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**SEMINOLE CLUB OF POLK COUNTY**

**The Seminole Club of Polk County (a.k.a., Polk Noles) is delighted to offer THREE (3) scholarships of $1,000 *each* to deserving students from schools in Polk County who will attend Florida State University in the 2016-2017 academic year!**

**THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA MUST BE MET IN ORDER FOR AN APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A SCHOLARSHIP**

1. Must be a resident of Polk County
2. Scholarship Guidelines:
3. Award to be made to graduating seniors from accredited Polk County High Schools who *will*, if admitted, attend Florida State University.
4. A high school grade point average of 3.5 (*unweighted*), or better.
5. An SAT score of 1100 and/or an ACT score of 24, or better
6. Evidence of community service and extracurricular activity befitting a responsible citizen of Polk County and the state of Florida.
7. Preference will be given to students who have demonstrated academic ability pursuant to the above guidelines with financial need a secondary consideration.
8. A letter of acceptance from Florida State University.
9. A pdf version of the official transcript from the student’s high school (upon selection as a *finalist* for the award, verification of the transcript will be requested from the school.)
10. Applications **must** be received by 5:00PM on **April 15, 2016.**
11. Scholarship winners will be notified by **April 22, 2016** and will be invited to attend the Seminole Club of Polk County annual banquet on **May 4, 2016**, where the awards will be announced.
12. Send the completed application with transcript as email attachments to:

[PolkNolesApplications@gmail.com](mailto:PolkNolesApplications@gmail.com)

**The scholarship awards will be deposited by the SEMINOLE CLUB OF POLK COUNTY directly to the students’ accounts to be administered for the Fall 2016 semester**

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL ALAN SMITH AT 863-430-3893 or email him at** [**drwasfsc@hotmail.com**](mailto:drwasfsc@hotmail.com)