completed and submitted by the deadline. **There will be no exceptions!**

**For more information, send email to [scholarship@rehoboth-baptist.com](mailto:scholarship@rehoboth-baptist.com) or email officer(s):**

**Tabitha Celestine, Chairperson at [tabithawc@gmail.com](mailto:tabithawc@gmail.com)**

**Dr. Teonica Murphy, Co-Chair at [tmurphy@g.clemson.edu](mailto:tmurphy@g.clemson.edu)**

**Jonnetta Jones, Secretary at [jonnetta\\_jones@yahoo.com](mailto:jonnetta_jones@yahoo.com)**

**Rehoboth Baptist Church**  
**Dear DeAnndra Roach Memorial Scholarship**  
**Information Form**

**Please print all information.**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Permanent Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number of years as a member of Rehoboth Baptist Church?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you participate in a ministry at Rehoboth Baptist Church? Please list.**

**What college will you attend?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you been accepted by the college of your choice?** \_\_\_\_\_

**What is your degree plan and why did you choose this plan?** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Please list any of the following:**

**Non-School Sponsored Volunteer Activities in the Community (Include church and community activities)**

**Academic Honors**

**Extra-Curricular Activities (Include sports, clubs, offices held in school)**

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_