

Queen Silver Star Excellence Program

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The Queen Silver Star Excellence Program is a personal development program for young women aged 15-18. Throughout the course of this six-month program, the candidates take part in a wide variety of classes and events. We do our best to schedule the classes only 2-3 evenings per week, however; closer to events the weeks can get busier. The classes cover topics such as:

- Speech Craft
- Financial Planning
- History of Vernon
- Self Defense
- Automotive Care
- Hair Care
- Vernon Tourism
- Dance Lessons
- Nutrition and Healthy Living
- Personal Boundaries and Decision Making
- Skin Care and Makeup Application
- Etiquette

Another important component of the Queen Silver Star Excellence Program is fundraising. Funds raised by the candidates in the program are used to provide scholarships. Last year's scholarships totaled approximately \$10,000! Past scholarships have included:

- Speech Award
- Essay Writing Award
- Top Fundraiser Award
- Knowledge of Vernon Award

Throughout your candidacy, there will be various opportunities to help with fundraising, one of the main ways is through ticket sales to our main events, The Fashion Show, The Talent Showcase and Proclamation and Coronation of Queen and Princess Silver Star the 61st.

The Queen Silver Star Excellence Program requires a lot of work and dedication. Candidates commit to attending all classes, participating in all events and volunteering in the community. The time commitment can be extensive, however; candidates who join the program build long lasting friendships, enhance their resume, build their confidence, obtain volunteer hours, are eligible to win scholarships and develop skills that will last them a lifetime. The Queen Silver Star Excellence Program is committed to assisting candidates so they are able to perform well in school, as well as in the program.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact the Queen Silver Star Excellence Program Committee by email, (queensilverstarvernon@gmail.com) and we will be happy to discuss the program with you. Thank you for applying and we look forward to meeting you!

Sincerely,

The Queen Silver Star Excellence Program Committee

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Candidate Application Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Mother/Guardian Name: _____

Father/Guardian Name: _____

Parent Phone (if different from above): _____

School and Grade: _____

Dietary Concerns or Allergies: _____

Please include:

- A school-style photo of yourself (so that we may put a face to your name); and
- A typed paragraph briefly explaining how you heard of the Queen Silver Star Excellence Program and why you decided to apply

Please submit your application by dropping the completed application form at the Vernon Winter Carnival Office, located at 3401 35th Avenue or by sending the completed documents by email to queensilverstarvernon@gmail.com

Application Deadline: Friday, June 26, 2020