

2018-2019 SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN #1



This is the first of several bulletins that will be distributed to interested seniors who will have the opportunity to apply for a variety of worthwhile scholarships offered through the generosity of local organizations and individuals. These scholarships can be used at a wide range of educational institutions, including trade and technical schools and two- or four-year colleges and universities. (The number 4 at the right-hand margin identifies scholarships that can be used only for 4-year college or university programs.)

Most of these applications can be completed online through Moodle, eliminating the need to rewrite the same information for each scholarship. Applications that must be completed in hard copy are indicated by *** after the scholarship's title. Hard copy application forms are available in the Guidance Office or on the donor organization's web site where indicated. There are also several scholarships that must be completed on the organization's web site. These have been noted in the scholarship's description, and the URLs have been provided.

Students who desire additional information about the local scholarship opportunities for Easton Area High School students are invited to contact Mrs. Terri Sayago at scholarship@eastonsd.org.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Many of the scholarships in this and subsequent bulletins require the submission of a SIGNED copy of the Federal Tax Form 1040 for both the applicant and the applicant's parents. **Social Security numbers may be removed.** Applicants may submit the federal tax form for 2017 (the year that probably was used to complete their FAFSA application) or 2018, unless specifically instructed to use 2018. Also, families that file their federal taxes electronically must print out and SIGN the copies of their tax forms. No scholarship application requiring federal tax forms will be processed without the correctly completed forms. Scholarships that require financial information only through the completion of the Family Income (red) section on Moodle will be due starting March 19. The first due date for scholarships that require both the Moodle financial section and federal tax forms is March 26.

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Easton Area High School
Easton, Pennsylvania

Scholarships by Field/Major

For the following scholarships the applicant must either plan to major in a specific field or have participated in an activity associated with a major or field. Not all of these scholarships appear in the first bulletin. Be sure to consult other bulletins when they are distributed.

The Arts

Allentown Music Club
DeRenzis-Prendergast
EAHS Nat'l. Art Honor Society
IMA Association
Gollub
Held
Levine
Molly Santee Memorial Scholarship
Siegfried
Stauffer

Athletics

Bartolet
Forks Twp. AA
Hixon
Schultz
Varsity E

Business/Technology

Boner
EASD Administrative Professionals
Palmer BIP
Schultz
Siegfried

Criminal Justice/Emergency

Services/Military

Bush
Elwell
Fraternal Order of Police
Northampton Co. Chiefs of Police Assoc.
Olexa-Weber
Red, White and Blue

Education

Boner
Campbell (2)

Education (cont'd)

DeRenzis-Prendergast
EAEA
Kahres
Mamana/Schoolmen's
PASR
Sandt

Engineering/Science

Elias
Experimental Aircraft Association
Gaines
Lehigh Valley Water Suppliers
Olexa-Weber
PA Society of Professional Engineers
Gordon Santee Memorial Scholarship
Society of Women Engineers

English/Writing

Creative Nonfiction
Curley, John
EAEA Neisha Schor

Medical/Health

Bechtel
Orlandi

World Language

Italian Honor Society
Miles

Personal Heritage

Gaines
Latino Leadership Alliance
Philip
UNICO
Women Unlimited

**See State-Wide Scholarship
Opportunities on the last page**

Scholarship recipients will be notified either by the EASD Scholarship Coordinator, Mrs. Sayago, or by the donor directly. Recipients who are contacted by donors should then notify Mrs. Sayago to ensure that the announcement appears in the graduation program.

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THE TERRY LEE BARTOLET EAHS SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD

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The Terry Lee Bartolet EAHS Scholar-Athlete Award was established by Dr. Bartolet's family after his death to honor a man who was a true asset to his community. Dr. Bartolet was an outstanding student-athlete at EAHS, and he returned to the Easton community to work and raise his family. Throughout his life, Dr. Bartolet gave of his time and energy to serve and promote the student-athletes at EAHS. His family and friends hope to foster his spirit in the EAHS student body by awarding a scholarship in his memory that promotes the qualities he exemplified as a student-athlete at EAHS: hard work, leadership, teamwork, and character both on and off the field.

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship will be awarded annually to an EAHS graduating senior who has participated in **EAHS athletics** and who plans to attend a college, university, or community college with the ultimate goal of obtaining a bachelor's degree.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic record and athletic achievement with an emphasis on leadership and conduct both on and off the field. Applicants must submit a **letter of recommendation** written by an adult who can attest to these qualities.

Financial need is not a criterion for this award. The recipient will be chosen by a committee convened by the Bartolet family to include family members as well as other persons from EAHS, the EAHS athletic staff, and members of the Easton community.

AMOUNT: This year's scholarship will be in the amount of \$1,000. The scholarship will be presented to the recipient at the Varsity E banquet.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 5, 2019. Also, all materials, including 6 copies of the letter of recommendation, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE CATHERINE LUCEY BECHTEL MEMORIAL AWARD

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who intends to pursue a program of study for **registered nursing**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholarship, citizenship, participation in school activities, and need for financial assistance.

AMOUNT: This year's scholarship will be \$100.00. The award will be forwarded to the school chosen by the recipient.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Monday, April 15, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

JOHN WILLIAM BEITEL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class at EAHS.

Preference will be given to applicants who planning to **major in music** (including instrumental, choral, education, performance, instrument making) at an accredited trade/technical school or 2-year or 4-year college. Applicants who intend to minor in music and those who participate in music programs or activities will also be considered.

STANDARDS: The selection will be based upon academic achievement, community service and participation in school activities.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded, paid directly to the school selected by the student.

TO APPLY: The application form must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, February 28, 2019. All materials must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

ERLA BONER MEMORIAL BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP 4

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who has taken technology or business courses and who intends to pursue a degree in **business, business education, technology, or technology education.**

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider scholastic achievement, personal characteristics and financial need, which will be the primary concern.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship will be based on available funds in the account and will be forwarded to the school of the recipient's choice following verification of the successful completion of the first semester or term of post high school study. This year's award is \$250.00.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Wednesday, April 17, 2019. In addition, two letters of recommendation from an employer, a member of the clergy, or a teacher, and federal income tax returns for both the parents and student must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE BARRY L. BUSH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any graduating senior who will pursue a two- or four-year post high school program with a major in **law enforcement, criminal justice, prelaw, or related majors, like forensic science and corrections or who has been accepted as a full-time recruit at an MPOETC-certified police academy.**

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider personal characteristics and financial need. However, primary consideration will be given to an **essay** of 500 words or less in which the applicant tells about his or her motivation for pursuing a career in the areas mentioned above.

AMOUNT: The amount of the award will be \$2,000.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Applications must be completed by noon, Tuesday, March 12, 2019. All materials must be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office for transcript attachment by the above date.

ROSE AND PAUL CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIPS

Rose Campbell dedicated her life to education. She received her undergraduate degree from East Stroudsburg University and her master's degree from Lehigh University. She served the Easton Area School District her entire life and finished her career as principal of Tracy Elementary School. Mrs. Campbell and her late husband, Paul, provided these scholarships to future teachers because of their belief that the future depends of the education of our youth.

ROSE AND PAUL CAMPBELL FUTURE EDUCATOR SCHOLARSHIP 4

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the EAHS graduating class who intends to pursue a four-year college degree with a major in **elementary education.**

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement (measured by class rank and GPA), financial need, and community service to children.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount \$500 will be awarded. **Provided the recipient continues to major in elementary education, the scholarship will be renewed during each of the recipient's four undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript showing satisfactory academic performance. (\$2,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon Thursday, March 28, 2019. All materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

ROSE AND PAUL CAMPBELL FUTURE EDUCATOR MERIT SCHOLARSHIP 4

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the EAHS graduating class who intends to pursue a four-year college degree with a major in **elementary education**.

STANDARDS: Applicants must submit a 500-word typed **essay** that responds to the following question: "How will achieving a degree in Elementary Education impact your life as well as the lives of others?" The selection committee will also consider academic achievement (measured by class rank and GPA) and community service to children. Financial need is **not** a consideration.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount \$1,000 will be awarded. **Provided the recipient continues to major in elementary education, the scholarship will be renewed during each of the recipient's four undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript showing satisfactory academic performance. (\$4,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon Thursday, March 21, 2019. All materials, including 6 copies of the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

CHARTWELLS FOOD SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the EAHS graduating class who will attend a vocational, trade, or technical school or a two- or four-year college to pursue a degree or certificate in a **food-related major**. Examples of these majors include but are not limited to culinary arts, agriculture, food science, nutritional science, hospitality management, and family and consumer science.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, financial need, and evidence of interest in this area through coursework, employment, and/or hobbies. These experiences must be explained in an **essay** that is no longer than 1 typed page.

AMOUNT: One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded after submission of a letter of acceptance. **Provided the recipient continues to pursue a food-related major, the scholarship can be renewed for up to four undergraduate years upon receipt of the transcript showing satisfactory academic performance. (\$2,000 maximum)**

TO APPLY: This application, **including the entire Family Income (red) section**, must be completed online on Moodle by noon Tuesday, March 19, 2019. All materials, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE CREATIVE NONFICTION PRIZE***

ELIGIBILITY: The award is designed to encourage and recognize excellence in student-written creative nonfiction. It is open to any graduating senior at Easton Area High School.

STANDARDS: All applicants must submit a minimum of **3 works of creative nonfiction**, including personal or reflective essays, memoirs, and travel articles. Literary analysis essays, research papers, news articles, and poetry are **not** acceptable. The recipient will be selected by a committee of the English Department.

AMOUNT: The award will be \$250. In addition, one of the works submitted by the recipient will be **published in the graduation program**.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in Guidance and in the Writing Lab. Your work (with your name removed) and your signed statement of authenticity (on back of application) must be returned in a manila envelope to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Tuesday, April 23, 2019.

THE EMILY S. CURLEY SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who will continue his or her education in a post high school program of study. The recipient of this award should rank in the **top fifth** of the high school graduating class and have been active in school/class activities.

STANDARDS: Selection shall be based on academic achievement, personal characteristics, and participation in school and class activities without consideration to financial need.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount \$1,000 will be awarded. **The scholarship will be renewed during each of the recipient's three remaining undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript showing satisfactory academic performance (GPA 2.5 minimum). (\$4,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 5, 2019. Also, all forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

JOHN J. CURLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: The award shall be presented annually to a member of the graduating class of Easton Area High School who ranks in the **top fifth** of the graduating class and who intends to continue his or her education in a post high school program of studies. The recipient of this award will be someone who has excelled in **creative writing**.

STANDARDS: Selection shall be based on demonstrated proficiency in creative writing exemplified by academic achievement and participation in school activities. The recipient will be selected by members of the English Department. Financial need is not a criterion for this award.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount \$1,000 will be awarded. **The scholarship will be renewed during each of the recipient's three remaining undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript showing satisfactory academic performance (GPA 2.5 minimum). (\$4,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 12, 2019. Also, all forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE DERENZIS-PRENDERGAST FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: The DeRenzis-Prendergast Family Scholarship is funded by Mr. and Mrs. R. Kevin Prendergast, both graduates of Easton Area High School. The scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who is planning to further his/her education in the field of **education and/or the arts**.

STANDARDS: The applicant must have at least a C average. Selection will be based on some type of community service work, preferably in the community as well as school, and on financial need. Also, each applicant must submit a brief **personal essay** that either explains why he or she is interested in pursuing a career in education or the arts or relates a personal anecdote related to that interest.

AMOUNT: The award will be two (2) \$500 scholarships. One will be awarded to a student who is pursuing education in the field of primary or secondary education and one to a student who is pursuing an education in the arts.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday,

March 28, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

EAHS INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: Scholarships are open to any member of the EAHS senior class who is presently in the **high school instrumental music program** and who will be attending a certified educational institution. The candidate must have been actively involved in the high school instrumental music program for three (3) consecutive years, with the full senior year being spent in a program at EAHS. The instrumental music program shall consist of, but is not be limited to, Marching Band, Band Front, Orchestra, and Jazz Band.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on instrumental achievement, academic achievement, extracurricular activities, community activities, class rank, and participation in instrumental ensembles, both co-curricular and extracurricular.

AMOUNT: Six scholarships at a minimum of \$1,000 will be awarded. Five will be based on the above-mentioned standards, and one will be based on musical accomplishments, with less emphasis on academics.

TO APPLY: Applications will be mailed to seniors who participate in the instrumental music program. However, additional applications can be obtained from the Guidance Office. All applications, including **3 letters of recommendation**, must be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Friday, April 12, 2019. Any applications sent elsewhere or submitted after that date will not be eligible for consideration. After the identity of the applicant has been removed by the Guidance Office, the application will be forwarded to the chairman of the scholarship committee. Winners will be announced at the annual Instrumental Music Awards Banquet.

EAHS ITALIAN HONOR SOCIETY/"TEMPO ITALIANO" SCHOLARSHIP***

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ELIGIBILITY: Open any senior who has **studied Italian** in the EASD for at least 4 years, has been a member of the "Societa Onoraria," and is planning to **continue the study of Italian** in a college or university.

STANDARDS: Academics, community service, school activities, leadership roles, and a written **essay in Italian**. It must be typed, at least one entire page, double-spaced with standard margins. Choose one topic: "How I See Myself in the Next Ten Years" or "How the Study of Italian Has Touched My Life."

AMOUNT: Two scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$500.00, made payable upon submission of transcript from the first semester of college study.

TO APPLY: Applications are available in the Guidance Office. Completed forms should be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the guidance office by noon, Tuesday, March 26, 2019, for transcript attachment and forwarding to the selection committee.

EAHS NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY MEMBER SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any graduating senior who is a member of the EAHS National Art Honor Society. Applicant must also have been accepted into a 2- or 4-year program in the visual arts, fine arts, commercial or graphic arts, or art education.

STANDARDS: This scholarship will be based on the applicant's portfolio of 3 works (submitted digitally).

AMOUNT: Multiple students may receive this scholarship. The amount will vary depending on available funding. The recipient(s) will be selected by the honor society advisor and members of the EAHS Art Department. The scholarship will be presented at the National Art Honor Society induction ceremony.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office and must be returned there to Ms. Rinaldi by noon, Thursday, May 2, 2019. The portfolio must be submitted

digitally to Ms. Marquardt (marquardl@eastonsd.org; subject line: Art Honor Society Scholarship) by the above time and date.

EASD ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the EAHS graduating class who will pursue a full time post-high school educational program in the **business and/or accounting field**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academic achievement, community service, school activities, and business activities within EAHS.

AMOUNT: One \$300 scholarship will be awarded upon proof of acceptance from the recipient's school or college.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, February 26, 2019. Completed forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office for transcript attachment by the above time and date.

EASTON AREA COMMUNITY CENTER SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who is a **current or former member of the EACC** and a legal resident or citizen of the USA. Applicants must plan to attend a technical or vocational school, community or junior college, or four-year college or university.

STANDARDS: In addition to the application, which includes an **essay**, applicants must also submit **2 letters of recommendation** and a copy of an **acceptance letter** to a post-secondary educational institution. Applicants must be willing to meet with the selection committee for an interview.

AMOUNT: The scholarship will be a one-time award in the amount of \$500.00 mailed directly to the student.

TO APPLY: The application for this scholarship is available in the Guidance Office. All materials must be submitted to the EACC **by the student** between January 1 and April 30, 2019.

EASTON AREA EDUCATION ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: Any member of the EAHS graduating class is eligible, but **preference may be given to students interested in preparing for a career in education**.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, character, participation in extracurricular activities, and financial status. Applicants must also submit an **essay** of at least four paragraphs that discusses the following topic: What three qualities you believe someone in education today needs to possess? Name the qualities and why they are important. Discuss which of these qualities you will bring to the education field.

AMOUNT: An award of \$500.00 will be paid after satisfactory grades of a "C" average or better are received in the Easton Area Education Association Office as proof of completion of the first semester. If this is not achieved, the recipient will be put on probation until the end of that first school year in order to improve his or her grade. Failure to attain a "C" average or better by the end of the second semester will result in disqualification.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 25, 2019. Include with your application the W-2 forms used to compute your family's income tax, any W-2 forms of dependents living in the household, and a copy Internal Revenue Form 1040 or 1040A or 1040EZ for both the parents and student. All forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above date for transcript attachment.

EASTON AREA EDUCATION ASSOCIATION NEISHA SCHOR SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: Any member of the EAHS graduating class who will **major in English** is eligible.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, character, participation in extracurricular activities, and financial status. Applicants must also submit an **essay** of at least four paragraphs on the following topic: Discuss two challenges facing English instructors today. What methods do you believe will be effective in meeting these challenges – strategies, qualities, or otherwise? What will you bring to an English classroom to meet these challenges?

AMOUNT: Award of \$500.00 will be paid after satisfactory grades of a "C" average or better are received in the Easton Area Education Association Office as proof of completion of the first semester. If this is not achieved, the recipient will be put on probation until the end of that first school year in order to improve his or her grade. Failure to attain a "C" average or better by the end of the second semester will result in disqualification.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 25, 2019. Include with your application the W-2 forms used to compute your family's income tax, any W-2 forms of dependents living in the household, and a copy Internal Revenue Form 1040 or 1040A or 1040EZ for both the parents and student. All forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above date for transcript attachment.

EASTON AREA SCHOOL BOARD COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who will attend a two- or four-year college/university or a vocational, business, or technical school. The recipients must be able to demonstrate their commitment to and involvement in public service to the communities within the Easton Area School District.

STANDARDS: Evidence of community service is the most important criterion for this scholarship. Applicants must provide a **letter of recommendation**, preferably from an organization that has benefitted from the applicant's service. The selection committee will also consider academic achievement and participation in extracurricular activities. Financial need is **not** a criterion for this scholarship.

AMOUNT: Two \$500 scholarships will be awarded this year.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 11, 2019. Also, all materials, including 5 copies of the letter of recommendation, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

EASTON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1948 SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who will continue his/her education in a post high school program of study at a certified educational institution, including 2 or 4-year colleges and technical or trade schools.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will base its selection on financial need, scholarship, and will to succeed, with financial need carrying the most weight in the final decision. The applicant must rank in the **top half** of the graduating class.

AMOUNT: Five awards of \$2,000 will be payable in the second semester upon proof of full time registration for the second semester and receipt of transcript indicating successful completion of the first semester.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 11, 2019. Copies of the federal tax return are required. If the parents are divorced, both the father's and the mother's returns must be submitted. If circumstances exist in which one or the other parent cannot submit the most recent federal tax return, a clear and reasonable explanation should be given. Also, if one or the other parent will not

contribute to the student's post high school education, a clear and reasonable explanation must be given. **Be sure to include the details all the financial assistance you have been awarded; include each amount and clearly label it as either a loan or a scholarship.** No consideration will be given if the above information is not furnished. All completed forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

EASTON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1956 SCHOLARSHIP (FUNDED BY ANN C. AND JOHN J. CURLEY)

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating who will continue his or her education in a post high school program of study. The recipient of this award should rank in the **top fifth** of the high school graduating class and have been active in school/class activities.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academic achievement, personal characteristics, and participation in school and class activities without consideration to financial need.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount \$1,000 will be awarded. **The scholarship will be renewed during each of the recipient's three remaining undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript showing satisfactory academic performance (GPA 2.5 minimum). (\$4,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 5, 2019. All forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PERSONNEL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: Open to a son, daughter, or grandchild of a member of Easton Area Educational Support Personnel Association who will pursue a full time post high school education program in the upcoming school year. (Support Personnel: paraprofessionals, security, and nurse paraprofessionals of **EASD only**).

STANDARDS: Academic achievement, need for financial assistance, personal characteristics, and extracurricular participation will be considered in the selection of the recipient.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships of \$500 will be awarded, payable to the student after proof of acceptance is provided.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Monday, April 15, 2019. **Specific information regarding family relationship of the recipient to a member of the association must be included in the Special Circumstances section of the application. Applicants lacking this information will be automatically disqualified.** Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

GAY ELWELL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

ELIGIBILITY: The Gay Elwell Scholarship Award is open to any high school graduating senior who is a resident of the city of Easton proper **or** who is participating in the Criminal Justice program at the Career Institute of Technology. Applicants being considered must pursue a two- or four-year post high school program with a major in **law enforcement, criminal justice, prelaw, or related majors such as a concentration in social services.**

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider personal characteristics, extra-curricular activities relevant to the scholarship award criteria, and financial need. However, primary consideration will be given an **essay** of a minimum of 250 words but not to exceed 500 words, in which the applicant tells his or her motivation for pursuing a degree as well as a career in any of the above-mentioned fields of study.

AMOUNT: One recipient will be awarded the amount of \$500.00. The Easton Block Watch Association will present the winning recipient with a certificate of award. The financial award will be given to the recipient following the submission of the first semester transcript indicating passing grades to the Easton Block Watch Scholarship Committee.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 26, 2019. Additional materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student and the student's essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment. *No late applications will be accepted for consideration.*

EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION (CHAPTER 70) AVIATION CAREER SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who will attend a vocational/technical school or a two or four-year college to pursue an **aviation-related career**. Such careers include but are not limited to pilot, aviation mechanics, aerospace studies, aerospace engineering, avionics technician/installer/engineer, air traffic control, and airport operations.

STANDARDS: Selection will be equally based on scholarship, community service, and financial need. The EAA Chapter reserves the right to ensure that the prospective recipient meets the career requirements for this scholarship. Therefore, in a **brief paragraph** include an explanation of how your intended course of study meets this scholarship's career requirements.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount of \$1000 will be paid directly to the student at a meeting of EAA Chapter 70.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Wednesday, April 17, 2019. Also, all forms, including the required paragraph and **the entire Family Income (red) section** of the Moodle application, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE (WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 17) OF THE EASTON POLICE DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any high school senior graduating from EAHS, CIT, or Notre Dame who is a resident of the city of Easton proper or who is participating in the Criminal Justice program at the Career Institute of Technology. Preference will be given to applicants who intend to pursue an associate's or bachelor's degree in a **law enforcement** or related **social services** curriculum.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic record, personal characteristics, and financial need. Included in the application is a short **essay** that explains the applicant's interest in being a law enforcement officer or social services worker.

AMOUNT: One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. The recipient will be presented a certificate of award at a Fraternal Order of Police meeting after college acceptance has been verified. The financial award will be given following receipt of the college transcript indicating successful completion of the first semester. The transcript must be received in the Easton Police Department no later than one year after the recipient was presented the certificate.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. All materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student and the student's essay, must be **mailed by the student** to the Easton Police Dept. c/o Financial Awards Committee, 25 South Third Street Easton, PA 18042, and received no later than Monday, April 1, 2019. *No late applications will be accepted for consideration.*

FRIENDS OF THE EASTON AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to all graduating high school seniors.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, and job and volunteer experiences. Applicants are also required to **write a brief explanation** of their worthiness to be awarded this scholarship.

AMOUNT: At least one \$500 scholarship will be awarded.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Requests for transcripts should be submitted to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by Tuesday, April 24, in order to guarantee meeting the library's due date. Applications must be **mailed or delivered by the student** and received by Easton Area Public Library no later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2019.

THE JEFFREY FRITZO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class at EAHS who will continue his or her education in a post high school program of study.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on financial need, academic achievement, leadership potential, and participation in school and community activities. In the Special Circumstances section of the application, the applicant should briefly explain any factors that make financial assistance particularly important. The applicant must also submit a typed **essay** (minimum 300 words) that answers the following questions: What is the impact of EAHS on your life, what are your future plans, and why are you deserving of a scholarship?

AMOUNT: Two scholarships of \$1,000.00 each will be awarded, one for a male student and one for a female. The scholarship will be paid directly to school the student selects after receipt of a copy of the acceptance letter from the educational institution.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 11, 2019. Also, all materials, including the essay and federal tax returns for the parents and the student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

GAINES FAMILY FOUNDATION PRIZE IN ENGINEERING ***

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is available to **Jewish** high school seniors residing in the Lehigh Valley who have demonstrated interest and potential for success in **engineering**.

STANDARDS: Applicants must have been accepted to a college or university with the intent to enroll in an engineering program. Applicants must also be active in community service and/or school activities. To apply, students must submit a 500-word **essay** and 2 letters of **recommendation**.

AMOUNT: The amount of this scholarship is up to \$5,000 per year. Merit scholarships (not-need based) scholarships of \$1,000 are also available.

TO APPLY: Information is available online at <https://jfslv.org/scholarships> or by calling 610-821-8722. Applicants must submit a transcript and, if requesting a needs-based scholarship, a copy of a college financial aid application. Application materials are submitted directly by the student and are due by April 15. Check the web site for updates.

DOROTHY S. GOLLUB MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who has made a significant contribution to the **instrumental music program at Easton Area High School**.

STANDARDS: In addition to having contributed to the instrumental music program at EAHS, the successful applicant will have established a record of high academic achievement and been accepted in a program of post high school education.

AMOUNT: Financial need is not a criterion for this award. The amount of the award is based on funds available in the memorial account. This year's award will be \$250.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2019, for transcript attachment.

THE DAVID HEARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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This scholarship will be given annually in memory of David Heard (2000-2011) beginning with the class of 2018. David was a student in the EASD from 2006 through 2011. He chose the motto "Embrace Life" when he was battling cancer to sum up his philosophy on life. David had a gift for making the most of every opportunity no matter what obstacles were placed in his way.

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship will be awarded to an EAHS graduating senior who has achieved academic success in high school despite the challenges he or she has faced and who is planning to pursue a four year degree.

STANDARDS: Applicants for this scholarship must show evidence that they took part in the life of the school by participating in activities, that they were dedicated to academic achievement, and that they made the most of their opportunities at EAHS. In addition to completing the online application in Moodle, applicants must write a **one paragraph explanation** of how this scholarship will help them achieve a personal goal. Applications will be reviewed by a committee who will invite the top half of applicants to record a short 3-5 minute video of themselves explaining how they have "Embraced Life" at EAHS. Details regarding the video will be provided to the semifinalists upon their selection. Financial need is **not** a criterion for this scholarship.

AMOUNT: The \$2,000 scholarship will be presented to the recipient upon graduation.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 5, 2019. Also, all materials, including the one paragraph explanation, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment. As soon as the semifinalists have been selected, they will be contacted regarding the details for their video submission.

EARL HELD'S ALL-GIRL BAND SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship is open to any **female** member of the EAHS graduating class active in the **band program**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on character, interest, and dedication to instrumental music.

AMOUNT: The amount of the award is based on funds available in the scholarship account. This year's award will be \$250.

TO APPLY: Applications are available in the Guidance Office. After the identity of the applicant has been removed, the applications will be forwarded to the selection committee. Completed applications must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Tuesday, February 26, 2019, for transcript attachment.

THE CHRIS HIXON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Chris Hixon was one of the 19 people killed at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School in Parkland, Florida, on February 14, 2018. Born in Easton, PA, and a student at EASD schools through ninth grade, Chris was the athletic director, wrestling coach, and security director at the time of his death. Chris also served in the Navy in the Persian Gulf during Operation Desert Storm and Desert Shield. This scholarship in his memory has been established by former members of the Sportsmen's Barbershop softball team. Chris's father, Russell Hixon, was the team's pitcher in the late 60s and early 70s.

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the EAHS graduating class who lives in the city of Easton. The applicant must have participated in **EAHS athletics** and plan to continue his or her education in a post- high school program of study.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on involvement in interscholastic athletic programs and academic achievement. Financial need is not a criterion for this award.

AMOUNT: This year's scholarship will be in the amount of \$500.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 12, 2018. Also, all materials must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

MURL E. HOAG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class and who will pursue a full-time program of post high school education.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will base its selection on financial need, personal characteristics, and scholastic record. The committee will also lend weight to clear evidence that the applicant has made some effort to help himself/herself financially by doing **some part-time work**.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship is \$1,000.00. The award will be issued upon verification of successful completion of the first semester or term of post high school study.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 11, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE EDWARD J. JOSEPH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any student in the graduating class who plans to attend a four-year college/university to **major in accounting or government or public service (pre-law, psychology, sociology, etc.)**. Applicants must be able to demonstrate their commitment to and involvement in public service to the communities within the Easton Area School District.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on evidence of community service, academic achievement, financial need, and participation in extra-curricular activities. Applicants must also include **6 copies** of a typed **essay** that explains how they will use their chosen profession to make the world a better place. **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: A scholarship of \$500 will be presented to the student by Mr. Joseph's family after receipt of a copy of the acceptance letter from the college or university of the recipient's choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 9, 2019. Also, all materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student and the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE WILLIAM KAHRES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: To be eligible for this scholarship, a candidate must be accepted to a post high school program **majoring in education**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based upon scholastic record, participation in school activities, leadership qualities, and good citizenship. Please note, financial need will not be a consideration in selecting the recipient.

AMOUNT: The award will be in the amount of \$1,000.00. Payment of the award will be made in installments of \$500.00 each in August and January. The recipient will furnish proof of acceptance for payment in August and a transcript indicating satisfactory work for the January payment.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 7, 2019. Also, all forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE BOBBY LEVINE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class planning to attend a four-year college to study a **music or arts-related field**. The applicant must be actively **involved in the EAHS music program**. However, more consideration will be given those students involved in the instrumental program, especially the Jazz Band.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academic achievement, community service, participation in school activities, and leadership.

AMOUNT: There will be at least one award in the amount of at least \$500.00 to be paid directly to the college.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2019. Also, all forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

S. PARNELL LEWIS SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any EAHS graduating senior who will pursue a four-year post high school program.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will award a senior who is honest, sincere, and willing to give something back to his/her community. The individual should need financial assistance and display a solid work ethic. The selection committee will consider "late bloomers" - especially those who display moxie and are not afraid to work to succeed.

AMOUNT: The amount of the award will be \$500.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 23, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date, for transcript attachment.

LGBT BUSINESS COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIPS OF THE VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE***

ELIGIBILITY: The LGBT Business Council offers 2 scholarships: **LGBTQ Student of the Year**, awarded to an LGBTQ student based on community involvement and academic excellence; and **Ally of the Year**, awarded to a LGBTQ Ally who is a positive force in the LGBTQ community through participation in the community activities. High school seniors within the GLVCC area with plans to attend an accredited higher education institution are eligible to apply for either the Student of the Year or the Ally of the Year scholarships.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academic record, participation in school and volunteer activities, and community involvement.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship will be based on fund raising. Scholarship checks will be mailed to the schools the recipients will attend.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications, including **essays and 2 reference letters**, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon on Monday, Feb. 25, 2019, for transcript attachment so that the application can be postmarked by the selection committee's March 1 deadline.

LVPSPE SCHOLARSHIP***

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is offered by the Lehigh Valley Chapter of the Pennsylvania Society of Professional Engineers to graduating high school seniors interested in **engineering**. The chapter offers this recognition to encourage these young students in their pursuit of engineering.

STANDARDS: The applicant must be a U.S. citizen with a minimum 3.6 GPA who has applied for a college engineering program. As part of the application form, the student must complete a 1-page essay explaining his/her interest in becoming an engineer. The applicant's guidance counselor or principal will also be contacted by the LVPSPE. Selection is based on academic achievement and school/community/activities.

AMOUNT: Last year, several \$2,000 scholarships were awarded to local high school seniors.

TO APPLY: The application form is available online at www.lvpspe.org/Scholarships.

Applications can be completed online (be sure to save the application under a different name or your information will not be saved) and emailed to the address provided.

Applications can also be downloaded and mailed by the student to Mr. Alex Dezubay, PSPE Scholarship Chairman, 3938 Kenrick Drive, Bethlehem, PA 18020. Applications must be received by Sunday, March 10, 2019. **An additional sheet of instructions is available in the Guidance Office.**

NOTE: The Pennsylvania Society of Professional Engineers also offers several state-wide scholarships. Information and applications are available at <https://www.pspe.org/about-pspe/scholarships> with due dates by April 15, 2019.

THE JOHN B. MAITLAND SCHOLARSHIP FUND

John B. Maitland was a teacher, coach, and administrator in the Easton Area School District for 41 years until his retirement in 1991. Mr. Maitland believed that students achieve through hard work and discipline. He never allowed his students to settle for anything but their best and always encouraged them to reach their maximum potential. While demanding excellence from his students, Mr. Maitland was also a caring mentor who took the time to know his students and took an active interest in their lives.

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to a graduating member of the senior class who has demonstrated academic achievement and intends to pursue a two- or four-year college degree or vocational/technical school. The scholarship will be awarded to those applicants who best exemplify Mr. Maitland's qualities.

STANDARDS: Selection of winners will be based on financial need (proof of family income), scholastic record, and participation in extracurricular activities in addition to evaluation of the student's **essay**. The committee may find it necessary to include a personal interview as part of the selection process.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships in the amount of \$2,500.00 each will be awarded.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 23, 2019. Applicants must also complete a written essay responding to the following: "In your own words, describe how you best exemplify the qualities of Mr. Maitland. All materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

JOSEPH MAMANA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP OF THE EASTON AREA SCHOOLMEN'S ASSOCIATION

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ELIGIBILITY: Open to any member of the graduating class who will pursue a major in **education** in the upcoming school year.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic performance, need for financial assistance, and personal characteristics.

AMOUNT: One award of \$500.00 payable to the recipient following receipt of notification of satisfactory completion of the first semester program of study.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, April 25, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND ASSOCIATION OF THE PROFESSIONAL WOMEN OF THE EASTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT (MSFA)

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ELIGIBILITY: Limited to **female** members of the graduating class who have attended the Easton Area Public Schools who will be attending an accredited four-year post high school college or university.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on financial need, personal characteristics, and scholastic record. The selection committee also lends weight to clear evidence that the applicant has made some effort to help herself by doing some part-time work.

AMOUNT: One scholarship of at least \$1,500.00 per year. The scholarship is generally renewable during each of the recipient's four undergraduate years upon receipt of transcript showing a grade point average of at least 2.75. (\$6,000 total).

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 23, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE JULIA MILES SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENTS OF WORLD LANGUAGES*** 4

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who has studied world languages at EAHS. Applicants must pursue a full-time program at a 4-year college that includes **world languages as a minor or major**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based upon demonstrated interest in world languages and cultures as well as scholastic record. Applicants must submit a **300-word essay** that discusses their experiences in and future plans for language learning. Financial need will **not** be a consideration in selecting the recipients.

AMOUNT: Up to 2 scholarships in the amount of \$250 each will be awarded. Payment will be made directly to the recipients in January upon the submission of a transcript indicating successful completion of the first semester.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Thursday, March 28, 2019, for transcript attachment.

ANTHONY J. MINOTTI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP - PALMER TOWNSHIP ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION***

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any member of the graduating class who is a **resident of Palmer Township**. Applicants must have also received acceptance by a college.

STANDARDS: Scholarship, class rank, and college board scores will be considered. Financial assistance may also be considered by the selection committee. In addition, the selection committee may request applicants to appear for an interview prior to the final selection.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship is \$750. The number of scholarships can vary from year to year. Last year 13 scholarships were awarded.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Tuesday, April 9, 2019, date for transcript attachment.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY CHIEFS OF POLICE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any graduating senior who is a resident of Northampton County and who has enrolled as a **Criminal Justice or another police science-related major** at an accredited 2- or 4-year college or university.

STANDARDS: Applicants must have maintained a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 in high school. Also, applicants must submit a minimum 500-word essay on the function of law enforcement officers in today's society and why the student believes he/she should receive the Northampton County Chiefs of Police Association Scholarship.

AMOUNT: One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded.

TO APPLY: Information forms are available in the Guidance Office. All materials, including a transcript, must be submitted **by the student** to the Northampton County Chiefs of Police Association Scholarship Committee by July 31, 2019.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is available to all senior **women** with a 3.5 GPA who will pursue post-secondary education at a 2 or 4-year institution or trade school. Applicants must reside in Northampton County.

STANDARDS: Applicants will be judged on academics and **public service**.

AMOUNT: This scholarship is in the amount of \$500.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office by the beginning of March. All materials, including **2 references and a typed essay**, must be **mailed by the student** and postmarked no later than Thursday, April 25, 2019.

VERNA ROBBINS ORLANDI SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who will pursue a career in **dental hygiene**. If no student is interested in pursuing this field, the scholarship may be given to a deserving student who will continue his or her education in **any field**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholarship, personal characteristics, citizenship, and financial need.

AMOUNT: One scholarship will be awarded. The actual amount is dependent upon the interest earned in the trust fund. This year's award will be \$250.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Wednesday, April 17, 2019. All forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

DANIEL HENRY OSTERTAG LIVING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND***

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This scholarship was established to honor the memory of Danny Ostertag, a member of the EAHS Class of 2006 who died from epilepsy in 2005. Danny was a talented cartoonist, a member of the EAHS Environmental Club, and a lover of all things Penn State. He also volunteered at a local soup kitchen and participated in his church's youth group. Despite his own struggles with illness, Danny is remembered by his friends and teachers as a courageous, unselfish, and compassionate young man with high expectations for himself and a positive attitude toward life.

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who will continue his/her education at **Penn State** and who has encountered a personal, physical, or emotional challenge. The recipient of this award must have been accepted at Penn State University.

STANDARDS: Applicants must be/have been challenged or differently abled in some way.

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

TO APPLY: Application for this scholarship will be made by an **essay** explaining how you are/were challenged or differently abled and what you have done to overcome or meet your challenge. The essay should not be more than 500 words. Applications forms are available from Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office and must be returned to her by noon, Thursday, March 7, 2019.

PALMER TOWNSHIP BUSINESS, INDUSTRIAL AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship is open to any graduating senior from Easton, Notre Dame, or Wilson High School or Moravian Academy who plans to attend an accredited institution of higher education.

STANDARDS: Preference will be given to applicants whose parent or guardian is a member or is employed by a member of the BIP. Applicants whose grandparent is a member or is employed by a member of the BIP will be considered next if no one meets the first criteria. Finally, applicants employed by or interning with a member of the BIP will be considered.

AMOUNT: The award(s) will be a minimum of \$500.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications are to be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Wednesday, April 10, 2019, for attachment of the transcript and completion of the Counselor's Evaluation Form. The applications will then be forwarded by Guidance to the BIP by their April 15 due date.

PASR STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP (NORTHAMPTON COUNTY CHAPTER)*** 4

ELIGIBILITY: Candidates must live in Northampton County and intend to pursue a career in the **field of education** (teacher, counselor, administrator, school nurse, psychologist, support staff). Applicants must have a GPA of at least 3.0 and be enrolled in a 4-year college program.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based upon scholastic achievement, participation in school, community, and/or volunteer activities, and work history. Financial need will be a criterion only when 2 or more applicants have equal qualifications. Applicants must also submit a **500-word essay**. Recommendations from teachers and others who have knowledge of the applicant's capabilities are also accepted.

AMOUNT: A scholarship in the amount of \$1,000.00 will be presented in June at the NCC-PASR luncheon.

TO APPLY: The application for this scholarship is available in the Guidance Office. Applications are mailed **by the student** and must be received by Monday, April 15, 2019.

MARTIN PHILIP MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP OF THE JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is available to **Jewish** high school seniors residing in the Lehigh Valley who have been accepted to a college, community college, university, yeshiva, vocational, or technical school.

STANDARDS: Applicants must be active in community service and/or school activities.

To apply, students must submit a 500-word **essay** and 2 letters of **recommendation**.

AMOUNT: The scholarship is in the amount of \$1,000.

TO APPLY: Information is available online at <https://jfslv.org/scholarships> or by calling 610-821-8722. Application materials are submitted directly **by the student** and are due by April 15. Check the web site for updates. Transcripts are **not** needed.

PTA - CHESTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any member of the graduating class who attended Cheston Elementary School for one or more years and who will begin a program of post high school study in the upcoming academic year. To be eligible, the recipient may not accept a PTA scholarship from another Easton Area School District elementary school.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, personal characteristics, and participation in extracurricular activities. The selection committee will also place consideration on financial need of the applicants.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$500.00 each, payable to the recipients following successful completion of the first semester of post high school study and verification of attendance in the second term or semester.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 26, 2019. Also, all forms, **including federal income tax returns** for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - THE COLE-AULD SCHOLARSHIP OF THE PALMER PTA

ELIGIBILITY: To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have graduated from Palmer Township Elementary School, (2) be a member of the EAHS graduating class, and (3) intend to pursue a two- or four-year college program.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic record, all-around accomplishments, and/or financial need.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. The scholarship will be paid directly to the students at the Easton High School Awards Ceremony contingent upon receiving confirmation that the students having accepted enrollment to a college.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 21, 2019, **including the entire Family Income (red) section**. All materials must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - EASTON AREA COUNCIL OF PTA'S SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primarily on academic achievement. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) be a member of the EAHS graduating class, and (2) intend to pursue a full-time program of post high school education.

STANDARDS: The award will be based on scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer the following question in an **essay**: *"What does it mean to you to be an Easton Rover?"* **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be one award of \$500.00 payable directly to the student recipient upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt) to their school of choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 12, 2019. Also, all materials must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - EASTON AREA MIDDLE SCHOOL

The PTA of Easton Area Middle School offers 2 scholarships. One is based primarily on academics, and one is based on financial need. Applicants who meet the criteria may apply for both scholarships.

EASTON AREA MIDDLE SCHOOL PTA ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primarily on academic achievement. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have attended EAMS for at least 2 years, (2) be a member of the Easton Area High School graduating class, and (3) intend to pursue a full-time program of post high school education. Other requirements, standards and application information requested will also be reviewed during the selection process to choose the candidate awarded the scholarship funds.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer one or both of the following questions in an **essay**: (1) *“Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?”* and/or (2) *“What did you learn about yourself as a student of EAMS?”* **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant’s name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be one award of \$500.00 payable directly to the student recipient upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt) to their school of choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by Thursday, March 14, 2019. Also, all materials, including the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

EASTON AREA MIDDLE SCHOOL PTA DR. CHARLENE SYMIA SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primarily on need of financial assistance. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have attended EAMS for at least 2 years, (2) be a member of the Easton Area High School graduating class and (3) intend to pursue a full-time program of post high school education. Other requirements, standards and application information requested will also be reviewed during the selection process to choose the candidate awarded the scholarship funds.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on financial records, scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer one or both of the following questions in an **essay** to complete the application process: (1) *“Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?”* and/or (2) *“What did you learn about yourself as a student of EAMS?”* **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant’s name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be one award of \$500.00 payable directly to the student recipient upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt) to their school of choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 19, 2019, **including the entire Family Income (red) section.** Also, all materials, including the essay, must be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - FORKS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any member of the graduating class who attended Forks Elementary School and will pursue a full-time program of post high school education.

STANDARDS: Award will be based on scholastic record, need for financial assistance, personal characteristics, and extra-curricular and community participation.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships will be offered, each in the amount of a one-time payment of \$1,000.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 19, 2019, **including the entire Family Income (red) section**. All forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - PAXINOSA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship is open to any member of graduating class who graduated from Paxinosa Elementary School and who will attend a two- or four-year college or technical school.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic record, need for financial assistance, participation in school and community activities, and personal characteristics. Applicants must also include a short, typed essay responding to this question: "What was your most memorable experience at Paxinosa?" **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount of \$500.00 will be payable to the recipient following successful completion of the first term or semester of college level study and verification of attendance in the second term or semester.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 26, 2019. All materials, including the essay and **federal income tax returns** for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - PENNSYLVANIA PTA GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: Scholarships are available for graduating high school seniors in Pennsylvania with a PTA/PTSA unit in good standing. Applicant must be a member of his/her high school PTA/PTSA. Scholarship is for use at an accredited college, university, community college, trade or technical school during the fall semester/quarter following high school graduation.

STANDARDS: This scholarship recognizes volunteer service in the school and community; there is no grade point average restriction or requirement. Financial need is not a criterion. The application includes essays and letters of recommendation from a community volunteer leader with whom student has served and a member of the high school faculty. A copy of your current PTSA card must also be included.

AMOUNT: Scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 will be awarded.

TO APPLY: Additional information and the application and reference forms are available in the Guidance Office or can be downloaded at the PTA website (<http://www.papta.org/domain/65>). Applications are mailed by the student and must be received by April 1, 2019.

PTA - SHAWNEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The PTA of Shawnee Elementary School offers 2 scholarships. One is based primarily on academics, and one is based on financial need. Applicants who meet the criteria may apply for both scholarships.

SHAWNEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA SHINING SHAWNEE SHARK SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primarily on academic achievement. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have graduated from Shawnee Elementary School, (2) be a member of the EAHS

graduating class, and (3) intend to pursue a full-time program of post high school education.

STANDARDS: The award will be based on scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer one or both of the following questions in an essay: (1) *“Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?”* and/or (2) *“What did you learn about yourself as a student of Shawnee?”* **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant’s name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be one award of \$1000.00 payable directly to the student recipient upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt) to their school of choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by Thursday, March 14, 2019. Also, all materials must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

SHAWNEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA SHAWNEE SHARK SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primarily on need of financial assistance. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have graduated from Shawnee Elementary School, (2) be a member of the EAHS graduating class and (3) intend to pursue a full-time program of post high school education.

STANDARDS: The award will be based on financial records provided on the Moodle application, scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer one or both of the following questions in an essay: (1) *“Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?”* and/or (2) *“What did you learn about yourself as a student of Shawnee?”* **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant’s name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be one award of \$1000.00 payable directly to the student recipient upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt) to their school of choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, March 19, 2019, **including the entire Family Income (red) section.** All materials must be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - TRACY ELEMENTARY SCHOLARSHIPS

The PTA of Tracy Elementary School offers 3 scholarships. Two are based primarily on academics, and one is based on financial need. Applicants who meet the criteria may apply for both types of scholarships.

TRACY TIGER TRAITS SCHOLARSHIP (ACADEMIC BASED):

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primarily on academic achievement. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have graduated from *Edward Tracy Elementary School*, (2) be a member of the EAHS graduating class, and (3) intend to pursue a full-time program of post high school education.

STANDARDS: The award will be based on scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer one or both of the following questions in an **essay**: (1) *“Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?”* and/or (2) *“What did you learn about yourself as a student of*

Tracy?" **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be two (2) awards of \$500.00 each payable directly to the student upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt or 1st semester transcript) to their school of choice. Note: The Tracy Elementary PTA reserves the right to award after board review any combination of scholarships to a single student under extenuating circumstances.

APPLICATION: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 14, 2019. Also, all materials, including the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

TRACY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP (FINANCIAL BASED):

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship was created to help students with their future endeavors based primary on need of financial assistance. To be eligible for this award a candidate must: (1) have graduated from Tracy Elementary School, (2) be a member of the EAHS graduating class and (3) intend to pursue post high school education.

STANDARDS: The award will be based on the financial information provided on the Moodle application, scholastic records, extracurricular participation, community participation and personal characteristics. In addition, applicants must answer one or both of the following questions in an **essay**: (1) *"Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?"* and/or (2) *"What did you learn about yourself as a student of Tracy?"* **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: There will be one (1) award of \$500.00 payable directly to the student recipient upon receipt of proof of enrollment (tuition payment receipt or 1st semester transcript) to their school of choice. Note: The Tracy Elementary PTA reserves the right to award after board review any combination of scholarships to one student under extenuating circumstances.

APPLICATION: This application must be completed online on Moodle, **including the entire Family Income (red) section**, by noon, Thursday, March 21, 2019. Also, all materials, including the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

PTA - J. ERIC VAN ARMAN SCHOLARSHIP OF THE MARCH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who graduated at March Elementary School after attending for at least two years and who will pursue a post high school education.

STANDARDS: Academic achievement and community service will be the prime considerations of the selection committee. Applicants must also include an **essay** responding to the question "What experience(s) at March Elementary influenced your high school experience or future goals?" Responses to this question must be typed and a maximum of one double-spaced page. **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount of \$500.00 will be awarded.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 14, 2019. All materials, including the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment and forwarding to the selection committee.

PTSA - THE EASTON AREA HIGH SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ASSOCIATION (PTSA) SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who was a **member of the EAHS PTSA for at least two years** and who will pursue a post high school education (trade school, technical school, community college, 4-year college).

STANDARDS: Awards will be based on scholastic record, personal characteristics, and extra-curricular participation. Financial need may be taken into consideration.

AMOUNT: There will be three awards of \$500.00 each. The scholarship will be paid directly to the students at the Easton High School Awards Ceremony contingent upon receiving confirmation of enrollment at a post-secondary educational institution.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 21, 2019, **including the entire Family Income (red) section**. In the Special Circumstances section of the application, students must state which years they were members of EAHS PTSA. All forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE RED, WHITE AND BLUE CLUB'S MILITARY SCHOLARSHIP FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class with a GPA of at least 2.5 who has a parent, step-parent, grandparent, or sibling who is serving or has served in the **United States military**. Applicants must be enrolling in a 2 or 4 yr. college, university, or trade school.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academics, participation in school and community activities, and financial need. Applicants must also complete an **essay**.

AMOUNT: One \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a student selected by the Highlands Sports Club Scholarship Committee. 1 year award.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed forms, along with the essay, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by 3:00 p.m. on Monday, March 11, 2019, for transcript attachment.

JOANN S. ROUNSLEY SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship will be presented annually to an EAHS graduating senior who has been accepted to an undergraduate degree program of at least 4 years in length.

STANDARDS: The selection will be based on high academic achievement and high moral character. Financial need is **not** a criterion for this award.

AMOUNT: The amount of this grant will be the income accrued in the JoAnn S. Rounsley Scholarship account during the twelve months preceding the date of the award. This year's award will be approximately \$500. If the student completes the undergraduate academic year in good standing and is registered for the following school year, the award is renewable for no more than a total of 4 academic years.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 7, 2019. Also, all forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

DR. AND MRS. FLOYD C. SANDT SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any graduating senior who will enter into a program of study in the profession of **teaching or school administration** in the upcoming academic year.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, personal characteristics, and participation in extracurricular activities. The selection committee will also place consideration on the financial need of the applicants.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship is based on the interest accrued in the trust fund. This year's award will be \$500.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 28, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date, for transcript attachment.

THE GORDON SANTEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who plans to major in the **natural or applied sciences**. Applicants must have maintained a record of high achievement (**top 10% of class required**) and have been accepted into a program of post high school study.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, extracurricular participation, personal characteristics, citizenship, and financial need.

AMOUNT: The scholarship is \$500.00 per year. The scholarship is generally renewable for each of the recipient's four undergraduate years (\$2,000 total) upon receipt of a transcript showing satisfactory academic progress. The recipient must also maintain a major in the natural or applied sciences.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 9, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE MOLLY SANTEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who plans to major in the **liberal arts**. Applicants must have maintained a record of high achievement (**top 10% of class required**) and have been accepted into a program of post high school study.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, extracurricular participation, personal characteristics, citizenship, and financial need.

AMOUNT: The scholarship is \$500.00 per year. The scholarship is generally renewable for each of the recipient's four undergraduate years (\$2,000 total) upon receipt of a transcript showing satisfactory academic progress. The recipient must also maintain a liberal arts major.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 9, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

AMANDA SCHULTZ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP***

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to a graduating senior from EAHS with a GPA of "B" or better who has participated **in a high school sport** and who reflects the characteristics of a well-rounded, hardworking, ambitious individual. Priority will be given to students attending a four-year college/university majoring in **business or marketing**.

STANDARDS: The applicant must have at least a "B" average or better and must have participated in a high school sport. Priority will be given to those intending to major in business or marketing.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 each will be awarded.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon, Thursday, February 28, 2019, for transcript attachment and forwarding to the selection committee.

THE ANDREW D. SIEGFRIED MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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Andrew D. Siegfried believed that we should take every opportunity availed to us. He excelled in his education at EAHS while participating in band, orchestra, tennis and lacrosse, as well as working a part time job at Laneco. Andrew believed that everyone should and could achieve through hard work and discipline to reach his or her goals. He never settled for anything but his best and worked to his maximum potential. While demanding excellence for himself he was able to graduate summa cum laude from George Washington University, Washington, DC, in 2002. He became a manager and mentor to many young professionals at Bates White Consulting LLC, just as he had been mentored along the way. He was a very compassionate and giving individual who supported many causes to help in the fight against cancer, heart disease, Aids and other causes within our nation's capital.

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any EAHS graduating senior who ranks in the **top tenth** of the class and who intends to pursue a four-year college degree within either the **business discipline or music education**. This scholarship will be awarded to the applicant who best exemplifies Andrew's qualities.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, citizenship, character, extracurricular participation, as well as demonstrated leadership; in addition, an essay will be required. The committee may find it necessary to include a personal interview as part of the selection process. Financial need is **not** a requirement for this scholarship.

AMOUNT: One scholarship in the amount of \$2,500.00 will be awarded, payable to the college/university of the recipient's choice, after successful completion of the first semester.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon on Thursday, February 28, 2019. Applicants must also complete a typed **essay** responding to the following: "In your own words, describe how you best exemplify the qualities of Andrew." All materials must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS SCHOLARSHIP, LEHIGH VALLEY

SECTION***

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is offered by the Lehigh Valley Section of the Society of Women Engineers. All women graduating from local high schools who plan to major in engineering starting in the fall of 2019 are encouraged to apply.

STANDARDS: The applicant must be applying to an ABET-accredited engineering program. As part of the application, the student must also submit an essay and a letter of recommendation.

AMOUNT: One-time scholarships of up to \$5,000 will be awarded. Each recipient will be invited to attend the annual banquet in May where the awards will be formally presented.

TO APPLY: All applications must be submitted electronically. Application forms are available at <http://lv.swe.org/scholarships.html>. Completed applications, which include a high school transcript, must be uploaded by the student no later than by 5 p.m. on February 10, 2019.

NOTE: Information about SWE **national** scholarships, due between March 1 and May 1, 2019, is available at http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/index.php/scholarships#activePanels_

SADIE WISE STAUFFER INCENTIVE AWARD FUND SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any member of the graduating class who will enter a program of study in the upcoming academic year. Preference will be given to those candidates who will prepare themselves to become church organists or choir directors.

STANDARDS: The selection committee will consider academic achievement, personal characteristics, and participation in extracurricular activities. The selection committee will also consider the financial need of the applicants.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship is based on the interest accrued in the trust fund. This year's award will be \$300.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Wednesday, April 17, 2019. All forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE ELIAS A. SYMIA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any student in the graduating class who plans to attend a four-year college/university. Preference will be given to students who intend to pursue a **science major**.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based upon evidence of academic achievement, financial need, community service, and participation in extra-curricular activities. Applicants must also include of a **typed essay (6 copies)** that explains how they have either overcome or continue to struggle with a personal challenge. **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: A scholarship of \$500 will be presented to the student after receipt of a copy of the acceptance letter from the college or university of the recipient's choice.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 9. Also, all materials, including the essay and federal income tax returns for both the parents and the student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

STRING AWARD OF THE ALLENTOWN MUSIC CLUB***

ELIGIBILITY: This award is offered to a graduating Lehigh County or Northampton County high school senior in recognition of progress in the study of a stringed instrument (violin, viola, cello, string bass, and classical guitar).

STANDARDS: Applicants must audition and complete an application.

AMOUNT: The amount of the prize is \$500.

TO APPLY: Interested students will find additional information and the application to download on the organization's web site: <http://www.allentownmusicclub.com/Home/2013-string-award/application-for-award>). Deadline for application is Saturday, February 2, 2015. The audition date is Saturday, February 9, 2019.

THE EDWARD V. TADAJWESKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who is planning to attend a four-year college. The applicant must be in the **top 15% of the class** in rank.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on academic achievement, community service, participation in school activities including athletic involvement, leadership, and personal characteristics.

AMOUNT: This year's award of \$500 will be paid directly to the college.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Thursday, March 7, 2019. Also, all forms must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

UNICO CLUB - EASTON CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the Easton Area High School graduating class of **Italian heritage** who will enter a full time post high school program of study in the upcoming academic year.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on scholastic record, participation in school, and an **essay**. Financial need is not a consideration.

AMOUNT: This year's award will be at least 1 scholarship of \$500.00.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed materials, including the essay and any acceptance letters, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon on Thursday, February 28, 2019, in order to meet the committee's deadline (*before* first Friday in March).

THE DR. AND MRS. JOSEPH T. URBAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

ELIGIBILITY: One scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior who is in need of financial assistance, has demonstrated academic achievement, and is planning to further his/her education.

STANDARDS: The selection committee shall limit its considerations to those seniors who demonstrate initiative regardless of race, creed, color or sex.

AMOUNT: The amount of the scholarship will be determined based on interest accrued from the monies held in trust for the Dr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Urban Scholarship Fund. This year's s scholarship will be \$800.00. The scholarship funds may be used by the recipient for any direct or incidental expenses in connection with college, junior college, graduate school, trade school, professional school, preparatory school or any like or similar institution of education.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Monday, April 15, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

THE VARSITY E SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the EAHS graduating class who is a **letter winner** in the EAHS extra-curricular activities program.

STANDARDS: Selection will be based on school participation, community service, personal characteristics, need for financial assistance, attendance, and a ranking in the **top half** of the class.

AMOUNT: Two male and two female members of the graduating class will receive an award of \$500.00.

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Monday, April 15, 2019. Also, all forms, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by the above time and date for transcript attachment.

WBC OF THE VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP***

ELIGIBILITY: This annual scholarship recognizes outstanding **female** high school seniors who have demonstrated academic ability and a commitment to learning, achievement, and community service. The scholarship assists young women in their pursuit of higher education and their desire to assist other young women in reaching their full leadership potential after post-secondary graduation. To be eligible, **the applicant must be the daughter of an employee of a business or organization that is a current member of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce**. Children of the chamber staff, WBC Board, or the scholarship selection committee are ineligible.

STANDARDS: The applicant must 1) be in good standing (defined as acceptable citizenship and attendance) at her high school; 2) have maintained an overall 3.5 GPA; 3) have demonstrated community service through school or church and or employment; 4) be accepted and attending an accredited post-secondary educational program during the following academic year.

AMOUNT: At least 1 scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Depending on the quality of the applicants, more than 1 scholarship may be awarded.

TO APPLY: Application forms are available in the Guidance Office. Completed applications include 3 **essays, a personal reference, your counselor's endorsement, and an acceptance letter**. All materials must be returned to Mrs. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office by noon on Monday, March 25, 2019, for the counselor's endorsement and attachment of the **official** transcript so that the application can be forwarded to the selection committee by the March 29 deadline. Final evaluation may involve an in-person interview with the scholarship selection committee.

THE ROLAND J. WOTRING SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who plans to attend an accredited college or university in the United States. One or both parents must be citizens of the United States. **The signatures of the parents and student on the application certify the American citizenship of at least 1 parent.** Recipients must also be residents of the Easton Area School District.

STANDARDS: Primary criteria will be financial need for those who could not otherwise attend college, scholarship, and determination to further one's education. There will be no discrimination on the basis of race, creed, or sex.

AMOUNT: Two scholarships in the amount \$5,000 will be awarded. The scholarship is payable in two installments: \$2,500.00 after July 1 upon receipt of a copy of the acceptance letter; \$2,500.00 after December 1 upon receipt of the fall semester transcript showing satisfactory academic performance. Checks will be mailed directly to the college/university the student will be attending. **This scholarship is renewable during each of the recipient's four undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript after each semester showing satisfactory academic performance. (\$20,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 30, 2019. Also, all materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office for transcript attachment by the above date.

THE ROLAND J. WOTRING SCHOLARSHIP FUND FOR FIRST GENERATION AMERICANS

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ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is open to any member of the graduating class who plans to attend an accredited college or university in the United States. One or both parents must be **naturalized** citizens of the United States. **The signatures of the parents and student on the application certify the naturalized citizenship of at least 1 parent.** Recipients must also be residents of the Easton Area School District.

STANDARDS: Primary criteria will be financial need for those who could not otherwise attend college, scholarship, and determination to further one's education. Applicants must also submit a typed **essay** that responds to the following question: How has your family's experience with immigration affected your view of America? There will be no discrimination on the basis of race, creed, or sex. **Because applications will be reviewed anonymously, the applicant's name must not appear on the essay; instead, use the student ID number for identification.**

AMOUNT: One scholarships in the amount \$5,000 will be awarded. The scholarship is payable in two installments: \$2,500.00 after July 1 upon receipt of a copy of the acceptance letter; \$2,500.00 after December 1 upon receipt of the fall semester transcript showing satisfactory academic performance. Checks will be mailed directly to the college/university the student will be attending. **This scholarship is renewable during each of the recipient's four undergraduate years upon receipt of the college transcript after each semester showing satisfactory academic performance. (\$20,000 total)**

TO APPLY: This application must be completed online on Moodle by noon, Tuesday, April 30, 2019. Also, all materials, including federal income tax returns for both the parents and student, must be returned to Ms. Rinaldi in the Guidance Office for transcript attachment by the above date.

State-Wide Scholarship Opportunities

Horatio Alger National Career & Technical Scholarship Program: For 2019 graduates who will be enrolled in an eligible program in Fall 2019. Applicants must exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical program at an accredited non-profit post-secondary institution in the United States. Also, financial need and U.S. citizenship are required. Application should be available online by March 15 at <http://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/about-our-scholarship-programs/technical/>

Automotive Aftermarket Scholarships: Scholarships are available for students training to become automotive, heavy duty or collision repair technicians, and to students in business, marketing, engineering, or other major courses of study. **Deadline March 31.** For more information see <http://www.automotivescholarships.com>

Lehigh Valley Road Runners Scholarships: For students who are members of high school cross country or track teams and who compete as individuals in running events. Scholarships are awarded to 2 young men and 2 young women for \$4,000 each. **Deadline May 31, 2019.** Download the application at <http://lvrr.org/scholarship>

PAA Automotive Technology Scholarships and PAA Community Service Scholarships: Available to students affiliated with franchised new car and truck dealers in Pennsylvania or with an automotive technology program. Awards of up to \$5,000 per year for a maximum of two years. **Deadline March 1, 2019.** For information and applications visit <http://www.paa.org/scholarships>

The Pennsylvania American Legion offers **several** scholarships to students who are the children or grandchildren of **veterans**. For details and applications visit their web site: <http://pa-legion.com/programs/student-programs/scholarships/>

Pennsylvania House of Representatives Scholarship: Graduating seniors and legal residents of PA, with a minimum 3.0 GPA, planning to attend any 4-year college in PA, and demonstrating leadership and community service. **Deadline March 1.** Award: 2 winners/Amount varies. Application: <http://www.tfec.org/scholarships/pennsylvania-house-of-representatives-scholarship/>

Pennsylvania Restaurant Association Educational Foundation offers scholarships to graduating high school seniors furthering their education in the hospitality industry who have been accepted in a **Hospitality or Culinary Arts** program in an accredited post-secondary institution. Scholarships range from \$500-\$1500. **March 1 deadline**. For details and an application visit their web site: <http://www.prla.org/scholarship> . The web site includes a listing of other scholarship opportunities in the hospitality industry.

Simon Youth Community Scholarship (Lehigh Valley Mall): Simon Youth Community Scholarships are awarded to college-bound students in communities within 50 miles of a Simon ® property, including the Lehigh Valley Mall. To-date, more than \$12 million in scholarships have been awarded to more than 3,700 students in 42 states. Apply online at <http://programs.applyists.com/syf/> . **Deadline Feb. 20.**

The Hermine Solt Student Scholarship: The purpose of this scholarship, offered by the PA Association of Educational Office Professionals (PAEOP), is to aid students in Pennsylvania in pursuing higher education at a 2 or 4-year institution in a business-related field, including secretarial, office technology, accounting, business education (including business education teaching). The deadline is March 1. Applications are available online at <https://www.paeop.com/site/Default.aspx?PageID=76>

Scholarship recipients will be notified either by the EASD Scholarship Coordinator, Mrs. Sayago, or by the donor directly. Recipients who are contacted by donors should then notify Mrs. Sayago to ensure that the announcement appears in the graduation program.