

The Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania is coordinating a scholarship program made possible by the generosity of the Volunteer Firemen's Insurance Services, Inc., of York PA.

The objective of the scholarship program is to assist individuals desiring to further their academic education through college level courses in the Fire Sciences or related academic programs. Two annual scholarships will be offered in each of the six sections of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as prescribed by the State Association, as follows:

One \$1,000.00 scholarship toward a Bachelor Degree

One \$500.00 scholarship toward an Associate Degree

If applications are not received from the respective sections as mentioned above, the unawarded scholarship will be awarded at the discretion of the committee.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE

Any person who is an active member of the state, county, municipal, community, industrial or federal fire department, located within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and who has demonstrated proficiency as a member or children of deceased firefighters that were a member of the Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania.

A person need not be a member of the State Association to submit an application.

HOW TO APPLY

Application may be obtained by contacting an Association Officer, a member of the scholarship committee, or by writing to the address shown below.

Applicants must complete all sections of the application and attach a statement of approximately 250 words why they are applying for financial assistance, why they believe this course will be useful to them, and their goals and objective.

In evaluating the applications, preference will be given to those demonstrating need, desire and initiative. Credits previously attained in college should be listed and a transcript furnished if possible. Each applicant may be subject to a personal interview by a member of the Scholarship Committee.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Mail application and supporting information to:

Scholarship Competition
Larry J. Baughman Chairman
484 Allegheny Avenue, Suite 2D
Franklin, PA 16323

Applications must be postmarked by the first of June. Applications postmarked after the first of June will not be considered.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Applicants will be notified of their success by mail and the names of all successful applicants will be officially announced at the Annual Convention of the Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania.

PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP

Payment will be divided equally between the two semesters. To receive reimbursements, the following documents must be submitted to the Scholarship Committee:

1. Evidence of Satisfactory Completion of Semester including copy of final grade.
2. Paid tuition bill from the college.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Chair Larry J. Baughman, 810 Fern Avenue, Franklin, PA 16323 imljb@verizon.net
Co-chair Richard Blestine, 535 N. 9th St., Lebanon, PA 17046
Co-chair Dr. William Jenaway, 102 Hunter Run Rd., King of Prussia, PA 19406
Co-chair Ron Hereda, P.O. Box 4081, New Kensington, PA 15068
Andy Emrick, 414 Jordan Ave., Montoursville, PA, 17754
Henry Mink, 925 Walnut St., Springdale, PA, 15144
Guido Chierchi, 229 Emerson St., Vandergrift, PA 15690

_____ Associate Degree

_____ Bachelor Degree

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Date of Birth _____

Type of _____

Department: Paid _____

Volunteer _____

Other _____

Name of _____

Department: _____

Address _____

**INSTITUTION AND COURSE
INFORMATION**

Name of
Institution _____

Address _____

Course Title and Number: _____

Course Dates _____ to _____

Academic Credit Granted _____

Tuition Cost _____

Description of course(from institution
catalogue and attach copy of curriculum)

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following information is needed to assist
the Committee in ascertaining needs.

Immediate family's annual income bracket?

Under \$20,000 _____

\$20,000 to \$30,000 _____

\$40,000 or more _____

Parents:

Father _____ Living _____ Deceased

Mother _____ Living _____ Deceased

Number of immediate family members
attending college? _____

In applying for consideration I am aware that
any grant will be applied against my tuition. In
the event my course does not cost the full
amount of the grant, I am eligible only for the
amount of the tuition and I have no claim
against the Association, the donor or the
college for the remainder.

I declare that all statements herein are complete
and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____

Date _____



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