



# EHS SCHOLARSHIP LISTING – March 2010

Each month you will be receiving a list of scholarship opportunities. Please look over the list and visit the noted web sites. If there are scholarships you're interested in, please see your guidance counselor for assistance and clarification or go to the listed websites.

## GENERAL / AGENCY SCHOLARSHIPS

**Abbott & Fenner Business Consultants** - \$1000 scholarship awarded based on essay regarding the impact of the recession on families. Essay and applications are due by June 19, 2010. Essay details and application can be found at <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>.

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Omega Chapter** – Applicants must be a student of color graduating from a Madison area high school with an unweighted 3.00+ grade point average. Please see your counselor for an application. Materials must be submitted by April 1, 2010.

**American Cancer Society** – 40-50 \$1000 awards are available. Applicants must have been diagnosed with cancer before the age of 21 and have been accepted to attend an accredited two or four year university, college or vocational/technical school. Application materials including physician verification forms must be submitted by March 15, 2010. See your counselor for information or apply online at <http://www.cancer.org/mwyouthscholarship>.

**American Legion High School Oratorical Scholarship Program** – The American Legion provides a wealth of scholarship opportunities. Visit [www.needalift.org](http://www.needalift.org) to see the entire 2009-2010 online listing which includes 100+ scholarships.

**American Legion Auxiliary Scholarships** – 7 specific scholarships varying in amounts from \$1000 - \$1200. Applicants must be a daughter, son, step-daughter or step-son (or grandson/daughter/step) of a Wisconsin auxiliary member. Students must be in need of financial assistance, have a 3.5 GPA and be a resident of Wisconsin. Applications are available in Student Services or online at [www.amlegionauxwi.org](http://www.amlegionauxwi.org), and must *be submitted by March 15, 2010*. Students can also contact Elizabeth Staff at [raykline@centurytel.net](mailto:raykline@centurytel.net) or by phone at 608-781-6888.

**Ayn Rand “The Fountainhead” Essay Contest** – Total prize money of \$81,000 available to 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. Applicants must compose an 800-1600 word essay from a choice of three options regarding the book *The Fountainhead*. Essays *must be submitted by April 26, 2010*. Complete rules and guidelines can be found at [www.aynrandeducation.com](http://www.aynrandeducation.com).

**Balfour & Taylor Scholarships** - Semifinalists from applications are selected in October, January, March, and May of each year. All students who are legal residents of the U.S. and have taken the SAT or ACT examination may compete. Winners will be notified by mail in August 2010.

**Big Sun Athletics** - \$500 scholarship available to applicants who are student athletes. *Essay must be submitted by June 24, 2010*. Details and essay question can be found at [www.bigsunathletics.com](http://www.bigsunathletics.com)

**Body by Milk Student Athlete Scholarship** - \$7500 in awards will be given to students who demonstrate academic excellence, athletic excellence, leadership and community service. Materials are only available online at [www.bodybymilk.com](http://www.bodybymilk.com) and must be submitted by March 5, 2010.

**Business Forum** – Awards ranging from \$500-\$5000 available to female students from Dane County who are planning to attend a Wisconsin college. Applicants must have a strong academic record, community service involvement, extracurricular interests and financial need. Applications are available in Student Services or can be requested by emailing [tbf@reesgroupinc.com](mailto:tbf@reesgroupinc.com) or calling 443-2486.

**Carrie Crystal Stuckert Memorial Art Scholarship** – \$500 scholarship available to students who will be enrolled as Art Majors. Applicants must have strong extra-curricular accomplishments and inspirational goals. Application materials can be found in Student Services or online at [www.dreampoolfoundation.org](http://www.dreampoolfoundation.org) and must be submitted by April 26, 2010.

**Catholic Knights Scholarships** - \$1000 scholarship for students who along with their parents or grandparents are financial members of the Catholic Knights. Students must also have performed a minimum of ten service hours with a pre-approved organization.

**Charter Student Scholarship Program**- Up to \$10,000 awarded. Applicants must have a 3.0+ GPA, have a strong history of service, and plan to major in a business, computer, engineering or technology related field. The application form, essay and two letters of recommendation *must be submitted by March 31, 2010*. Please see your counselor for more information and application form.

**Co-op Scholarships** – They award 200 merit scholarships of \$6,000 each. Applicants must be admitted to one of 10 co-op partnership schools and have a 3.5 GPA or better. The list of schools and online application can be found at [www.co-op.edu/scholarships.htm](http://www.co-op.edu/scholarships.htm)

**Holocaust Remembrance Essay** – Awards range from \$250-\$5000 in recognition of an essay written regarding the importance of remembering the Holocaust and steps young people today can take to reduce hatred and violence. Applications are due by April 2, 2010 and details can be found at <http://holocaust.hklaw.com/>.

**Italian-American Women's Club** – Two \$1000 awards will be awarded. Male and female applicants, planning to enroll in a program at a technical school, college or university who have an interest in Italian culture may apply. Please note, students do NOT need to be Italian to apply. Application and essay must be submitted by April 15, 2010. Please see your counselor for an application.

**Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship** – Awards up to \$7000/per year. Applicants must be students of color with strong leadership skills, dedication to community service and can demonstrate financial need. Application details can be found at [www.jackierobinson.org](http://www.jackierobinson.org) and materials must be received by March 15, 2010.

**John Lyle Memorial Scholarship** – Awards available to students interested in agriculture or home economic related fields who have a history of academic and community service accomplishments. Complete application packet must be received by April 1, 2010 and can be downloaded at <http://dane.uwex.edu>

**Kohl's Kids Who Care Service Scholarship** – Local, Regional and National awards are available to students ages 13-18 who have demonstrated exceptional service to their communities. Applications are found online at [www.kohlskids.com](http://www.kohlskids.com) and must be submitted by March 15, 2010.

**PFLAG** – (3) \$5,000, (3) \$2,500 and (10) \$1,000 scholarships are available to LBGT students and allies. Applicants must be attending an accredited higher education institution. Application materials and essay must be postmarked by March 15, 2010, and can be downloaded at <http://www.pflag.org/scholarships> . Locally questions can be directed to [pflagmadison@yahoo.com](mailto:pflagmadison@yahoo.com)

**Pro-Life Wisconsin Sharon Schumer Memorial Scholarship** – two \$1,000 scholarships to students who are active in their pro-life convictions and are willing to commit to pro-life leadership on their future college campus. Application materials, essays and letters of recommendation must be submitted by April 15, 2010. Applications are available in Students Services or online at [www.prolifewisconsin.org](http://www.prolifewisconsin.org).

**SFM Foundation Scholarship** – Offers scholarships to students whose parent was injured or killed while on their job. Applicants must be attending a two or four year college, university or technical school. Applications can be found online at [www.sfmic.com/foundation](http://www.sfmic.com/foundation). Additional information can be answered by calling the Zorn Foundation at 952-838-4323.

**US Bank Internet Scholarship Program** – Apply at [www.usbank.com/studentloans](http://www.usbank.com/studentloans) . Forty separate \$1,000 scholarships are awarded randomly to seniors who complete the online application. Entries will be accepted through March 2010.

**VFW Scholarships** - \$500 local scholarship to \$30,000 national scholarships are available through the "Voice of Democracy" and "Scout of the Year" contests. Details & applications can be found at [www.vfw.org](http://www.vfw.org) .

**Wisconsin American Legion** – See the file in Student Services regarding the many VFW scholarships available to students in government, speech, youth leadership and more. Details and applications for the "Schneider-Emanuel Scholarship" and the "National High School Oracle Contest" can also be found at [www.wilegion.org](http://www.wilegion.org) .

**Wisconsin Cattleman/Cattewoman Scholarship** – Students planning to major in an agriculture related field at a Wisconsin college, university or technical school must submit application materials by March 17, 2010.

**Wisconsin Delta Educator's Scholarship** - \$1000 scholarship available to a Madison area senior planning to become a teacher. Student must demonstrate their interest and commitment to becoming an outstanding teacher. Application materials, recommendation letters and essay must be submitted by March 31, 2010. Please see your counselor for the application forms.

**Young Entrepreneur Award** - \$1000-\$10,000 scholarships to recognize academically talented students with demonstrated entrepreneur talent and spirit. Additional information is available on [www.NFIB.com/YEA](http://www.NFIB.com/YEA) or students may contact the scholarship manager at [yef@nfib.org](mailto:yef@nfib.org) or 1-800-552-6342.

## **COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

\*\*\*Parents and students: Throughout the school year, many college representatives visit EHS to provide information on their schools and scholarship programs. This is another opportunity for students to make a positive impression. We strongly encourage students to introduce themselves to college or university representatives when they visit our school. The schedule of college rep visits can be found on the EHS website, in the Student Services office and in our daily announcements.

**Midwest Student Exchange Program** – This is a **tuition reduction** (think reciprocity) program that makes out-of-state colleges and universities more affordable for non-residents. The MSEP programs can make it possible for you to consider more than 140 schools in the Midwest. For more information, go to <http://msep.mhec.org> or call Jennifer Dahlquist at 612-626-1602.

**There are literally thousands of scholarships open to high school seniors. Try these on-line scholarship search websites:**

[www.schoolsoup.com](http://www.schoolsoup.com)

[www.scholarshipcoach.com](http://www.scholarshipcoach.com)

[www.collegeanswer.com](http://www.collegeanswer.com)

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

[www.fastaid.com](http://www.fastaid.com)

[www.scholarshipexperts.com](http://www.scholarshipexperts.com)

[www.brokescholar.com](http://www.brokescholar.com)

[www.adventuresineducation.org](http://www.adventuresineducation.org)

[www.scholarshiproadmap.com](http://www.scholarshiproadmap.com)