

MHS LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE AT www.mhscounseling.weebly.com SCHOLARSHIP & FINANCIAL AID TAB

AMERICAN LEGION –\$500 will be awarded to one MHS senior boy & one MHS senior girl. These recipients will be selected based on their financial need and post secondary plans. Special consideration to students with a parent or grandparent who has been a member of the military, and/or participates in the Legion.

FIRE CHIEF JAMES M. PELTON MEMORIAL– One award of \$500. Selection criteria includes academic responsibility, citizenship, extra-curricular activities, community involvement as well as need. Preference will be given to children of Mason Fire Dept. members and/or students wishing to pursue a career in one of the Emergency Services.

FOCUS ON THE FUTURE, PROFESSIONAL EYE CARE CENTERS – One award of \$600 will be given to a student with at least a 2.5 GPA. Priority will be given to students who demonstrate financial need.

HELEN F. & ARTHUR B. ZIEGLER – Selection is based on social responsibility, community involvement, academic performance, and need. Amount of scholarship has yet to be determined.

IONATHON D. STROUSE MEMORIAL ART SCHOLARSHIP – One \$1000 scholarship will be granted to a graduating senior who will be attending a two or four year college of Visual/Performing Arts. **(Please write an essay. This essay should be relevant to the scholarship and your area of study.)**

MARK E RUF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP – Three scholarships of \$500 each will be granted to one graduating senior who will be attending a university, one who will be going into the trades, and one who will be going into the military.

MASON AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AGNES “AGGIE” CORNER COMMUNITY SERVICE– Two awards of \$500 granted on the basis of community service.

MASON COLLEGE CLUB– Multiple awards of \$1000 with selection based on scholarship, character, need, goals, and outside interests.

MASON DISTRICT, MICHIGAN EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (M.D.M.E.A.) MEMORIAL– Two awards granted on the basis of character, scholarship, & citizenship. Preference is given to students who wish to pursue a career in education. Amount of scholarship has yet to be determined.

MASON FIREFIGHTER’S MEMORIAL- Given in memory of past fire fighters, Mason Fire Department would like to award \$500 to a student with interest or family in fire services, emergency services, or the medical field.

MASON KIWANIS CLUB & FRANK GUERRIERO SERVICE AWARD- Two awards of \$500 each. Selection is based on citizenship.

MASON LIONS CLUB: RAYMOND COLLAR AND RALPH (BUD) SWINEHART MEMORIAL– Two awards of \$1000 to seniors admitted to college. The scholarships are based on scholarship, character, attendance, and community service.

MASON PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION FRANK GUERRIERO–Selection based on integrity, citizenship, strong work ethic, academic performance, & leadership. One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded.

MASON ROTARY CLUB– Two awards of \$1000 each to seniors who have been admitted to college. Scholarships will be based on need, community service, and character. **Please note that one of the two scholarships will be designated for Mason Promise students only.** (The Rotary motto is “Service Above Self”. Please write an essay, in 300 words or less, explaining what “Service above Self” means to you.)

RYLAN COTTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE ARTS – A scholarship is granted to a senior who will be attending a two or four year college of Visual/Performing Arts. (Please write an essay. The requirements for this essay include: typed, double spaced, no more than 3 pages. This essay should be relevant to the scholarship and your area of study.)

SCOTT R JUDD MEMORIAL – Multiple scholarships will be granted to graduating seniors who will be attending Michigan State University in the fall of 2019 studying in a program related to STEM.

VIRGINIA ELLIOTT– Multiple awards of \$1000 granted on the basis of effort, need, humility, character, and scholarship.

SEPARATE APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE:

MASON OPTIMIST CLUB – Three \$2500 scholarships will be awarded to a MHS graduating senior who will be attending a two or four year college or trade school and have financial need.

MASONIC FOUNDATION- Two awards of \$1000 each to seniors who have been admitted to college. The awards are based on academics, character, and community involvement.

ORTHOPAEDIC REHAB SPECIALISTS – A one-time award of \$500 will be granted to a deserving senior who will be pursuing a degree in a health care profession.

ALL LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE DUE ONLINE: Friday, February 22, 2019