**RULES AND GUIDELINES**

Deadline for submission is Friday, February 28, 2020, by 5:00 p.m. All entries must be in final draft, typewritten with word count between 800 and 1500 words. Submissions may be brought to the Waldport Public Library or sent electronically to [sbeebe1@gmail.com](mailto:sbeebe1@gmail.com).

The 2020 prompt for this year’s Beachcomber Scholarship essay is “Where do I want to go?”

Junior or Senior high school student attending Waldport High School or home school student living in Waldport, OR area is eligible for the competitions and must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

Only the title, contents, and word count will be read by the judges.

Finalists will present their essay in March 2020 on a date and place to be announced.

Winners will be announced on June 11, 2020.

Cash Prizes will be given out for the following: one (1) overall Grand Prize, $1,000; two (2) $500 prizes. Winners must show proof of enrollment of either a college or technical school. Payments will be made to the winners.

2019 Beachcomber Scholarship winners will make up the 2019 Beachcomber Days Royal Court and will be expected to attend all 2019 Beachcomber Days activities, June 14-16.