

2DEPARTMENT OF GUIDANCE
Easton Area High School
Easton, Pennsylvania

2018 - 2019 SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN #2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN SCHOLARSHIP, EASTON BRANCH***

ELIGIBILITY: Available to **females** attending area high schools who are planning to attend a fully accredited 2 or 4-year college or university.

STANDARDS: Applicants must be in the top 20% of their class. Financial and scholastic merit will be considered.

AMOUNT: At least 1 scholarship in the amount of \$2,000.00 will be awarded.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. The completed form, a copy of the parents' and student's **2018** IRS returns, and a copy of the high school transcript must be mailed directly **by the student** to the AAUW Easton Branch Scholarship Committee, 825 Paxinosa Ave., Easton, PA 18042. Applications must be **received** no later than Friday, March 29, 2019.

FORKS TOWNSHIP ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION - BRAD WEAVER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who is a **current resident of Forks Township** and who has **participated in some athletic association sponsored activity** for a minimum of 3 full seasons during residence in the township. The applicant must be accepted at the school of his/her choice.

STANDARDS: Selection committee will consider scholastic achievement and financial need. False information will be grounds for rejection.

AMOUNT: The selection committee will determine the number and amount of the scholarships to be awarded before reviewing all applications. The awards will be issued upon successful completion of the fall semester with a minimum of 12 credit hours.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. The application includes a 100-word essay on the topic "How the Forks Township Youth Sports Organization Affected My Life." All materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon on Friday, March 15, 2019, for transcript attachment and forwarding of the application to the scholarship committee.

IACCLV MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP HONORING CAROL DIBIAGO AND DECEASED MEMBERS***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to members of the graduating class at EAHS who intend to pursue a post-graduate program of study. Candidates must have an IEP (identified learning disability) and be U.S. citizens.

STANDARDS: The selection will be based upon grade point average, attendance, and extracurricular and/or community activities. Candidates must also submit letters of **recommendation** from 2 current instructors and a typed, 1-paragraph **essay** that explains what this scholarship would mean to you and your future plans.

AMOUNT: The scholarship of \$500.00 will be paid directly to the student for books or other college expenses.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. All materials, including the letters of recommendation, the **acceptance letter**, the essay, and the application form must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Wednesday, April 24, 2019, for attachment of a sealed **official** transcript.

KIWANIS CLUB OF PALMER TOWNSHIP KEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any **active member of the Key Club** graduating this year who plans to pursue higher education at a college or university or at an approved technical, skill, or trade school.

STANDARDS: Selection shall be based on academics, participation in Key Club, and extracurricular school and community activities.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships of \$1,000.00 each will be awarded.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications must include a **letter of recommendation** from the applicant's guidance counselor or teacher and a copy of the high school transcript. The completed application, **plus four additional copies**, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office no later than noon, Friday, March 29, 2019, for transcript attachment.

LATINO LEADERSHIP ALLIANCE OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who is of **Hispanic heritage** and a resident of Northampton or Lehigh County. Applicants must plan to attend an accredited 2 or four-year college or university.

STANDARDS: Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of financial need, academic performance, participation in school and/or community activities, and motivation. In addition to the application form, the student must submit and **essay, a letter of recommendation**, and proof of acceptance in post-secondary institution.

AMOUNT: Several one-time scholarships in the amount of \$500 will be awarded and mailed directly to the student.

TO APPLY: The application for this scholarship is available in the Guidance Office. Applications and all materials (including **2018** tax records for the parents and student, and a high school transcript) must be **postmarked** by Friday, April 19, 2019. Please note that is **date occurs during Spring Break**. Students who want the Guidance Department to mail their applications must submit them to Ms. Rinaldi by noon, Tuesday, April 16. Students may also mail their applications directly; be sure to obtain a transcript **before break**.

NCATO SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship, offered by the Northampton County Association of Township Officials, is open to any member of the graduating class who resides in a second class township in Northampton County. This includes Forks and Palmer, but a complete list is available with the application. Applicants must be enrolled in a 2 or 4 yr. college/university degree program or technical/trade school.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on participation in school and community activities and academics (including GPA). Applicants must also provide a guidance counselor's **recommendation** and a **financial aid report** completed by from the educational institution the applicant will attend.

AMOUNT: A \$1,500 scholarship will be presented to the recipient at the NCATO convention in Palmer Township on the last Friday in September to which the recipient's parents are also invited.

TO APPLY: The application form, including the release form that the **student** must forward to the financial aid office of the educational institution, are available in the Guidance Office. The guidance counselor's recommendation should be obtained by the end of final exams. The completed application, a **final** transcript, and all accompanying materials must be **mailed by the student** and **received** no later than August 2, 2019.