

## Thomas Wolcott and Dorothy Ricklefs Dana

### Memorial Scholarship

The descendants of Richard Dana, who arrived in America in 1640, include Richard Henry Dana Jr. who, in 1840, published *Two Years Before the Mast*, are sponsoring a special one-time \$1000 scholarship honoring Dana Point. The family wants to honor their affection for our city after visiting here in the summer of 2021 (pictured). The scholarship will be facilitated by the Dana Point Historical Society.

All graduating High School students who reside in Dana Point and planning to attend college, university or trade school are eligible. The award will be based on academics, participation in the community and interest in the history of Dana Point.

The deadline for submitting applications is April 15, 2022. They can be submitted by email to [heidihhyde@gmail.com](mailto:heidihhyde@gmail.com) by that date. Please include 1-2 letters of recommendation.



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## Scholarship Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Schools you plan to attend and major \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent's Names \_\_\_\_\_

Live with Father, Mother or Both \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings at home \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please explain any unusual challenges or circumstances that would make this financial assistance needed.
2. List academic and extracurricular activities that demonstrate your involvement and participation in the community. Specifically explain what you personally have done as part of each activity.
3. Please include any other information you feel is important for us to know about you (employment experience, honor and awards you have received, or plans you have for after High school).
4. Essay: Write and attach an essay, not longer than two pages, discussing how Dana Point and its history has influenced and shaped you into who you are today.

Prompt 1. What Dana Point means to me.

Prompt 2. What I love about Dana Point.