

VPSA SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

The Virginia Peninsula Sportsmen's Association (VPSA) Scholarship was established by the VPSA Board of Directors in 2022 to enable the next generation of sportsmen and women to further outdoor conservation efforts through their undergraduate study.

VPSA will award scholarships annually at the Virginia Outdoor Sportsman Show in Richmond, during the awards ceremony of the annual Virginia Big Game Show. This Deer, Bear, and Turkey judging contest seeks to use the oldest and most prestigious scoring system in the world, The Virginia Scoring System, to measure trophy game animals harvested and determine an annual Virginia State Champion. The Big Game Show is Annually the first weekend in August as part of the Virginia Outdoor Sportsman Show.

Scholarship Eligibility:

- **Virginia Residents**
- **High School Seniors**
- **Students must be pursuing a degree at an accredited institution of higher education.**
- **Community College**
- **Technical College**
- **College or University**
- **Students must support the preservation of the hunting tradition.**
- **Students must demonstrate ability as a leader among their peers.**



Instructions:

1. **Download the application from www.vpsa.org**
2. **Return signed and completed applications to vpsa.big.game.contest@gmail.com no later than May 31st.**
3. **Winners will receive notice in July.**
4. **Winners will be invited to the Virginia Outdoor Sportsman Show to receive their scholarships.**