

Scholarship Bulletin

Jan. 7, 2013

Kentucky Farm Bureau Education Foundation Scholarship Program

Deadline: February 28, 2012

To be eligible:

- Have a minimum 3.5 Cumulative GPA...OR...a minimum 23 ACT Score.
- Be a child of a Kentucky Farm Bureau member and remain such, while the scholarship is in force.
- Finish high school within the year you apply for the scholarship

NOTE:

- There is only 1 Scholarship Application for all Scholarship Awards available.
- To be eligible for one of the scholarships (*Leadership in Agriculture Scholarship*), student's parents must be actively engaged in production agriculture.
- Children of Kentucky Farm Bureau Insurance Agency Managers, Agents, Agency Secretaries and **CSR's are only eligible** for the *Kentucky Farm Bureau Insurance Agents Association Scholarship*.

Those not eligible are children of:

Kentucky Farm Bureau Claims Personnel
Kentucky Farm Bureau State Board Members
Kentucky Farm Bureau State and District Employees
Kentucky Farm Bureau State Woman's Advisory Committee Members

To Obtain the Scholarship Application:

- Visit the KY Farm Bureau website at: www.kyfb.com
- Ms. Burgei has paper applications you can pick up as well

Questions:

- Contact Susie Tanner at (502) 495-5206 or Susan.Tanner@kyfb.com.

Gilbraitti Scholarship

Deadline: March 1, 2013

Criteria:

- Be between 16-20
- Must be attending a college or university in the Fall of 2013
- Must complete the application form online, including the essay prior to the March 1, 2013 deadline.

Awards:

- (One) \$500 Award is given

To Apply:

- Follow directions and information found at:
<http://www.mortgagebrokerslangley.ca/mortgagecompany.php>

Greater Cincinnati Women's Golf Association Scholarship Program

Deadline: Postmarked by March 1, 2013

Criteria:

- Candidates for scholarship will be selected based on academic achievement, excellence of character, and involvement in the sport of golf.
- GPA of 3.0 or better
- Submit a Letter of Recommendation from a coach, golf professional, or teacher.
- Submit an essay of no more than 250 words describing how golf has impacted your life and also describe your future goals as it pertains to golf.
- Submit most recent High School transcript

To Apply:

- Visit the Association's website at: www.gcwga.org to download an application or see Ms. Burgei for a paper application.
- Send Application to:
Melissa Homan
Chairman, GCWGA Foundation
P.O. Box 9544
Cincinnati, OH 45209
- Do not staple portions of application together.
- Scholarships will be awarded and recipients notified via email in May.

For more Information or if you have questions:

- Contact Melissa Homan at melho@cinci.rr.com or 513-272-3283.

Commonwealth Credit Union Scholarships

DEADLINE: March 15, 2013 at 4 pm

Criteria and Information:

- Commonwealth Credit Union is happy to offer TWO scholarships this year to our members who are graduating high school seniors.
- These scholarship programs are designed to recognize academic achievement among our young members and to promote higher education.
- Interested applicants must be high school seniors, members of Commonwealth Credit Union and accepted as an incoming freshman at an accredited college, trade school or university.

Scholarships Available:

- General Scholarship: *Nathan Leach "Reach for the Stars" Scholarship*
- Scholarships specifically for members that have overcome a physical or learning disability: *Adam Bender "Reach for Excellence" Scholarship*

Awards:

- The maximum scholarship per student is \$4,000 over a four-year period for undergraduate study. This is \$1,000 annually or \$500 per semester, renewable, providing the student maintains a 2.8 GPA.

To Apply:

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- Visit our website: <http://www.ccu.org/scholarship/>
- All scholarship entries must be received at Commonwealth Credit Union no later than 4:00 p.m. EST Friday, March 15, 2013.
- If you have additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact Betsy May at 502.564.4775 or 800.228.6420, ext. 5255 or email at bmay@cwcu.org.

Rekow & Stull Orthodontics Scholarship Program

Deadline: March 30, 2013

Criteria:

- Any senior in Campbell, Kenton, Boone, Pendleton and Bracken counties as well as patients of Rekow & Stull Orthodontics in Kentucky, Ohio, and Indiana.
- Demonstrate outstanding academic achievement, strong participation in school activities, and community service.
- Recommended criteria are a 3.5 Cumulative GPA and combined ACT score 24 or SAT (combined CR and M) score 1000.
- Be candidate for high school graduation by the end of the current academic year and enrolled as a full-time student in a college or university.

Awards:

- (Three) \$1000 Scholarships will be awarded and students will be notified in mid-May.

To Apply:

- Download application from Rekow & Stull Orthodontics Website: www.orthosmileteam.com.
- You can also see Ms. Burgei for a paper application
- **Items that need Postmarked by March 30, 2013:** Completed application form, High School Transcript, recent ACT or SAT Scores, Letters of Recommendation from a counselor, teacher and/or high school principal, and a personal reference from a non-family member, any other info which might be helpful or will aid your application, and a signed parental consent form.
- Send all documents to:

Rekow and Stull Orthodontics Scholarship Program
637 Highland Ave.
Ft. Thomas, KY 41075

- Applicants may also hand-deliver their application materials in ONE envelope to Dr. Rekow & Stull's office (at the above address)

For More Information:

- Call Michele Means (Scholarship Coordinator) at: 859-781-2662.

James F. Bertsch Memorial Scholarship *(Must be attending Thomas More)*

Deadline: April 15, 2013

Criteria:

- This is a scholarship for seniors attending Thomas More College.
- Student is to have a GPA of a 3.0 or above.
- Student has demonstrated participation in extracurricular activities and demonstrated leadership qualities as well as volunteerism in his/her community.
- Special consideration will be given to students with an interest and potential in Math or Physics, as these are traits realized by the late James F. Bertsch, which this Scholarship is in honor of.

How to Apply:

- Submit an application narrative that is typed, double-spaced, and less than 500 words.
- In this narrative, express why you feel qualified to receive this scholarship based on the merits listed above.
- Applicants must provide their full name, address, phone number, high school, & how they plan to finance their college education.
- Further details about their life and merits, especially as highlighted above in the criteria will add to the committee's understanding and ability to select a recipient of this award.
- **To be eligible, students must apply for the FAFSA.**

How to Submit Your Application Narrative:

- Submit your narrative via email to: rbertsch@fuse.net
or
- Submit your narrative by mail by sending it to:
James F. Bertsch Memorial Scholarship Committee
113 Mooock Road
Southgate, KY 41071

Questions:

- Contact: Ronald M. Bertsch at 859-431-2890 or rbertsch@fuse.net

Best Buy - Scholarship Program

DEADLINES: Vary (See Website)

Criteria:

- Students in the US and Puerto Rico who demonstrate good grades, commitment to community service and/or work experience are eligible to apply.

Awards:

- 1,100 Scholarships of \$1,000 each will be awarded.

For more information and to apply:

- Visit: <http://pr.bby.com>

ONLINE SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCE:

[College Express Free Scholarship Search Engine:](http://www.collegexpress.com/scholarships/search)

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- Here is a new resource I just ran across! It is a free Scholarship Search Engine where you can type in any key word(s) (such as 'dance', 'music', 'debate', 'accounting', etc.) and run a search for applicable scholarships.

NOTE: This is a large, public search engine so remember the rules of scholarships found on the web:

- NEVER PAY TO APPLY
- CHECK THEM OUT TO MAKE SURE THEY ARE LEGITIMATE
- IF THERE IS A CONTACT—INVESTIGATE AND GET ALL THE FACTS BEFORE PUTTING TIME INTO APPLYING.