## **Recommendations Instructions:**

Please provide the Scholarship Committee with an honest evaluation of this student's personal and academic potential. Please provide the student with your letter of recommendation in a sealed envelope so the student can attach the letter to his/her application.

The OSDIA Lodge Scholarship Committee appreciates your time in writing this recommendation to help the committee select a worthy recipient for the \$2,500 scholarship.

The Order of Sons and Daughter of Italy in America Myrtle Beach Lodge 2662 has been awarding a scholarship to a Horry County high school senior since 2012. We are honored to offer this scholarship, which supports the mission and the vision of the Order of Sons and Daughter of Italy in America. The \$2,500 scholarship is open to high school seniors of Italian American descent (at least one Italian or Italian-American parent or grandparent) who attend a nationally accredited high school in Horry County, SC. The scholarship will be awarded based on the student's essay, academic achievement, and faculty recommendations.

The application process opens on Feb. 15 and concludes on. The April 1<sup>st</sup>. The winner will be announced in May.