

Kappa Alpha Order-gentlemen's scholarship: awards of \$200 to a male student who will attend the University of Washington with a 3.2 GPA or higher, and has exhibited leadership and community service. <http://uwka.com/scholarship/gentlemens-scholarship/> Due September 1.

Western Golf Association Chick Evan's Caddie Scholarship: 200 awards of various amounts for students who have been employed for at least 2 years at a golf course. www.wgaesf.org/site/c.dwJTKiO0Jgl8G/b.6086583/k.499/Application_Process.htm Due September 30.

October

Wendy's Heisman Scholar Athlete Award & Scholarship: Awards to students with athletic participation and achievement in academics, community service, and leadership. <http://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/> Due October 1.

AES Engineers Scholarship: To be eligible for a \$500 award, the student needs to answer one of the essay questions that they will find on our site at www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm Our belief is that achieving a high grade point average should not be the only criteria for determining who deserves to be helped. For that reason we are offering a scholarship that will be awarded on the basis of character, as determined by evaluating the essays that are submitted. Further information, including previous winners, is available on our web site at: <http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm> Due: October 1.

CIA Undergraduate Scholar Program: awards vary up to \$10,000, renewable, students must be 18 years old, 900 or better on SAT and/or 21 or better on ACT, 2.75 GPA or higher and study computer science, cartography, engineering, math, economics, physics, linguistics, account or political science. <https://www.cia.gov/careers/student-opportunities/undergraduate-scholarship-program.html> October 15.

National Association for the Advancement of the Arts Young Talent Program: 100 awards of up to \$4000 (total awards up to 3 million dollars each year) for students in fine and performing arts and be between 17-18 years of age at application. Must submit portfolios or tapes of work or performances. www.youngarts.org/apply Due October 15.

Washington State University Regents Scholarship Program The University's Premier Scholarship Program website <https://admission.wsu.edu/scholarships/washington-residents/regents/>

Each Fall, principals of eligible high schools in the state of Washington are invited to nominate two of their exceptional high school seniors who meet the minimum criteria for the Regents Scholars program. Start Here: Students may go to <http://sfsapps.em.wsu.edu/rsp/home/calculator> to input GPA and test scores. If the website says you qualify, then you may continue with the application process. Note: Since ZHS may only nominate 2 Seniors all ZHS seniors who would like to be considered for one of the two nominations for this scholarship award will first complete a ZHS Nomination packet found at <http://www.zillahschools.org/ZHS/docs/scholarships/WSU-Regents.pdf> and present a folder to Mr. Torres by 8:00 am on October 20.

Horatio Alger Washington Scholarship Program: Several awards of \$5000 scholarships are to be awarded through the generosity of the members of the Horatio Alger Association. Students must have at least a 2.0 GPA and critical financial need (\$50,000 or less adjusted gross income per family is preferred), To apply go to www.horatioalger.org/scholarships Due October 25.

ACT SIX Full Tuition Scholarships to Heritage University: These scholarships are part of an initiative of Yakima Leadership Foundation, website www.actsix.org/nw/yakima . Act Six is the Yakima Valley's only full-tuition, full-need community leadership award. For Fall Act Six will select approximately 10 of the Yakima Valley's most promising community leaders for scholarships to Heritage University. Further Information: 509.949.6884 or delinda.higgins@actsix.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Apply at www.actsix.org/nw/yakima/#toggle-id-5. Due October 27.

Coca Cola Scholars Program: 50 scholarships for \$20,000 and 200 scholarships for \$4000. Applicants must be leaders in school and/or community, show commitment to quality work and high ideals, excel academically (3.5GPA or higher), and be able to express themselves in a clear, creative manner. Contact: apply on line at www.coca-colascholars.org Due October 31.

November

VFW Voice of Democracy Scholarship: Students (grades 9-12) write and record a 3-5 minute script based on a stated patriotic theme. Go to www.vfw.org/Community/Voice-of-Democracy for forms, rules, number and amount of awards. Due to a local chapter/post by November 1.

Prudential Spirit of Community Awards: 50 awards of \$1000 and 5 awards of \$5000. These awards recognize high school students who have demonstrated exemplary, self initiated community service. Schools may select 1 student for this award. One student from each state will receive a \$1000 award. State winners then compete for the \$5000 awards. <http://spirit.prudential.com> Due (to principals) November 3.

Seattle University Sullivan Leadership Award: The Sullivan Leadership Award exemplifies Seattle University's holistic definition of academic excellence, one that transcends classroom performance and seeks students with diverse leadership styles and personal backgrounds. This full scholarship covers tuition, room and board for each of four years of undergraduate study at Seattle University and is awarded to nine incoming freshmen each year. Go to <https://www.seattleu.edu/sullivan> to learn more and apply. Due November 15.

December

American Quarter horse Association: 50 of \$500 to \$1000, for a student showing involvement with AQHA for the last two years, FFA or 4-H required, interested in animal science study preferably equine science, rank in top 20% of graduating class and/or achieve a rank above 80% on SAT/ACT. <http://aqha.com/Foundation/Content-Pages/Scholarships/Application.aspx> Due December 1.

AXA Achievement Scholarship America Program: Fifty-two winners – one from each state, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico – are selected to receive a one-time scholarship awards of \$10,000 each. Only the first 10,000 applications will be considered. If the program reaches 10,000 applications before 11:59 PM CST on the deadline date of December 1, then the program will automatically close. Apply at <https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/axa-achievement/information.php> Due December 1.

COSTCO Scholars Program: Provides financial assistance to highly qualified underrepresented minority students who wish to attend Seattle University or the University of Washington. Students are considered for the Costco Scholarship as part of the normal financial aid process at each of these two universities. To learn more about the specific application procedures for the Costco Scholarship Fund, please contact: Seattle University, Office of Student Financial Services, financialservices@seattleu.edu This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it., 206-296-2000 or the University of Washington, Office of Student Financial Aid, osfa@u.washington.edu This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it., 206-685-3504 or visit the website www.collegesuccessfoundation.org/InformationForStudents. Due December 1.

Military ROTC scholarships: several thousand full ride scholarships for full tuition, books, fees, plus \$100/month stipend, renewable for all years of college. Students must enroll in Army, Air Force, Navy or Marine Corps ROTC programs in college. Must have taken SAT or ACT tests. Call Army-1-800-USA-ROTC www.goarmy.com/rotc/scholarships.html , Air Force-1-800-423-USAF www.afrotc.com/scholarships , Navy/Marines- 1-800-327-NAVY www.navy.com/joining/education-opportunities/nrotc.html . Due December 1.

Sons of the American Revolution (SAR) essay contest: several levels of awards with a \$2000 national prize. Open to students in grades 9-12. Students must submit an essay on a current topic. For information and an application go to: http://www.sar.org/Youth/Knight_Essay_Rules. Phone: (509) 257-2634 palmerogro69@aol.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Due December 1.

Benton REA scholarship: 10 awards of \$8000 5 are academic scholarships and 5 are vocational scholarships. You must submit SAT/ACT scores and a 500 word essay. For applications go to <http://www.bentonrea.org/?s=scholarship> or email info@bentonrea.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Due December 2.

Elk's Club National Foundation "Most Valuable Student" Scholarships: 6 local awards (3 boys, 3 girls-amounts TBA) and 4 District Awards (2 boys, 2 girls-amounts TBA). Winners from local level and district level compete for 60 state scholarships up to \$1500 each. State winners compete for regional, and national scholarships from \$4,000-\$60,000 in a pool worth over Two Million dollars. Students must have demonstrated outstanding school/community service, leadership, academic achievement, and have clear cut goals for the future. The application must go to a local lodge (For ZHS submit applications to Yakima Elks Lodge, 318 Golf Course Loop, Selah, WA 98942-1926) first for judging. If you need more information contact yakimaelks@bpoe318.net This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. or call 509.697.6161, 509.966.4588 or 1-800-825-ELKS. applications are at www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm. Due December 4.

American Legion National High School Oratorical Scholarship Program: "A Constitutional Speech Contest" aims to develop a deeper knowledge and appreciation of the Constitution of the United States on the part of high school students. Scholarships totaling \$5,000 will be awarded to students taking part in the state contest. The state winner will receive a \$2,000 scholarship, plus an all expenses paid trip to Indianapolis, Indiana, to compete in the national contest and a part of the \$138,000 national scholarship pool. Other objectives of the contest include the development of leadership qualities, the ability to think and speak clearly and intelligently, and the preparation for acceptance of the duties and responsibilities,

the rights and privileges of American citizenship. To apply for the contest, download the application form at www.waconstitutionalspeechcontest.org/ Due December 15.

Hispanic Scholarship Fund (Multiple Scholarships): Founded in 1975, the Hispanic Scholarship Fund provides scholarships to Latino students, as well as related support services. HSF seeks to give students all the tools they need to apply to college, do well in their course work, graduate, enter a profession, excel, help lead our nation going forward, and mentor the generations to come. As the nation's largest not-for-profit organization supporting Hispanic-American higher education, HSF has awarded over \$400 million in scholarships and provides a range of ancillary programs for candidates, scholars, and their families. HSF further strives to make college education a top priority for every Latino family across the nation and to mobilize our community to proactively advance that goal – each individual, over a lifetime, in every way he/she can. For more information about the Hispanic Scholarship Fund please continue to browse our website www.hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/graduating-high-school-seniors Due December 15.

NFIB Young Entrepreneur Awards: NFIB Young Entrepreneur Awards are open to any graduating high school senior entering their freshman year at an accredited (not for profit) two or four-year university, college or vocational/technical institute. The NFIB Young Entrepreneur Awards program was established to raise awareness among the nation's youth of the critical role that private enterprise and entrepreneurship play in the building of America. Applicants MUST be running their own small business in order to be considered for an award. Download an application at <http://www.nfib.com/yef/yef-programs/young-entrepreneur-awards> Due December 15.

Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarships: We want students to reach their full potential. Our network of U.S. Chapters, along with RMHC Global, offer scholarships to students in financial need who have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership and community involvement. Scholarships are for students in the United States living in areas where there are participating local RMHC Chapters. Not all Chapters offer all four scholarships. The four types of scholarships available include:

1. RMHC/Scholars: All students are eligible to apply regardless of race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender, disability or national origin.
2. RMHC/HACER: Applicant must have at least one parent of Hispanic/Latino heritage.
3. RMHC/Asia: Applicant must have at least one parent of Asian-Pacific heritage.
4. RMHC/African-American Future Achievers: Applicant must have at least one parent of African American or Black Caribbean heritage.

Graduating high school seniors may only apply for one of the four scholarships. Visit our website <http://rmhc.org/what-we-do/rmhc-u-s-scholarships> for detailsFor questions

contact RMHC@applyists.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. (Subject Line: RMHC) 855-670-4787. Due December 20.

Wilbur-Ellis Sundome Shootout Scholarship: Wilbur-Ellis will award four \$250 dollar scholarships for Senior Boy athletes participating in Wilbur-Ellis Sundome Shootout. Application procedure:

Participate in the event

Complete application form. www.zillahschools.org/ZHS/docs/scholarships/W-E-Scholarship.doc

Submit a minimum of one letter of recommendation. Do not include more than three letters.

Write an essay of 500 words or less. This essay should cover the following: a. Personal goals, b. Future Educational and Career goals, c. What makes you an outstanding candidate for this award?

Submit an official school transcript.

Turn in all requested materials to: W-E Scholarship Committee ATTN: Doug Burge, 191 Alteejen Road, Zillah, WA 98953 before December 20

Better Business Bureau Students of Integrity Scholarship: To support standout scholars, BBB Foundation will award a \$1,000 scholarship to one Washington high school student (Note: application states Western Washington, but BBB officials confirm that ZHS students are considered eligible to apply). Eligible students must meet 3.5 or higher GPA requirements. Applicants must submit essays on a current theme. For more information, visit www.wwa.bbb.org/scholarship or contact BBBFoundation@thebbb.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Due December 31.

January

FIRE Free Speech Essay Contest: Only current high school juniors and seniors may apply. One \$10,000 first prize, one \$5,000 second prize, and three \$1,000 runner-up prizes will be awarded for the best essays. Four \$500 winners will be chosen from the remaining entrants in a drawing. Answer the essay question: Why is free speech important at our nation's colleges and universities? Your essay should be 800-1,000 words. Submit your essay through the online form found at the website. <http://www.thefire.org/?s=essay+contest> Due January 1.

Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship: 50 state winner awards of \$1000, plus 32 national awards of \$5000, for students who are interested in a career in government service. Must write a 200 word essay as part of the process. Visit: www.gwcf.org Due January 1st.

John F Kennedy Profiles in Courage Essay Contest: An essay contest open to high school students in grades 9-12 with prizes up to \$5000.00. Go to the website: www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest and find specific information updated each year under the Educational Programs link. Due January 6.

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarships: 20 scholarships at \$10,000 each renewable for 4 years. To learn more go to <http://www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-scholarship.aspx> Applications are due January 9.

Burger King Scholars Program: Awards from \$1000-\$25,000 for both non-Burger King students and also for those who are affiliated with Burger King. To apply go to www.bkmclamorefoundation.org/WhatWeDo/ScholarsProgram Due January 10.

Northwest Career Colleges Federation Careers that Work Scholarships: ZHS may nominate five seniors for a \$1000 scholarships to attend technical schools that is a member, such as Perry Technical Institute. Application forms are online at <http://www.zillahschools.org/ZHS/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> Turn completed applications forms into Mr. Griffin. Due January 10.

Washington NASA Space Grant Consortium annually offers scholarships for incoming UW freshmen. Each year some of Washington State's best high school seniors, Running Start, and Early Entrance students vie for a chance to study science, technology, engineering or mathematics at the University of Washington on a Space Grant scholarship. These competitive scholarships are based on high school academic achievement, standardized test scores, personal essays, recommendations, and future academic promise. Space Grant scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$5,500. Scholarships are awarded for one year at a time. Scholarship recipients may apply for award renewal for up to three years, dependent on availability of funding and providing they maintain program requirements for their majors and a satisfactory GPA. Complete an application at www.waspacegrant.org/for_students/undergraduate_programs/scholarships/uw/incoming_freshman/uw_scholars_freshman.html Due January 10.

WSU-TC Crimson Academic Challenge Scholarship: The Crimson Academic Challenge which is an opportunity for high school seniors to compete for \$1500 renewable awards at Washington State University Tri-Cities. Students will come to campus on November 15 and take a test in their desired area of study. 1 in 5 students will receive an award. They must have a 3.25 GPA and be admitted to WSUTC by January 10th. This award can be combined with our Academic Achievement Awards. For further information connect: Jordyn Wright, Financial Aid and Scholarships Coordinator, Washington State University- Tri Cities, 509-372-7228, jordyn.wright@tricity.wsu.edu This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Event is January 30, but must be registered by January 10.

Gates Millennium Scholars Program: up to 30,000 awards which can equal full tuition and fees for students who are low income and also belong to a minority group such as African-American, Native American Indian, Hispanic or Asian-Pacific Islanders. There is an opportunity for renewal for up to four years of tuition support. Students must be a US citizen, have a 3.30 GPA or higher, be evaluated on academic accomplishments in math and science, have demonstrated leadership and community service in the school and community and have financial need. Contacts: 1-877-690-4677 or 206-652-1993 or go to www.gmsp.org. Due January 15.

Mensa Education scholarship: several awards up to \$1000. Students compete for awards on the basis of a 500 word essay. <http://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships>. Due January 15th.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society-Northwest Chapter Scholarship Program: The National MS Society invites students to apply for their scholarship program with awards from \$1000-\$3000. To be eligible a student must:

1. Have MS or have a parent living with MS
2. Plan to attend an accredited post-secondary school for the first time and be enrolled at least half time or greater.
3. Be a US Citizen or legal resident
4. Live in Washington, Montana or Alaska

Download an application at <https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/mssociety> If you have questions, please call 1.800.344.4867 or email mssociety@scholarshipamerica.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. . Due January 15.

SAE-Society of Automotive Engineers Scholarships: Awards between \$1000-\$4000, many of which are renewable, must be a senior in high school, have a 3.5 GPA and be in the 90% on the SAT or ACT exam in

both math & verbal and be interested in earning a degree as an engineer. <http://students.sae.org/awdscholar/scholarships/hsseniors.htm> Due January 15th.

Haz La U Scholarship: As part of its commitment to the Hispanic Community, Colgate-Palmolive's scholarship program, "Haz La U" ("Make the U"), aims to provide eligible high school seniors with the opportunity to pursue higher education levels. Student may apply for one of twenty-one (21) educational grants that will be awarded on a competitive basis for: a one-time \$15,000 scholarship award for the top recipient a one-time \$2,500 scholarship awards for 20 additional recipients - See more at: <https://hsf.net/en/scholarships/>

Eligibility Requirements

Be of Hispanic American heritage

Be a U.S. Citizen or a legal permanent resident of the United States. All legal permanent residents must submit a copy of their valid permanent resident card or passport stamped I-551.

Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale.

Be pursuing or plan to pursue your first undergraduate degree

Have plans to enroll full-time in a degree seeking program at a two or four year U.S. accredited institution in the U.S., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, or Guam during the 2014-2015 academic year

Must be a first year student at a two year college or a freshman at a four year institution in the 2014-2015 academic year

Must apply for federal financial aid by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

Applications are due January 20.

National Honor Society Scholarship: 250 awards of \$1000. Students must be a senior member of NHS, demonstrated leadership, character, scholarship, and service. <http://www.nhs.us/scholarships-awards/nhs-scholarship-program.aspx> Contact your ZHS NHS advisor as ZHS can only nominate two students. Due January 28.

ARRL Foundation Scholarship: Awards to young radio amateurs pursuing higher education. More than 80 scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5,000 will be awarded. In addition, one applicant is selected for the William R. Goldfarb Memorial Scholarship, awarded to a high school senior pursuing a degree in business, computers, medical, nursing, engineering or science. Students should read the ARRL Scholarship Descriptions carefully and apply only for those scholarships for which they are eligible -

some scholarships have geographic criteria or other requirements. Go to www.arrl.org/scholarship-program. Due January 31.

Walmart Dependent and Associate Scholarship <http://foundation.walmart.com/our-focus/associate-scholarships> A \$3,000 college scholarship available to Walmart and Sam's Club dependents of associates who are graduating seniors with at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA and a demonstrated financial need. Due January 31.

February

American Indian Endowed scholarship program: several awards of various amounts for senior students who are members of or have close social and cultural ties to an American Indian tribe or community in Washington state. The program annually awards between 10 and 16 scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$2,000. Students are eligible to receive scholarships for up to five years. <http://www.wsac.wa.gov/american-indian-endowed-scholarship> . Due February 1.

The America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders scholarship program gives students the opportunity to earn a \$1,500 scholarship to further their agricultural education by presented by Monsanto Company, America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders. In the 2015 program year, which launches in November 2014, the Monsanto Fund is looking to award more than \$500,000 to students. The National FFA Organization administers the program, but students do not have to be FFA members to apply. Applications go live November 15 at www.americasfarmers.com/recognition-programs/grow-ag-leaders-apply-for-a-scholarship . To learn more go to www.americasfarmers.com/recognition-programs/grow-ag-leaders . Due February 1.

AWC Scholarship: The Association of Washington Cities Center for Quality Communities Scholarship program plans to award four (4) \$1,250 scholarships through a statewide competitive process to graduating high school seniors. The City of Zillah has an opportunity to nominate one scholarship applicant to the AWC Center for Quality Communities Scholarship program. Students interested in competing for this scholarship fund must be:

- Involved (or have been involved) with a city government and/or significant school leadership activity;
- Eligible to graduate from high school in 2015
- A Washington state resident; and
- Plan to continue education in the 2015-2016 academic year at an accredited college, community college or trade/technical school

The top five ZHS students that complete this process on time will have their applications forwarded to the City of Zillah for review. As proud as the community and city council are of the fine students this area has produced, sadly there can only be one nominee. Complete an application at <http://www.cfqc.org/Portals/2/documents/CFQCApplication.pdf> Submit scholarship application to Mr. Torres at ZHS. Due February 1.

Boy Scouts of America National Eagle Scout Scholarships: Several awards of \$3000. Check with local scouting leadership www.nesa.org/applications.html . Due February 1.

EPSILON SIGMA ALPHA Scholarships: The ESA Foundation awards numerous scholarships annually, you do not have to be an ESA member to apply. Once you have found scholarships you would like to apply for create an account to begin the application process. There is no fee to create an account and begin searching for scholarships. There is a \$5.00 processing fee for each scholarship for which you apply Review the scholarship guidelines <http://www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants/scholarships/Guidelines> . To watch a video outlining the scholarship process, <http://www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants/scholarships/video-help-for-scholarship-applications> Search Washington State scholarships here <http://www.epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants/scholarships/results/?state=Washington> Due February 1.

Frank Kazmierczak Memorial Migrant Scholarship: The purpose of this scholarship is to serve as a living tribute to Frank Kazmierczak, a long time migrant educator, by offering an annual award in the amount of \$1,000 for post-secondary scholarship assistance to a migrant student who wishes to pursue a career in teaching. Website <http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/kazmierczak.htm>. Due February 1.

National FFA scholarship awards: several hundred awards. By filling out one form you will automatically apply for awards from 77 different companies offering from 1 to 5 scholarships each, ranging from \$200 to \$4000, some of which are renewable. An information packet is available each year. This should be checked to determine which scholarships you are eligible for. Contact your local FFA advisor or go to <https://scholarshipapp.ffa.org/OnlineApps/welcome.aspx> Due February 1.

National Peace Essay Contest: awards at state of \$1000, 500, \$250, & \$100, and national levels with the top prize of \$10,000 and an expense paid trip to Washington DC . Open to any high school student (grades 9-12). Students write an essay on a current topic. www.usip.org/npec Due February 1.

Washington State Nursery & Landscape Association Charitable Fund: Several awards of \$500-\$1000 each for students who would like to study horticulture, ornamental horticulture, landscape architecture and related fields. <http://www.wsnla.org/content.asp?contentid=29> Due February 1.

The DuPont Challenge Science Essay Competition: Sponsored by the DuPont Center for Collaborative Research & Education in cooperation with General Learning Communications. The competition is open to US and Canadian students in grades 7-12 inclusive. The competition involves writing a 700 to 1,000 word essay about a scientific or technological development, event, or theory chosen by the student. Topic areas include chemical sciences, life sciences, physical sciences, earth sciences, environmental sciences and space technology. There are two divisions: grades 7-9 and grades 10-12. Within each division there is one first place prize US Savings Bonds of a \$5,000, second place prize of a \$3,000, third place prize of a \$2,000, and several honorable mention prizes of a \$200. Website: thechallenge.dupont.com . Due February 9.

UFCW-21 Scholarship Program: Scholarships offered to UFCW 21 members (Albertson's, Fred Meyer, QFC, Safeway or other union grocery and retail stores workers) and their spouses, domestic partners, and dependents are: Family Scholarships of \$2000 will go to applicants who are part of the first generation in their family to attend college. Designated Scholarships of \$3,000 will be available to those pursuing a specific area of study. Our focus this year will be Food Progress (Agriculture, culinary arts, food health & safety, food politics). A Four-Year Scholarship of \$4,000 will be awarded for 4 years of tuition. These are in addition to our ongoing regular scholarships: Full-time student scholarships of \$2,000 each. Part-time student scholarships of \$1,000 each. Apply at www.ufcw21.org/member/education-program. Due February 10.

Mary Monroe Davis Memorial Scholarship: The Yakima Rotary Trust has established a scholarship program to assist residents of Yakima County who plan to continue their education in undergraduate study. A total of \$125,000 in scholarships is expected to be granted each year. If selected as a recipient, the student will receive an annual award of up to \$2,500 for a two-year college or up to \$7,500 for a four-year college or university. Visit www.sms.scholarshipamerica.org/marymonroedavis for a copy of the application as well as for more information regarding scholarship guidelines. (Note: It is recommended that you write your essay and have it proof read by a teacher before submitting it online) Due February 11.

Davidson Fellowships Scholarships: Awarded by the Davidson Institute for Talent Development to US students under age 18 who have completed a significant piece of work in the fields of Mathematics,

Science, Technology, Music, Literature, Philosophy or Outside the Box. The significant piece of work should have the potential to benefit society. The focus of the program is on gifted and talented students. There is no minimum age for eligibility. Four \$50,000 scholarships, seven \$25,000 scholarships, and five \$10,000 scholarships are awarded each year. Website: www.davidsongifted.org/fellows/ email davidsonfellows@ditd.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Due February 11.

Washington State Employees Credit Union Scholarships: 20 awards of \$2000 for 4 year university study and 7 awards of \$1000 for community/technical colleges for WSECU member (or possibly the son or daughter of a member). Call 1-800-562-0999x10470 or go to the website for an application <https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/wsecu> Due February 14.

ACPE Technology Scholarship: This year the Association for Computer Professionals in Education (ACPE) has allocated \$10,000 for scholarships of up to \$2,500 each for students in Oregon and Washington. These scholarships are available to graduating high school seniors who have been actively involved in the use of technology during their high school careers and are planning to pursue studies in a technology related field. Go to the ACPE website <http://www.acpenw.org/scholarships> for complete criteria and to complete the online application. Due February 15.

APIASF Scholarship: The primary purpose of this scholarship is to support students who plan to become teachers with awards up to \$500 scholarships to high school seniors who meet the following qualifications: (1) are of Asian or Pacific Islander (API) descent; (2) are actively involved in extracurricular activities in school; (3) have outstanding academic records; (4) are young leaders who show concern and commitment to Asian/Pacific Islander communities; and (5) are citizens or resident aliens of the United States or Canada. For more information and application form, go to: <http://www.apiasf.org/scholarships.html> Due February 15.

Heritage University SOAR Scholarship: 10 Awards of full tuition scholarships for up to 5 years for a student to complete their first Bachelors Degree at Heritage. Applications are at <http://husoar.com/scholarships.html> Due February 15.

National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution (NASDAR) Scholarships: Several scholarships of various amounts for high school seniors. Scholarship categories include General, Political Science, History, Government & Economics, Medical & Nursing, Special Categories and American Indian <http://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships> Due February 15.

Christopher's "You Make a Difference" poster contest: 8 prizes with a first prize of \$1000. Open to students grades 9-12. Students create a poster on the selected theme. Write: The Christopher's, 12 East 48th Street, New York, NY . 10017 or youth@christophers.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. or go to www.christophers.org/page.aspx?pid=274 Due February 18.

Toppenish Western Art Show Scholarship: A \$1,000 scholarship, which can be used for tuition or expenses for any post-high school study at an art institute, community college, or four-year college. Any senior scheduled to graduate from East Valley, Granger, La Salle, Riverside Christian, Toppenish, Zillah, Sunnyside, Grandview, Prosser, Wapato, or White Swan, or any local student enrolled in an art-related course of study at a Washington state community college or university. You must submit the following:

- *A portfolio of 3 samples of your work.
- *Two letters of recommendation
- *A short letter explaining why you seek the scholarship.
- *Your name, mailing address, and phone number.

Submit your application to: Toppenish Western Art Show, Scholarship Committee, PO Box 28, Toppenish, WA 98948. Or you can bring all materials to the Visitors Center at 504 S. Elm Street in Toppenish. www.toppenishwesternart.org/index.html Due February 20.

Columbia Basin College Foundation Scholarships: Numerous awards for incoming freshman. Students complete on application to compete for several scholarship opportunities. Go to www.columbiabasin.edu/index.aspx?page=636 for an application and for further information or call 509-547-0511, ext. 2319. Due February 21.

Buick Achievers Scholarship: \$25,000/year for 100 first-time freshman, renewable up to four years and \$2,000/year for an additional 1,000 incoming students. Scholarships based on Academic achievement, Financial need, Participation and leadership in community and school activities, work experience, educational and career goals, unusual circumstances, and Other criteria: being a first-generation college student, female, minority, military veteran or a dependent of military personnel. Scholarships will focus on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) students from high school who plan to continue this study into college. Go to www.buickachievers.com/ Due February 27.

Solarity Credit Union Scholarship: Five scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$2000 each to Solarity Credit Union members-You must be a primary member with an account in your own name, or a spouse who is a joint owner on the primary member's account. Must be enrolled, or will be enrolled, in an accredited college, university or trade school, must have a minimum GPA of 2.0, must be attending college during the school year listed on the scholarship application. Get applications at www.solaritycu.org/scholarships.htm Due February 27.

Avon President's Club scholarship: 75 awards of \$2000 for children or grandchildren of Avon President's Club members. Contact your local Avon district representative for details.
<http://sms.scholarshipamerica.org/children-grandchildrenofavonpresclub/> Due February 28.

CORE's Que Llueva Café Scholarship: Amount of Each Scholarship: \$500. CORE proudly sponsors this scholarship to help undocumented students continue on their academic path. This scholarship is a response to the lack of financial aid that undocumented students face every day at their respective college. In particular, CORE seeks to support undocumented students that have met the rigorous academic requirements asked of them and hold the academic promise to achieve so much more. The “Que Llueva Café” Scholarship aims to support the dreams, hopes and aspirations of college bound undocumented students so that they can earn their college education and allow for all of their hard work and sacrifice to persevere. This scholarship program strives to make a world of difference. ¡Ójala que llueva café! Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be of Chicano / Latino descent
- Must be an undocumented student. We define an undocumented student as someone who was born outside of the U.S. but lives here without the legal
- Permission of the federal government.
- Must be or will be a high school/GED graduate who will enroll for the first time in an accredited college or university in the U.S. or Puerto Rico.
- Must demonstrate financial need.
- Must demonstrate academic potential and promise.

To complete an application or to get further information go to http://www.ca-core.org/que_llueva_cafe_scholarship_program Due February 28.

National Association of Women in Construction Scholarship: 2 awards of \$500 to a female student who is interested in the construction industry including engineering, drafting or architecture.
www.nawic.org/nawic/NFSF.asp Due February 28.

Washington State Elks Vocational Grant Scholarship: several awards of various amounts for seniors who enroll in a vo-tech or community college in pursuit of a certificate, diploma, or associate degree. State winners are eligible to compete for the elk's national foundation, vocational grant program: 321 awards of \$2000, renewable for a 2nd year, to students who enroll in a vocational-technical course at a 2 year college or technical school. Call 1-800-825-ELKS or go to <http://waelks.org/scholarships.htm> (Use Dorothy Yothers application) further information. Return forms early to Yakima Elks Lodge #318, 318 Golf Course Loop Road, Selah, WA 98948-1926, Call 509-697-6161 for local lodge help. Due February 28.

March

American Chemical Society Scholarship: 200 awards up to \$2500 for a minority high school senior student interested in the study of chemistry, biochemistry or chemical engineering. Must have at least a 3.0 GPA and be a U.S. citizen. Apply online at <http://www.acs.org/content/acs/en/funding-and-awards/scholarships/acsscholars/apply.html> Due March 1.

George Washington Foundation Scholarship: several awards up to \$500, renewable to a student based on need, personal qualities and being in up 20% of class. Can be used for books, tuition, fees, preferably at a community/technical college, but not limited to a community college so university bound students may also apply . Email gwfoundation@centurylink.net This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. or download the application <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms>. Due March 1.

Grange Insurance Scholarships: 28 awards up to \$2500 each. May be used in any community college, technical or business school, or college/university. Applicants must request their own forms from the scholarship committee, grange insurance Association. awards based on need, scholastic ability, participation in extracurricular activities, character references and completeness in filling out the application forms. <https://www.grange.com/Portals/0/Blog/GIA%20Scholarship%202014.pdf> Due March 1.

Knights of Columbus National Scholarships: Several awards of varying amounts. Eligible candidates must be accepted to a Catholic College/University. www.kofc.org/en/scholarships/index.html Due March 1.

National Society of Professional Engineers: 160 awards from \$500 to full tuition scholarships, renewable, to specific schools listed in the NSPE scholarship application. Students must be in upper 25% of class, have a 3.0 GPA, have SAT of 500v, 600m minimum, be interested in attending an ABET accredited school. www.nspe.org/Students/Scholarships/index.html#hs Due March 1.

Public School Employees of Washington Scholarships: 6 total awards with 3 awards \$2000, \$1500, & \$1000 for a vocational area and 3 awards \$2000, \$1500, & \$1000 for an academic area of study and 4 \$600 in association with Pemco. Student must be a dependent of a member of PSE WA. Contact the Local Zillah PSE Officers. or <http://pseclassified.org/scholarships/> Due March 1.

New Car and Truck Dealers American Dream Scholarship Program: Tell us in an essay, "What does the American Dream mean to you and how do you plan to fulfill yours?" Only high school seniors enrolled in a Washington State high school are eligible to enter. The awards include:

Two \$2,500 scholarships will be awarded – one each for an eastern Washington student and a western Washington student (no dealership affiliation required.)

One \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to an employee of a WSADA-member dealership, or an immediate family member of a WSADA-member dealership employee.

One \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to a Washington student enrolling in an Automotive Technology program in Washington State.

Apply at www.wsada.org/community_contributions/scholarships.htm. Due March 1.

Society of Exploration Geophysicists Scholarship (SEG): 63 awards at \$750 up to \$3000 per year, many are renewable. Student must be a high school senior with above average grades (3.0+ GPA) and plan to enter college to study the field of geophysics. ww.seg.org/web/foundation/programs/scholarship Due March 1.

State Farm Good Neighbor Scholarship: The State Farm Good Neighbor Scholarship does not require a high GPA, but rather focuses on students who are leaders and volunteers in their communities and demonstrate financial need. Up to fifty (50) selected recipients will receive a \$2,500 award. Awards may be renewed up to one additional year based on maintaining satisfactory academic performance and full-time enrollment. Applicants must meet the following criteria:

Be a 2015 graduating high school senior.

High school seniors must have a cumulative GPA between a 2.5 and 3.2 on a 4.0 scale.

Plan to enroll full-time for the 2015-16 academic year at an accredited 2- or 4-year college, university or vocational-technical school.

Must be a U.S. citizen

Only the first 700 applications received will be accepted.

<https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/statefarmgoodneighborscholarship>. Due March 2.

Washington State Opportunity Scholarship: These scholarships are \$1,000 per year which will be renewable for up to five years for entering college freshmen. The scholarship will help 3,000 low and middle-income Washington State residents earn first bachelor's degrees in science, technology, engineering, mathematics (STEM) and health care. A student must be a Washington State resident, have a 2.75 GPA or higher. Apply at <http://www.waopportunitiescholarship.org/scholarship/overview> Due March 2.

Washington Apple Education Foundation Scholarship: 133 awards given to a son/daughter of an apple grower, an employee of an apple grower or dependents of those employed in the apple industry. Scholarships for colleges, universities and vocational-technical colleges. Apply at <http://waef.org/scholarships> Due March 1.

Washington State 4-H scholarships All state 4-H scholarships are sent to the county extension office in Yakima . visit: <http://4h.wsu.edu/members/scholar.htm> for information and applications. Due March 1.

Washington State Scholarship Foundation: The Washington State Scholarship Foundation awarded \$66,000 in scholarship awards based on need to 37 graduates of Washington state public high schools, pursuing secondary education. Students may attend four-year universities and colleges, community colleges, vocational-technical schools, or any other accredited post-secondary institution. Questions info@washingtonscholarships.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Apply at www.washingtonscholarships.org/index.html This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Due March 1.

Washington State Retired Teachers' Association (WSSRA) Future Teacher Scholarships: WSSRA encourages outstanding seniors interested in the teaching profession to apply for their scholarships below:

The PEMCO Foundation, Inc.: 16 Robert J. Handy Scholarships granted in the amount of \$900 per year, renewable for a total of four years

The WSSR-Foundation grants: 8 scholarships in the amount of \$1,500 each for one year only. An additional two scholarships in the amount of \$1500 each, the Don and Myrtle Bunt Scholarship (awarded to a student in the SW Washington area) and the Neil D. Prescott Scholarship (awarded this year to a student in the Eastern Washington area).

The application is at www.wssra.org . Click on Forms & Files and then in the drop down menu click on Scholarship Application

http://wssra.org/scholarshipform/scholarship_memo.phphttp://wssra.org/scholarshipform/scholarship_memo.php A window will appear requesting a username (or login) which is student and a password which is wssra2015. Due March 1.

Women's Western Golf Foundation Scholarship: 15 awards of \$2000, renewable for a high school female having strong academics and involvement with the sport of golf. http://www.wwga.org/WWGA.org/Scholarship_Information.html Due March 1.

Zillah American Legion Scholarship: 2 Scholarships (1 for a ZHS Boy and 1 for a ZHS Girl) in the amount of \$400 to help Zillah High School Seniors with their future educational goals. Applications at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms>. Mail to Cmdr. Zillah American Legion, 320 Box Canyon Road, Goldendale, WA 98620. Due March 1.

Zonta Club of Yakima Valley Scholarship: Zonta Club of Yakima Valley begins accepting applications for the local Zonta scholarship, through the Young Women in Public Affairs program. This scholarship of \$2,000 is given to one outstanding senior girl from one of the Yakima Valley high schools each spring. The money may be applied to studies at any community college or four year college. Applications may be downloaded at <http://www.zontayakima.org/scholarship.html> Due March 1.

News Currents Student Editorial Cartoon Contest: Three divisions: grades K-6, 7-9 & 10-12. First, second and third place winners in each division receive US Savings Bonds. Website www.newscurrents.com/intro/edcartoons/carcon2.html Due March 5.

Washington State Governor's Scholarship for Foster Youth: A program to assist Washington youth in state or federally recognized foster, group, or kinship care to enroll in and complete college programs of

study in the state of Washington . All applicants must be current high school seniors who plan to graduate during this academic year. The Washington Education Foundation expects to select 25-30 new scholarship recipients. Scholarships are expected to range between \$1,000 and \$5,000 per year, and will vary depending upon each recipient's financial need. Scholarships can be renewed for up to four additional years. Apply at <http://collegesuccessfoundation.org/wa/students/governors-eligibility> Due March 9.

American Postal Workers Union, Hallbeck Memorial & Vocational Scholarships: 5 awards of \$1000, renewable, for a son/daughter of an APWU member <http://www.apwu.org/issues/scholarships>. Due March 16.

Yakima Sunrise Rotary Club Memorial Service Scholarships. The Sunrise Rotary Club of Yakima invites area senior students to apply for the Memorial Service Scholarship. Three scholarships ranging from \$1000-\$3000 will be awarded to students who have shown a commitment to community service. The ideal candidate has been actively involved in community service for four or more years and has exemplified good citizenship in their scholastic setting and has plans to further their education. Preference will be given to seniors who plan to attend an institution of higher learning within the State of Washington. Application Form is at http://www.zillahschools.org/ZHS/docs/scholarships/Rotary_Scholarship.pdf They must be mailed to the Sunrise Rotary Club Scholarship Program, 2803 River Road, Yakima, WA 98902. Due March 20.

"Leadership 1000 Scholarship" College Success Foundation : Approximately 40 scholarships generally \$5,000 a year for four years. Students must have financial need as determined by a filed FAFSA, whose financial need is not fully met by other scholarships and grants awarded through federal, state and other private programs, and who best meet the additional donor specifications. Apply at <http://www.collegesuccessfoundation.org/wa/students/leadership1000/eligibility>. Due March 9.

YVBOA/CWBO Basketball Officials Scholarship: The YVBOA and the CWBO are continuing to sponsor an annual Student Athlete Sportsmanship Scholarship \$250 for a male student athlete and \$250 for a female student athlete. The eligibility criteria are:

- A resident of Washington State
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0
- Participated in HS Varsity basketball for a WIAA school whose home games are officiated by either the YVBOA or CWBO

· Be nominated by his/her coach or Athletic Director with a letter of recommendation covering Sportsmanship, Leadership, GPA verification and identifying other relevant Co-Curricular and Leadership Activities. If you are interested, contact your coach as the coach must complete the letter of recommendation/nomination. Due March 9.

Arthur & Tiia Brown Family Foundation- \$5000 renewable. to promote educational opportunities and provide scholarships for students to obtain an education that adheres to a Christian worldview, for students residing in the states of Idaho, Washington, Oregon and Montana. Scholarships will be based on financial need and a minimum grade point average of 3.0. The student must also be able to convey their character, abilities and potential through the application process. Applicants will be selected on the basis of financial need, academic record, recommendations, and other conclusions the committee might draw from personal essays and interviews in regard to the applicant's character, motivation, ability and potential. The foundation will schedule interviews with the top candidates before making their final decision. Applications are found at http://thebrownfamilyfoundation.org/Application_Process.html (All applications must be received by March 15 for consideration.) Due March 10.

Kohl's Cares Scholarship Program: Students must be between the age of 6 and 18 as of March 15 and not yet a high school graduate. The student's volunteer actions should be described in detail on the nomination. Volunteer efforts must have occurred in the last year. Winners will be chosen based on the benefits and outcomes of their volunteer service. Nominators must be 21 or older. Local winners will each receive a \$50 Kohl's Gift Card. Regional winners will receive a \$1,000 scholarship for higher education. National winners will each receive a \$10,000 scholarship, plus Kohl's will donate \$1,000 to a nonprofit of the student's choice. To nomination a student go to <https://kohls.scholarshipamerica.org/directions.php> Due March 13.

Yakima Valley Community College Foundation Inc. Scholarships: The YVCC Foundation will award nearly 200 scholarships each year. Awards will be based on academic achievement, character, activities and leadership, potential for growth and development, need. One form will allow you to be considered for any and all scholarships that you qualify for. All students who plan to attend YVCC should apply at <http://www.yvcc.edu/resources/foundation/Pages/scholarship.aspx>. Due March 13.

American Foreign Service Association Essay Contest. An essay contest open to students in grades 9-12. \$2,500 to the writer of the winning essay, in addition to an all-expense paid trip to the nation's capital from anywhere in the U.S. for the winner and his or her parents. Go to http://www.afsa.org/essay_contest.aspx Due March 15.

ASCAP Foundation Scholarships: 15 awards of \$250-\$1500 to young music composers. Listings are at <http://www.ascapfoundation.org/programs/scholarships.aspx> Due March 15.

Eastern Washington University Scholarships: Seniors with Chicano/a Latino/a heritage, who plan on attending EWU next fall and are looking for scholarships to help pay for college are invited to apply for the Chicano Education Program Scholarships. Additional information and application forms may be viewed and downloaded from this website: www.ewu.edu/csbssw/programs/chicano-education/scholarships. Contact 509.359.2230. Due March 15.

Rita Lowe Math Scholarship: 1 to 2 awards of \$1000 for a high school senior who will attend college and major in mathematics education. www.wsmc.net/scholarship/ Due March 15.

Yakima Valley Dairy Women Scholarship: A \$500-\$1000 scholarship Open to an immediate family member of a household deriving its major income from dairying or dairy supported agribusiness or an individual pursuing a degree relating to the dairy industry who resides in the Yakima Valley, a legal resident of the state of Washington and have at least a 2.50 GPA. A second scholarship is open to those who have a mother or grandmother as a member of YVDW. Applications are available from Patricia Newhouse plnewhouse@hotmail.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it., Sue Wedam cowdrs@embarqmail.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. or Trish Hutchins thjersey@hotmail.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Due March 15.

Zillah Alumni Association Scholarships: Number and amount of scholarship awards vary up to \$750 to a Zillah high school senior to attend an accredited college, university, community college, or trade/technical school. Get applications in the Guidance Center or download at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> Due March 15.

Zillah Education Association Scholarship: 1 award of \$500 for a graduating senior at Zillah High School, to continue their education, based on academic record, school-community activities. Applications are available in the Guidance Center or download at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> Due March 15.

ITCNET Scholarships: Several awards of \$1000 and up for Native America/Alaskan student to pursue education in natural resources. Apply at www.itcnet.org/about_us/scholarships.html Due March 18.

\$1000 Teen Essay Contest: The "It's Always Something" Teen Writing Contest is an annual event sponsored by Gilda's Club Seattle. This essay writing contest is for any teen in grades 9 through 12, in Washington State, who has been touched by cancer either through a personal diagnosis or that of a family member or friend. We want to hear your story! Have you survived cancer? Have you watched as a family member dealt with cancer? What was it like to watch someone your age go through cancer?

Essays should be at least 500 words, but no more than 2000 words long. Please submit them on our website by clicking the link <http://www.gildasclubseattle.org/noogieland/WritingContest.php>. Finalist essays are read by a panel of celebrity judges. Prize winners will be chosen from the finalist group.

For more information call the Clubhouse at 206-709-1400 or email lizlange@gildaclubseattle.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Due March 20.

Federal Employee Education Association FEEA scholarships: awards of \$250-\$1000, renewable. Open to dependents of civilian federal and postal employees with at least 3 years of service, must have a 3.0+ GPA. www.feea.org/index.php?Itemid=46 Due March 20.

SCAC Principal's Association Scholarship: Awards from \$500-\$1000 for students to continue their study beyond high school. Students must be a senior currently enrolled and in good standing at a member high school from the South Central Athletic Conference (SCAC) of Washington State. ZHS Seniors may download an application at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> Due to the principal by March 25.

Washington Cattle Feeders Association Scholarship: a \$1000 award to a student planning to study beef cattle production at WSU. http://www.wafeeders.org/page.php?page_id=972 Due March 25.

Lower Valley Soroptimist International Club Scholarship: local awards of \$1250, and 1 national award of \$2000, for female students demonstrating outstanding leadership, community service, dependability, and a clear sense of purpose. Go to <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> for information. Due March 27.

Washington School Personnel Association Student Scholarship Program: 5 awards of \$500 per year, renewable for 4 years for a total award of \$2000 for a high school senior who is planning to study for a career in education. <http://www.wcrepa.net/application-for-scholarship.html> Due March 27.

Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War Scholarship: Scholarship award to descendents of Union veterans of the civil war. Students must be interested in the study of history and can verify ancestry to the union veteran. www.suvcw.org/scholar.htm Due March 31.

CALCOE Federal Credit Union Scholarship: 1 scholarship of \$1000 for a high school student who lives in Yakima County with at least a 2.0 GPA and is a member of CALCOE Federal Credit Union. Contact 800.822.2370 or 509.248.4308 for an application. <http://calcoefcu.com>. Due March 31.

George and Dorothy Marsden Scholarship Fund: Helps academically promising students from eastern Washington who demonstrate promise of academic excellence to maximize their potential at the world's best colleges and universities which might otherwise be too costly. Up to two Marsden Scholars are named each spring from academically promising high school seniors. Scholarships may be renewed upon satisfactory progress toward a degree and special scholarships may also be awarded. While the amount is not fixed awards were \$5,000 each.

ELIGIBILITY-To be eligible for consideration an applicant must:

- Have a permanent legal residence East of the Cascades of Washington State
- Have been accepted to a college or university for full-time pursuit of a bachelor's or higher degree
- Have completed the application process through Adobe Forms Central

CONSIDERATIONS-Applications are evaluated in their totality, considering:

- Promise of academic excellence, from grades, test scores and/or other factors
- Potential for success and leadership as evidenced by involvement in school, extracurricular and community activities and work/volunteer experience and
- Potential impact of the scholarship on applicant's realization of academic goals

For Further information and applications forms go to <http://stjohns-cathedral.org/marsden-scholarship> Due March 31.

Jorden Dodeward Memorial Scholarship: Awards from \$500-\$1000 for students who have had some golf experience as stated on the application are eligible to apply (Jr. Golf programs at local course, WJGA, PNW, Jr. Golf, AAU-Golf or high school golf teams qualify) will be given to students from within Yakima County. For further information contact: Rene Dodeward, PO Box 507, Selah, WA 98942, jordendodeward@fairpoint.net This email address is being protected from spambots. You need

JavaScript enabled to view it. or check out the Jordan Dodeward Foundation Facebook page www.facebook.com/photo.php?pid=3397957&fbid=249993049817&id=137932444817. Due March 30.

ESA Scholarship for Children of Law Enforcement & Fire Service Personnel: Awards from \$1000 to \$10,000. Eligible seniors will need to be a son/daughter of a full time paid Washington State member of the police or sheriffs department or a fire department. Applications will also be accepted from seniors who parents are members of a volunteer fire department in Washington State. Awards based on GPA, ACT/SAT Scores, an Essay, and resume of academics, activities, community service and awards. Contact is howard@waesa.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Download an application at www.waesa.org/scholarships.html Due March 31.

Washington State Association for Justice: WSAJ sponsors two scholarship programs for high school seniors in Washington state. The American Justice Essay Scholarship, established in 2000, is a statewide student essay scholarship program. Each year a new essay topic is chosen, based on WSAJ's mission statement ideals and dealing with advocacy in the American justice system, and related issues. Scholarship recipients are chosen based on excellence in writing and eloquence in addressing the essay topic. The Washington State Trial Lawyers Presidents' Scholarship, was established to support and encourage the efforts of high school students who have overcome obstacles to achieve academically and socially. If you have questions about either scholarship program or wish an application, please contact WSAJ. <https://www.washingtonjustice.org/index.cfm?pg=scholarship> Due March 31.

Alfred G. and Elma M. Milotte Scholarship: Awards of up to \$4000. Description: Be profoundly fascinated by nature, have been a careful observer of it and have successfully expressed your observations in a way that engages the everyday person. Have achieved a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher. Have been a resident of Washington State for at least 5 years prior to applying. www.milotte.org. Due March 31.

Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund: three to five scholarships for \$2500. Students must have a 3.0 GPA or higher and have a family AGI of less than \$100,000 and be a US Citizen. For further information or to get an application go to: <http://scholarshipmentor.com/janice-m-scott-memorial-scholarship> Due March 31.

The Sleeklens Academic Scholarship Program: Three winners will each receive \$2000 to will cover their academic expenses for the coming academic year. To qualify for the scholarship, you must be a High School senior with a legitimate acceptance letter from an accredited University or College. Write an

essay following the instructions provided at <http://sleeklens.com/the-sleeklens-academic-scholarship> and send it to scholarships@sleeklens.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. and complete the application form. Due March 31.

April

BIA (Bureau of Indian Affairs) Scholarship for Indian Education: Several awards of various amounts for a student of at least one quarter Indian heritage to continue their education. www.finaid.org/otheraid/natamind.phtml Due April 1.

Central Washington Catholic Foundation (CWCF) Scholarships: The CWCF awards scholarships to assist students in Benton, Chelan, Douglas, Grant, Kittitas, Klickitat, and Yakima counties. Presently, a winning recipient could expect to be awarded \$100.00 to \$1,500.00. Completed application form and all accompanying documentation must be mailed directly to the CWCF. Download an application. <http://www.cwatholicfoundation.org/grantProposal.html> Due April 1.

CHS Scholarship Program: Open to graduating high school seniors pursuing a degree in an agricultural-related field at any college or university throughout the United States and Canada are invited to apply for one of 100 \$1,000 scholarships. Students pursuing a STEM (science, technology, engineering, math) field of study with an interest in agriculture will be considered. Apply at <http://www.chsinc.com/~media/chs%20inc/files/pdfs/stewardship/2015-2016%20chs%20fdtn%20scholarship%20guidelines.ashx> Due April 1.

H.W. Ehlert Family Scholarship: 1 award of \$300 for a high school graduate from a subordinate grange family of the Sunnyside Pomona district. Parents must be members of a grange and members of the district. Students must already be accepted for admission to a college of their choice Contact your grange masters for applications. Due April 1.

The KFC Foundation's REACH Educational Grant Program helps KFC restaurant hourly Team Members and Shift Supervisors pursue their educational dreams. These \$2,000 grants help Team Member recipients attend accredited four-year and two-year educational institutions, as well as trade/vocational schools. Winners are selected via a competitive application process and may reapply each year. We will

begin accepting applications for the 2014 REACH Educational Grant on March 15, 2014. To get an application go to <http://www.kfc.com/foundation/> Due April 1.

Ray Merk Memorial Scholarship: This scholarship was designed to recognize and reward a senior at Zillah High School who shows a true love for school and community and a desire to obtain further education. The amount of the scholarship will be at least \$500. Candidate must: Be a graduating senior from Zillah High School preferably K-12, Be accepted for admission at a university, college or community college preferably Central Washington University, Has participated in school activities including sports, Has exemplified positive citizenship, service to both school and community, Have a specific personal and educational goal for the future. Download and complete application form at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> Due April 1.

Mabuhay Foundation Scholarship Program: Students of Filipino heritage who are graduating from a Yakima Valley High School are invited to apply for this special scholarship award. The number and amount of scholarship awards is determined annually. Application forms may be obtained in the ZHS Guidance Center. Call Dori Baker at 509.945.0891 or email mabuhayfdn@charter.net This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. to get further information. Due April 1.

Parker Heights Grange scholarship: 2 awards of \$300 for a high school graduate from a subordinate grange family of the Sunnyside Pomona District. Parents must be members of a grange and members of the district. Students must already be accepted for admission to a college of their choice. Contact your Grange Master for applications. Due April 1.

Sea Mar Farm Worker Scholarship: Sea Mar is awarding \$1,000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors and undergraduate students of migrant or seasonal farm worker families. Students interested in attending a university, community college, or technical schools are eligible to apply. Scholarship funds can be used for college-related expenses such as tuition, books, housing, food, etc. To apply, visit our webpage at: www.seamar.org/static_pages/farmworkersstudents.php

What We Mean By Migrant/Seasonal Farm Worker Families: A migrant farm worker is an individual who travels to different communities for the purpose of principal employment in agriculture and/or dairy labor in the United States. A seasonal farm worker is an individual whose principal employment is agriculture and/or dairy labor and who resides all year in one community in the United States. For more information Email: scholarships@seamarchc.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. or Phone: 206-965-1057 Application is due April 1.

Signet Classic Scholarship Essay Contest: 5 awards of \$1000 open to juniors or seniors in high school. See web page for annual contest rules update. Students write an essay and must be nominated by their English teacher. <http://us.penguingroup.com/static/pages/services-academic/essayhome.html> . Due April 1.

Washington Association of Pupil Transportation scholarship: awards of \$500 to any graduating senior whose parent or guardian is a member of WAPT. www.wapt4u.org/wapt-events-scholarships Due April 1.

Washington State Grange Scholarships: a family member must be a grange member in good standing for WSGA. Various scholarships available. Go to <http://www.wa-grange.com/Scholarships.aspx> All Washington State Grange scholarships Due April 1.

WIAA Smart Choices Scholarship Program: The Dairy Farmers of Washington and Les Schwab Tires in conjunction with the WIAA proudly present the Smart Choices Scholarship Program. This annual program recognizes one male and one female graduating senior from among the WIAA member high schools for excellence in athletics/activities, academics, leadership and community service throughout his and her high school career. Smart Choices winners receive a \$1,000 to \$5,000 scholarship toward the institution of his and her choosing. Online applications at <http://www.wiaa.com/subcontent.aspx?SecID=959> Due April 1.

Washington State Holocaust Education Resource Center Creative Writing Contest: awards up to \$300. Open to any student 9-12. Student writes an essay of 2000 words or less relating to the holocaust. www.wsherc.org/writingcontest/contest.aspx Due April 3.

Sunnyside Community Hospital Auxiliary Health Career Scholarships: The award range will be from \$1000-\$2000. The SCHA is interested in supporting people who will return to Sunnyside and support our hospital and community by working here. Some of the stipulations in receiving the scholarship include:

Recipients of the scholarships will be encouraged to apply for open positions at Sunnyside Community Hospital in their field upon completion of their schooling.

Recipients will be asked to volunteer a few hours at designated SCHA fundraisers throughout the academic year.

Students wishing to attend schooling through the mail or via the Internet will not be awarded a scholarship. The recipient must physically attend an accredited community college or university.

A completed application form,

letter to the Auxiliary as specified,

two recent letters of recommendation,

transcripts of high school and/or college grades and a

personal photo must be submitted to Luann Roach, Scholarship Chairperson

Applications can now be downloaded from the hospital website at <http://sunnysidehospital.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/04/SCH-Auxiliary-Applicant-2015.pdf>

Mail all items to SCH Auxiliary Scholarship, PO 719, Sunnyside, WA. 98944. If you have any questions please call (509) 837-1528 or email rlroach@embarqmail.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Due April 8.

Gloria Barron Prize for Young Heroes: is awarded annually to ten US and Canadian students, aged 8-18, who have developed an extraordinary service project that helped people and the planet. Half of the winners are focused on helping their communities and people, and half are focused on protecting the environment. Winners receive up to \$5000 scholarship. Website: <http://barronprize.org/how-nominate> . Due April 15.

Nancy Duree Natural Resource Scholarship: The \$1500 scholarship is awarded to a student pursuing higher education in natural resources (i.e. fisheries, forestry, wildlife, botany, geology, soil sciences, watershed sciences, ecology, and environmental education/recreation). Applicants must attend high school in one of the following Washington State counties to compete for the scholarship: Chelan County, Douglas County, Grant County, Kittitas County, Okanogan County or Yakima County. Students must have attained a minimum accumulative grade point average of 2.5 and been accepted to an accredited two-year or four-year college Or university by the time the scholarship is awarded. Apply at www.salmonfest.org/nancy-duree. Due April 15.

Gloria & Joseph Mattera National Scholarship Fund for Migrant Children: Several awards of various amounts to help children of migratory farm workers the opportunity to attend college. Website: <http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/mattera.htm> Due April 15.

Seattle Mariners Women's Club Bev & Wes Stock scholarship : 1 award of \$1000 to a graduating senior who is an outstanding athlete planning to pursue an athletic related career. <http://smwclub.wix.com/smwclub#!scholarship/c1jxp> . Due April 15.

Washington State Coaches Association Burnett-Ennis Scholarship: Number and amounts vary depending on number of applicants and size of fund. This scholarship is open to any graduating senior who's mother or father is a member of the Washington State Coaches Association (WSCA). It can be used for any area of study. www.washcoach.org/pdf.php Due April 15.

Yakima Federal Savings Scholarships: 10 awards of \$550 to students with a 3.5 or better GPA. Each high school may select one male and one female candidate. Download an application online at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms>. The local committee will then forward to YFSL before May 1 Do not send to Yakima Federal yourself as without the school endorsement it will be rejected. Due to Mr. Torres April 15.

Merit Resources Howard Kelleher Memorial Scholarship: Two (2) \$1,000 scholarships to Yakima Valley high school seniors that are planning to attend college or trade school after high school. The application, and cover letter may be downloaded at www.meritresources.org/howard_kelleher_memorial_.html . Scholarship winners will be selected by a panel of judges who will grade applicant essays on the subject "How big of a problem is alcohol and drugs in your school and what can students do if they have a problem with alcohol and drugs?" Due April 18.

Zillah Chamber of Commerce Business Scholarship: The award will be not less than \$500. This scholarship program is designed to recognize and reward students at Zillah High School who exemplify good citizenship as shown by: academic scholarship, service to the community, a strong desire to obtain further education and to pursue education in the business realm. Download applications at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms>. Due April 20.

Buena Grange Scholarship: 2 scholarships of \$500, applicants must be a graduating senior, have parents or guardians who are members of the Buena Grange in good standing, and must have academic standing strong enough to be admitted to the college of their choice. Contact your Grange Masters for applications. Due April 25.

Yakima Valley Human Rights Scholarship: Scholarships are granted to Yakima area high school graduates or persons who have passed the GED. Emphasis is given to persons of ethnic minority who exhibit promise in scholarship, leadership, service to school and community and who demonstrate an economic need. Scholarships are granted as a voucher for books-supplies-fees. In the past the amount has ranged from \$500 to \$1200 per recipient. Applicants must plan to attend an accredited college, university, or technical/specialty school. Contact este.sega1stww@yahoo.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. for information or applications. Due April 25.

Ayn Rand institute "Fountainhead" Essay Contest: 235 scholarships up to \$10,000. Students in grades 11 & 12 write an essay regarding the novel "Fountainhead". Information is at <http://essaycontest.aynrandnovels.org/TheFountainhead.aspx?theme=blue> Due April 26.

Paul R. Wineman Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity Freshman Scholarship: It is again our pleasure to present the annual Paul R. Wineman Scholarship. The money for this scholarship is interest income generated by donors from the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity chapter at the University of Washington in Seattle. The total scholarship fund for this year is at least \$3000. One award of \$1000.00 and at least four awards of \$500 will be given. The scholarships are available to any male student who will be attending the University of Washington beginning in the fall of 2014. Although it is being presented by Phi Kappa Psi, membership or a commitment of membership in Phi Kappa Psi is not a requirement to win a scholarship. All young men who will be attending the U of W this fall are strongly encouraged to apply. To receive an application email uwphipsipresident@gmail.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it.. Due April 28.

Alpha Gamma Rho (AGR) Scholarships- 6 awards of \$100.00 each for any senior interested in attending WSU for study in any area of agriculture or home economics. Three awards to FFA members and three awards to 4-H members. <http://alphagammarho.org/undergraduate-scholarships> . Due April 30.

Filipino American Community of the Yakima Valley Scholarship: Scholarships of \$500 each awarded to seniors of Filipino heritage. Applications may be found in the ZHS Guidance Center or you may call 509.840.2266 or 509.969.8295 for further information. Due April 30.

May

National/Welch's Fred Killian Memorial Scholarship: A \$1,000 opportunity with the scholarship criteria: parent or guardian is a member of the National Grape Cooperative or an employee of Welch's; minimum GPA of 2.5; active in community leadership; and seeking further education in an accredited educational program in the United States. Applications <https://www.cnycf.org/kilian#.VQxx1Wd0zGg> or call 509.663.7716 for further information. Due May 1.

Yakama Tribal Scholarships: For enrolled members of the Yakama Tribe who are interested in pursuing a two year transfer degree or higher. Applications on our website www.yakamanation-nsn.gov click on Tribal programs and scroll down to Higher Education. Website <http://www.yakamanation-nsn.gov/programs.php> Contact: linnea@Yakama.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. (509) 865-5121, Ext. 4542. Due May 1.

Yakima Valley Construction Federation Memorial scholarship: Award of \$1000 (renewable for up to 4 years) to a deserving high school graduate who is preparing for work in construction or a related field. Download a form at www.yakimaplancenter.com or email jacki@yakimaplancenter.com This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Due May 1.

Washington PTA (Congress of Parent-Teacher Association), financial grant program: 55 awards of \$1000 for persons interested in a four year school and \$500 for persons interested in attending a community college or technical school. The applicants will be selected on the basis of need, academic achievement, and goals and must meet entrance standards for the school of their choice. Further information and applications can be found at the website <http://www.wastatepta.org/programs/scholarship> or 1-800-562-3804. Due May 1.

ZHS Scholar-Athlete Scholarship sponsored by Coca-Cola Bottlers of Yakima: a \$500 award to a Zillah high school senior who has demonstrated athletic ability and maintained good grades and citizenship. The award is selected by ZHS coaching staff and/or Athletic Director. Application forms are available from the Athletic Director or Guidance Center or download at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms>. Due May 1.

Heritage University Dream Scholarship: Heritage University is committed to supporting outstanding students who are not eligible to receive federal financial aid (FAFSA). This scholarship will provide:

100% of tuition for up to two semesters of full-time enrollment for the 2015-2016 academic year (award covers one academic year only)

Students may re-apply for this scholarship on a yearly basis

Awards may be adjusted for Washington State Need Grant recipients

Scholarship does not cover additional fees including books, supplies and living expenses.

Applications may be found at

http://www.zillahschools.org/ZHS/docs/scholarships/Heritage_University_Dream_Scholarship.pdf and are due May 2.

David Q. Hernandez Memorial Scholarship - \$500. For two well-qualified high school seniors expecting to attend a four year college/university or community college in the state of Washington who embody Unity, Honesty, Integrity, and Leadership. Apply at <http://dqhmemorial.org/scholarship/> Due May 3.

Toppenish/Zillah Rotary Scholarship: This year the Toppenish/Zillah Rotary Club will provide several seniors with a \$500.00 scholarship. Students are to submit to Toppenish/Zillah Rotary:

a resume

transcript

and an essay/letter explaining their plans for college, why they feel they should receive this scholarship, and what contribution they have made to the community of Toppenish and/or Zillah and its citizens.

Please submit your application to: Toppenish/Zillah Rotary Scholarship Committee, P. O. Box 621, Toppenish, WA 98948. All nominations must be to Rotary no later than May 3.

The Hard Core Runners Club of the Greater Yakima Area Scholarship: Will be awarding two \$750 scholarships to one male and one female runner from the greater Yakima area. The money may be used for reimbursement of tuition or books. Below are the eligibility requirements, read and carefully follow directions: Applicants must have a home address in either Yakima, Kittitas or Klickitat counties, must be planning to attend an accredited college or university and compete and complete the season on the cross country and/or as a distance runner (800 meters or greater) on the track & field team. Applications may be found at <http://164.116.108.1/zhs/index.php/guidance-center/financial-aid-scholarships/senior-scholarship-forms> Due May 4.

Sub Pop Records Scholarship: \$13,000 of awards for three scholarship winners who are seniors in Washington to attend college to study art or music. Go to <https://www.subpop.com/scholarship> for an application outline. Due May 8.

Delta Tau Delta, Gamma Mu Chapter of University of Washington Achievement Scholarship: Awards of \$200-\$500 for a male student entering as a freshman to the University of Washington, must have a 3.75 GPA or higher. <http://www.uwdelts.com/>. Due May 10.

International Quill & Scroll Student Journalist Scholarships: For students active in journalism studies or wish to pursue journalism studies in college. <http://quillandscroll.org/scholarships> Due May 10.

Marinna Fraternity Balanced Man Scholarship-EWU chapter: 3 awards from \$500 for a male applicant who will be attending the Eastern Washington University. <http://www.sigep.org/about/what-we-do/scholarship.html>. Due May 10.

Parker Youth & Sports Foundation- Joe Donahue Memorial Scholarship: A scholarship of approximately \$2400 in honor of Joe Donahue, a charter director of the Foundation, and a director and an officer of the original Parker Youth Foundation. The scholarship recognizes Joe's long service to youth sports in Yakima, and especially to Yakima Valley Community College sports programs. The scholarship is a combination tuition/work grant for a Yakima Valley Community College student planning for an academic degree and/or professional career in an area of health and physical education, athletics, or recreation leadership. For an application go to www.parkeryouthfoundation.com/joedonahuescholarship.html Due May 15.

Society of Women Engineers Scholarships: For a woman entering her Freshman year in college for engineering studies: <https://scholarships.swe.org/applications/login.asp> Due May 15.

US Bank Scholarships: 25 scholarships of \$1000 each, which are awarded to students based on academic merit and school involvement to continue their education at an accredited college (2 or 4 year program) Apply at

<https://www.usbank.com/community/financial-education/scholarship.html> Due May 20.

Central Washington Home Builders Association (CWHBA) Scholarship: two awards of \$500 will be awarded to students graduating from a Yakima, Kittitas or Klickitat county high school. Awards made based on need, desire to complete an education. The career goal of the applicant must be construction related. www.cwhba.org/members/scholarships.html Due May 20.

National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation offers scholarships for students pursuing an education in restaurant or foodservice-related studies. To see if you are eligible for an NRAEF Scholarship, visit www.nraef.org/scholarships or call 800.765.2122 ext. 6738. Due May 27.

Yakima Public Service Recognition Scholarship: Open to any graduating senior from the Yakima Valley. A \$1000 scholarship for a student wishing to go into some form of public service career. Applications are available by calling 509.454.3709 or <http://www.zillahschools.org/ZHS/docs/scholarships/Yakima-Public-Service-Scholarship.pdf> Due May 29.

June

Greater Yakima Girls Softball Association Scholarship-This year GYGSA will be offering 4 Scholarships

\$500.00 Brenda Reifel Memorial Scholarship

\$500.00 Bob Tormaschy Memorial Scholarship

\$500.00 GYGSA General Scholarship

\$500.00 Al Reyer Memorial

CRITERIA: The recipient must have played softball in the Greater Yakima Girls Softball Association for at least 2 years; must be a high school senior with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; the scholarship must be used to further the recipient's formal education at a 2 or 4 year college, or accredited Vocational / Technical School; must include two letters of recommendation and a high school transcript. The applicant needs to fill out one application and they will be considered for all 4 Scholarships. Only one scholarship will be awarded to an applicant. You can download a form at <http://www.eteamz.com/gygsa/news/index.cfm?cat=309082> . If you have any questions concerning these scholarships, Please contact: Carol Finney 509.966.4892 cfinney@gygsa.org This email address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Due June 1.

Sigma Nu Fraternity scholarship: 3 awards of up to \$1000 for a male student entering the University of Washington. The scholarship is intended to promote the advancement of leadership, community involvement balance with academic excellence. <http://students.washington.edu/sigmanu/scholarship.htm>. Due June 1.

Washington Wine Industry Foundation Offers Scholarships: The scholarships available this year include:

Horse Heaven Hills Wine Growers Scholarship Two scholarships of \$1,500 to students who are residents of Benton, Yakima or Klickitat counties. The scholarship was created by industry members dedicated to promoting education of grape growing and wine production.

Walter J. Clore Scholarship Established in 1997 by the Washington Association of Wine Grape Growers, scholarships range from \$500 to \$2,000 in honor of Dr. Clore's grape research and lifetime achievements in viticulture and enology.

The Foundation Scholarship The Foundation Scholarship Fund was established last year as an endowed fund by the Board of Directors along with the families and friends of Charles Lill, Michael Manz, Glenn Coogan, and John Farmer. Number of awards is determined annually with this year offering five \$3,000 scholarships

All applications are available online: www.washingtonwinefoundation.org/scholarships_6 Due June 1.

July

Washington State Farm Bureau scholarship: 3 awards of \$800. Candidate must be a son or daughter of a Farm Bureau member. Must enroll in a field of agriculture or a related area. www.wsfb.com/programs/scholarships Due July 10.