



PEARL CARTER SCOTT WOMEN IN AVIATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

History

Oklahoma Women in Aviation and Aerospace Day was placed into State statute through the signature of Governor Mary Fallin during the 2017 meeting of the Oklahoma State Legislature. The date – December 9 - marks the birth of famous Chickasaw aviator, Pearl Carter Scott, of Marlow, Oklahoma.

Senator Paul Scott, of Duncan, agreed to carry the measure and filed the request bill on behalf of the Aeronautics Commission via Senate Bill 230. “Pearl Carter Scott was an inspiration to all women in and outside of aviation. There are many women who have made great strides in aviation and aerospace in our state, and I believe all female aviators and aerospace personnel should be recognized for their contributions,” said Scott. Representative Scott Biggs of Marlow carried the measure in the House of Representatives.

Women in Aviation Scholarship Program Purpose

In the spirit of maintaining the advancement of women in aviation in the State of Oklahoma, Oklahoma Airport Operators Association (OAOA) proudly presents the Pearl Carter Scott Women in Aviation Scholarship Program.

The program will provide non-renewable scholarships to women pursuing undergraduate or graduate degrees in an aviation/aerospace program, flight training certifications, aviation industry certifications, or additional training through participation in conferences and meetings hosted by an aviation/aerospace trade association. The program is dedicated to helping women in aviation studies who actively support the goals of the industry in the State of Oklahoma and who show a commitment to utilize their education and training in support of those goals. Applicants will be eligible to receive a scholarship (up to \$1,000) for tuition, books, lab fees, or other approved training related expenses. Scholarships are based on availability of funds.

Eligibility

Students must have an endorsement from a member in good standing with the Oklahoma Airport Operators Association in order to apply. Students must be enrolled in or working towards a degree/license in an aviation-related educational program.

Selection Criteria

- The OAOA member in good standing providing the endorsement must have been a member for at least one year.
- The applicant must be a resident of the State of Oklahoma for at least two years prior to applying for scholarship.
- If applying for a scholarship to attend an aviation organization conference or training, the applicant must meet the requirements for attendance designated by the organization.

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1. Please print or type all information.
2. If space provided is inadequate, please attach additional pages to the application.
3. Applicants must provide a home address, not a campus or school address.
4. All data you submit in support of this application becomes the property of the Oklahoma Airport Operators Association.

OAOA Member Endorsement

Name of Member Organization _____
 First Name _____ Last Name _____
 Street Address _____ City, State, Zip: _____
 Telephone _____ Email _____
 Signature _____ Date _____

Applicant Information

First Name _____ Last Name _____
 Street Address _____ City, State, Zip: _____
 Telephone _____ Email _____

High School Name _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Cumulative, unweighted GPA (on a 4.0 basis) _____

Anticipated Graduation Date (mm/yy) _____

College/Educational Institution Name _____ City, State, Zip: _____
 (either attending or plan to attend)

Cumulative, unweighted GPA (on a 4.0 basis) _____

Anticipated Graduation Date (mm/yy) _____

Major _____ Degree: AA _____ BA _____ BS _____

School and Community Activities: Please list all school and community activities (for the past two years only).

Activity	Year	Honors/Awards

