



N.H. Becoming an Outdoors-Woman
Scholarship Application

Deadline: May 11, 2026

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION (information on this page will not be seen by the evaluating committee)

Note: Preference for awarding scholarships will be given to first-time participants who are members of low-income households, students, teachers or parents with young children. There are a limited number of scholarships.

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Name _____ Age _____

Mailing address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DEADLINE IS May 11, 2026. To be considered for a scholarship, you must submit a completed scholarship application, including: this scholarship application, with your written statement and your \$50 application deposit. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated.

Scholarship Application Deposit: \$50 (applies toward the registration fee if you attend, will be refunded if you do not receive a scholarship and choose not to attend.) **Make check payable to: NH Wildlife Trust.** If you are not selected for a scholarship, you will receive a refund of your deposit. You can still register for the weekend and pay the full cost.

Notification: Scholarship applicants will receive communication regarding their status by June 1, 2026. If you decide not to attend for any reason, please notify us by July 1, 2026.

IMPORTANT: You must still register for the event after being notified that you have received a scholarship. Download the Fall BOW Registration Form (available at nhbow.com). **Being awarded a scholarship does NOT guarantee that you are accepted to the Fall Weekend or placement in specific classes.** Space is limited and the program fills up fast.

CHECK BELOW IF YOU QUALIFY:

MOTHER-DAUGHTER SCHOLARSHIP: Check here if you wish to be considered for a Mother-Daughter Scholarship (the daughter must be age 18 or older). *Please note:* to be considered, each mother and daughter must individually submit an application with this box completed and the required \$35 deposit. Both may be in one envelope. Both will be considered for individual scholarships if not awarded the Mother/Daughter Scholarship.

Mother's name: _____ Daughter's name: _____

HUNTING AND FISHING SCHOLARSHIPS: Some donors have requested that their scholarship go to women interested in hunting and/or fishing. Please indicate your interest in: Hunting Fishing Both
(This does not guarantee you will be enrolled in specific classes.)

N.H. FISH AND GAME: Check here if you are a N.H. Fish and Game employee or family member.

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Answering all questions in a clear detailed manner will assist the committee in evaluating your application.

1. Have you ever attended a “Becoming an Outdoors-Woman” workshop? Yes No
If Yes, date and location: _____

2. Have you received a BOW scholarship before? Yes No If Yes, when? _____

3. Are you a student? Yes No If Yes, full-time or part-time
Where? _____ Major _____

4. Are you a teacher? Yes No If Yes, what grade level and specialty? _____

5. Please check the category that best describes your total annual household income from all sources.
 Less than \$50,000 \$50,000 to \$100,000 over \$100,000

6. List the number of people living in your household and their ages, if under 18. Be sure to include yourself.
_____ adults # _____ children under age 18, ages _____

7. Why do you want to attend the Becoming an Outdoors-Woman workshop? Please limit your written statement to one additional piece of paper.
 - Explain how you will use the skills you learn at this workshop and how you see yourself sharing/passing on what you learn.
 - How much experience do you have in the outdoors already?
 - You also may include further explanations of questions 1-6, if necessary.
 - As you expand on your interests and reasons for attending, please feel free to relate your specific class interests. This does not guarantee your acceptance to those classes, but it helps the committee know you better.
 - Note: Some scholarships are age specific. Including your age, although optional, may be helpful in increasing your chances of being awarded a scholarship.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST – PLEASE INCLUDE:

- Completed scholarship application
- Your written statement
- \$50 application deposit, payable to: *NH Wildlife Trust*

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