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AccelerateHer Scholarship

\$100 cash award

Deadline: Sunday, June 4, 2023 5pm

The Miss Davison Scholarship Pageant is excited to announce the AccelerateHer Scholarship for 2023. In addition to the scholarships awarded to Miss Davison and Court, this \$100 cash scholarship is sponsored by Jenna Holt, Miss Davison 2012. This scholarship is available to all of the candidates and will be awarded on stage during the Pageant.

This scholarship is sponsored by Jenna Holt as a way to give back to the program that has helped her to become a successful woman in a male-dominated profession and to empower other Miss Davison Candidates to accelerate her own goals and career.

To enter: submit a two-page essay, double-spaced, briefly describing your future goals, discuss what being an "empowered woman" means to you and what two traits or characteristics you think are most important to accelerating a woman's success in her career. *Participation is optional.*

Essay should contain your name and candidate number on the top right corner of the first page and can be emailed to missdavison@charter.net or a printed copy may be turned in at practice on Sunday June 4, 5pm.

About the sponsor:

Jenna Holt is a 2013 graduate of Davison High School and graduated from Northwood University in 2017 with a degree in automotive marketing and management. She is currently a Chevrolet Assistant Retail Planning Manager with General Motors. In 2020 She obtained a master's degree from the Richard DeVos Graduate School of Management at Northwood University.

After giving up her Miss Davison title, Jenna was inspired to continue competing in pageants and began competing in the Miss America Organization. She competed in both California and Michigan, where she placed in the top ten. There her platform was "AccelerateHer – Empowering Women" and she currently hosts the AccelerateHer podcast. She also competed for Miss Indiana USA in 2022, where she finished as second runner-up and will be competing this June for Miss Michigan USA.

Jenna feels that she would not have the skills and courage she has today if it weren't for taking that first step competing for Miss Davison. She says "Miss Davison taught me to be a strong woman and role model". She can't imagine doing what she does now without the Miss Davison program. She wants other young women to know the endless opportunities there are in the professional world and how the Miss Davison program can empower young women, make an impact on their future and accelerate their personal and career goals.

Questions – contact

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