



Roger Burns Memorial Scholarship

The *Roger Burns Memorial Scholarship* was originally established in 2013 to honor a Past Master and longtime, valued member of the Masonic family. As part of our mission to support our local community, Livonia United Lodge No. 152 seeks to award scholarship funds to well deserving individuals.

The application and requirements will be distributed directly through the Livonia United Lodge.

Minimum requirements (must be met for consideration):

- Proof of acceptance and enrollment to a degree granting institution or vocational program
- Official academic transcript
- Completed Application
- Two letters of recommendation, with full contact information of recommender

Application Deadline: Annually on May 1st of the year in which the scholarship will be awarded.

Number of Scholarships: Each year, the Lodge will provide the number of scholarships seen fit, with a desired maximum of five. Scholarship funds are awarded for one year only, and applicants must re-apply for each subsequent year of their higher education or vocational pursuits.

Award Criterion: Candidates from the Livonia community high schools and the fraternal community will be primarily considered for these awards. Acceptance and enrollment to a college, university, or vocational program is required prior to the award. Ideal candidates will, in addition to meeting the application forms and deadlines, possess some of the very same virtues that our organization values so highly.

- *Intellectual Achievement* –The capacity for intellect, and a thirst for knowledge.
- *Community Involvement and Service* – A desire to serve others in their community.
- *Leadership* – A desire to lead others in a positive direction, through their involvement in groups, teams, and activities within their school and community.

Merit will be given to financial needs and other scholarship awards to the applicant, on a case by case basis.

While affiliation/membership with any of the youth groups associated with Masonry (e.g. Demolay, Rainbow Girls, Job's Daughters) or with any member of the extended Masonic family is **not** required for application, consideration will be given to those who have those affiliations.

Scholarship Award Celebration: The Scholarships will be announced annually at a Lodge event, which typically occurs in August. It is strongly desired that all Roger Burns Memorial Scholarship recipients be present at this event to receive certificates of their award. Photographs taken at the event may be used by the Lodge for communications, newsletters, and on the Lodge website materials.

The ultimate mission for these funds is to provide back to the community at large, and to reward suitable candidates that may one day be of service to others through the involvement in one of the many fraternal organizations of the extended masonic family.

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Please note: Students must apply and submit for scholarships only through a local Michigan Lodge.

All applicants must include:

1. An official transcript, certified by the school that includes the student's academic record.
2. ACT or SAT test scores. These may be photocopied.
3. Two letters of recommendation.

To Submit:

Return application to a Michigan lodge. A list of all Michigan lodges can be found on the Grand Lodge of Michigan website: grandlodgemi.org/lodges

Please Type or Print in Ink

Application for Scholarship Award for academic year 20____ thru 20____

Case No: _____
(Office Use Only)

(Mrs., Ms., Miss, Mr.) _____
-Select One- Full Legal Name

Contact #: _____

Student Address: _____

High School(s) Attended:

Name of School	City	Years Attended
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Name of School	City	Years Attended
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Date of Graduation: _____ Intended Major: _____

College Choice: _____

If enrolled, College student I.D. number: _____

Father: _____ Occupation: _____

Name

Mother: _____ Occupation: _____
Name

State any other Lodge where you have turned this application in this year: _____

Signature: _____ Dated: _____
Student

Signature: _____ Dated: _____
Parent, Guardian, or Spouse

Student Name: _____

SCHOLASTIC (High School)

Academic Honors and Awards (State Year and Nature of):

Member of Academic Organization (State name of organization, year, & if position held):

Elective courses taken (State name of class & year, i.e.: Band 2, 3; Choir 2-4; Art 1):

Courses I like the most (give short explanation & any successes):

Courses I disliked the most (give short explanation & any successes):

Faculty Member who made the most impression on me and why:

EXTRACURRICULAR (School Related)

Honors and Awards (State year and nature of):

Offices and positions of Leadership (State name of group, position, year):

Member of Organization where *no office* was held (State name of group, year, i.e.: Drama 2, 3. Please state only major activities):

EXTRACURRICULAR (Non-School Related)

Honors and Awards (State year and nature of):

Offices and positions of Leadership (State name of group/organization, position, year):

Member of Organization (State name of organization, year, such as: Scouts, DeMolay, Jobs, Rainbow, 4H, Junior Achievement, Etc. –state only major activities):

Employment: (State name of employer(s), positions held, periods of employment, average weekly hours, earnings, etc.):

Other

List all siblings and ages:

Have you been granted financial aid?	YES	NO	Details of the following:
a) Scholarship	\$ _____	b) Federal or State Loan	\$ _____
c) Pell Grant	\$ _____	d) Campus Job	\$ _____
e) Other Grant	\$ _____	f) Other	\$ _____
TOTAL FINANCIAL AID\$			

Have you reasons to expect financial aid from any other source?

If so, give details:

Any additional data to show financial need and general worthiness, be specific in this:

Please include a brief statement describing your current educational goals and their relationship to your career plans:
