

SCHOLARSHIPS

General Scholarship Information

(www.fastweb.com contains info on 600,000 scholarships)

Friendly Sons of St. Patrick

Deadline: April 5, 2019

Friendly Sons of St. Patrick of Central Iowa have established a scholarship award for two senior cross-country or track athletes (one girl and one boy) that will be graduating from Des Moines metro-area high schools. Each \$500 award is funded by the efforts of the organization to raise money through a variety of community events, including our annual 5K and 5-mile St. Patrick's Day Runs – to be held this year on Sunday, April 14, 2019. The Friendly Sons plan to present the scholarships to the individual winners at that event. The applicant must have applied and been accepted at a college, university, or vocational school of his or her choice and need not participate in college athletics.

Please pick up an application in the Guidance Office.

Prairie Meadows Scholarship

Deadline: April 5, 2019

The Prairie Meadows Scholarship is awarded during the recipient's freshman year of higher education. The recipient must attend school in the fall and spring semesters immediately following high school graduation. The Prairie Meadows Scholarship is a \$2,500 award paid in two installments of \$1,250 during the fall semester and spring semester. The recipient must successfully complete the fall semester before the spring semester award will be given.

To be eligible for a Prairie Meadows 2019 Scholarship, students must meet all the following criteria:

- Graduating senior
- Accepted at and planning to attend an accredited Iowa institution of higher learning
- Enrolling as a full-time student (12 credit hours or more) for the Fall 2019 semester
- United States citizen, or permanent US resident, for at least the past two consecutive years
- Minimum cumulative high school GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale

Download the Scholarship Application at www.prairiemeadows.com/community/scholarship-program or pick up in the Guidance office. If you have questions about the Scholarship Program or the application, contact the Prairie Meadows Community Relations Department at (515) 967-8630 or scholarship@prairiemeadows.com

Completed scholarship applications and required documents must be submitted to your high school guidance counselor's office by **Friday, April 5, 2019**.

Saydel Eagle Endowment Scholarship

Deadline: April 18, 2019

The Saydel Eagle Endowment (SEE), formerly Saydel Dollars for Scholars, is a volunteer organization originally formed in 2001 under the laws of Iowa. We have been awarding scholarships since 2002 to Saydel seniors who are attending any college or university, community college, or trade school. Applications are available in the guidance office and must be completed and returned to the guidance office by Thursday, April 18, 2019. Applicant interviews will be Wednesday, April 24, 2019, in the media center. **Scholarships will be**

awarded equally to every applicant who completes the application form and interview. *If you miss your interview, you will not receive a scholarship.*

Vietnam Veterans of America Scholarship **Deadline: April 30, 2019**

The Kit Williamson Memorial Scholarship Fund will award two \$500 scholarships to children and grandchildren of Vietnam Era Veterans to assist with the costs associated with undergraduate studies at accredited educational or technical institutions.

Applications can be picked up in the Guidance Office.

The Pearl Hull Falk Scholarship **Deadline: May 1, 2019**

Scholarships are awarded annually in the amount of \$800 (\$400 per semester) and sent directly to the University of Iowa. Recipients must be: of the Protestant faith, a resident of the State of Iowa, and a full-time student at the University of Iowa. At least one of the recipients must be a member of an Episcopal Church, and at least one must be a young man who shows interest in and promise for a career in banking. Applications are available in the Guidance Office. Questions can be directed to Elizabeth Burke at eburke@midwestone.com or call 319-341-2013.

Applications can be picked up in the Guidance department.

Robert D. Blue Scholarship **Deadline: May 10, 2019**

Young people today face many challenges as they begin their search for colleges. The rising cost of tuition is an additional challenge. Our goal is to provide financial assistance to Iowa students who deserve to be recognized. The Robert D. Blue Scholarship awards students who demonstrate literary and scholastic ability; exhibit qualities of truth, courage, and fellowship; and display moral force of character. This scholarship's funding comes from the Iowa Centennial Memorial Foundation's interest earnings; thus, the number and amounts of scholarships awarded vary from year to year. These amounts awarded have varied from \$500 to \$1000.

The applicant must be an Iowa resident planning to attend an Iowa college/university during the 2019-2020 school year. The applicant can be a current high school senior or someone already enrolled in a college/university.

Applications are accepted ONLINE ONLY. Apply online at <http://www.rdblue.org/application/>

Horatio Alger Scholarship **Deadline: June 15, 2019**

The Horatio Alger Association seeks to assist students who demonstrate integrity, perseverance in overcoming adversity, strength in character, financial need, a good academic record, commitment to pursue a college education and a desire to contribute to society. To be eligible, applicant must:

- Have completed high school or earned a high school equivalency degree by Spring 2019
- Will be enrolled in eligible program in Fall 2019
- Exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical program (up to 2 years) at an accredited non-profit public or private institution in the United States
- Demonstrate critical financial need (must be eligible to receive the Federal Pell grant as determined by completion of the FAFSA)
- Demonstrated perseverance in overcoming adversity

- Be under the age of 30
- Be a United States citizen

You can apply online at: application.horatioalger.org