



Ventura County Ninety-Nines Scholarship Program

**Get Out of Your Comfort Zone
Learn Something New!**
Win \$1,000 in instruction aid!

WHY THIS SCHOLARSHIP?

The “Learn Something New” Scholarship is designed to encourage female pilots to engage in training out of their comfort zone.
For example: Catalina Checkout, Flying for the first time in Bravo Airspace, Spin Training, High Altitude Training, Flying Upside Down, Flying to a Shorter, Narrower Airport...
Be creative!

What training would you do if you had the opportunity & financial support?

WHO CAN APPLY?

Applications are being accepted from motivated certificated female pilots who meet the following requirements:

- Over the age of 17
- Living/working in Ventura County or training at a Ventura County airport (CMA, OXR, SZP or NTD)
- Current Medical or Basic Med as required for Goal sought (not required for Light Sport)

SELECTION

- The winner(s) will be chosen by an independent panel of outside judges and is not based on financial need.
- Consideration will be given for participation in activities that support women in aviation.

Application and instructions are available at: www.vc99s.org

Application deadline is November 15th, 2019

Questions? Email: scholarships@vc99s.org

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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Copy of last page of logbook
- Copy of last Flight Review page endorsement or equivalent
- Copy of current Medical Certificate OR Copy of both sides of driver's license if intending to use Sport's pilot privileges
- Copy of Pilot's certificate, both sides
- A one page essay including:
 - What new flight experience/training you wish to learn
 - What benefit do you expect to receive?
 - How will you contribute to the 99s and/or aviation community?
- Must complete Training within 12 months of being awarded the scholarship
- Submission of a completed application form, personal essay, appropriate copies stated above to the Scholarship Committee between November 1st and November 15th, 2019.

HOW IS THE AWARD PAID?

Invoice from flight school or CFI required. Scholarship payments will be applied directly to the pilot's flight school account or *qualifying flight instructor. If requesting fuel reimbursement, must submit copies of receipts.

Payouts:

Kick Start payout.....	\$ 500
After 2 hours of flight time.....	\$ 250
After Goal achieved.....	\$ 250

To request payment upon completion of any one of the aviation goals, email a copy of the appropriate page from your log book to Scholarships@VC99s.org. If needed, arrangements can be made to pay flight school or CFI immediately once the training is completed. *If payment to an instructor is requested, the instructor must provide a copy of their current CFI certificate.

In the event of unforeseen circumstances where you are unable to complete your aviation goal within one year, (1) three month extension may be granted upon a progress review by the Scholarship Committee.

WHO WE ARE

The Ventura County Ninety-Nines are a Chapter of The Ninety-Nines International organization of women pilots. The membership is comprised of both private and career women pilots. The Chapter holds general membership meetings on most third Tuesday evenings each month. These meetings include "plane talk," camaraderie, and educational speakers. See the quarterly newsletter "The Flyer" under the News tab at VC99s.org for upcoming meetings, fly-outs and special activities. We raise funds for our scholarships through a number of different activities including the annual Wings Over Camarillo in August, Pilot Proficiency Classes, and other activities. Other Chapter events are listed on the Events tab on the website.

OUR MISSION

The Ninety-Nines is the international organization of women pilots that promotes advancement of aviation through education, scholarships, and mutual support while honoring our unique history and sharing our passion for flight.

APPLICATION

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PREFERRED PHONE: _____ E-MAIL: _____ AGE: __ Under 18 __ Over 18

WHAT CERTIFICATIONS / RATINGS DO YOU CURRENTLY HAVE: _____

WHAT WILL YOU BE PURSUING WITH THE "TRY SOMETHING NEW" SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS? _____

CURRENT MEDICAL STATUS: ☐ FIRST CLASS ☐ SECOND CLASS ☐ THIRD CLASS ☐ BASIC MED

EXPIRATION DATE: _____

WHICH AIRPORT ARE YOU FLYING OUT OF? _____ INSTRUCTOR'S NAME FOR THIS GOAL? _____

FLIGHT HOURS TO DATE? _____ LAST FLIGHT REVIEW DATE? _____

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- Copy of last page of logbook
- Copy of last Flight Review page endorsement or equivalent
- Copy of current Medical Certificate OR Copy of both sides of driver's license if intending to use Sport's pilot privileges
- Copy of Pilot certificate, both sides

ONE PAGE ESSAY (size 11 Arial or larger) ADDRESSING THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

- What new flight experience/training you wish to learn?
- What benefit do you expect to receive?
- How will you contribute to the success to women in aviation moving forward?

☐ **REQUIRED:** Email the requested documents in a ONE multipage PDF only to: scholarships@vc99s.org (if under 18, include signed parental consent)

I agree:

- That the disbursement payments shall be paid directly to flight school/instructor providing my training.
- To contribute an article to the VC99s newsletter regarding how the award has assisted me in achieving my aviation goals.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information given in this application is true and correct.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Neither The Ventura County Chapter of the Ninety-Nines, Inc., the Southwest Section of The Ninety-Nines, Inc., The Ninety-Nines, Inc. or their members, agents or representatives are responsible for the quality of any training received with this scholarship, or for any accident, incident, or any other event which may occur while the recipient of this scholarship is performing flight training or activities relating thereto, and recipient agrees to sign this hold harmless agreement in favor of said entities upon receipt of the scholarship and before any flight is made.

I understand that the Ventura County Chapter of the Ninety-Nines, Inc., reserves the right to reject any application that does not meet the requirements and/or qualifications essential to the specified application. This includes, but is not limited to accurate log entries, received by the due date, medical requirements, training requirements and essay word count.