

**DISTRICT 50 EDUCATION FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS**

**ALL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED
NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 22, 2008 AT:
DISTRICT 50 EDUCATION FOUNDATION
ADAMS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 50
4476 WEST 68TH AVENUE
WESTMINSTER, CO 80030**

Each scholarship is for one year only. If the winner cannot accept the scholarship for any reason, the runner-up will be awarded the scholarship.

DISTRICT 50 EDUCATION FOUNDATION OUTSTANDING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$3,000.00 Quantity: 2

Requirements: One scholarship winner will be chosen per high school in the spring of 2008. The successful applicants must rank in the top five percent of their class, have competitive ACT and/or SAT scores, will have completed a rigorous course of study which may include Advanced Placement courses, International Baccalaureate, and college courses. The successful candidate will have participated in some aspect of his/her school's extra curricular program, will have performed volunteer and/ or community service and will be able to convincingly describe the future college and career plans. Selection will be based on academic achievement.

DISTRICT 50 RESCUE UNIT SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$2,000.00 Quantity: 3

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008 or be a long time resident in District 50. The funds were donated by District # 50 Volunteer Rescue Unit; formed in 1947 and disbanded in 1991. Applicants for the scholarships will be evaluated based on financial need and academic achievement. They must intend to major in a health care field including paramedical, emergency medical, nursing, medical assistant, pre-med, physician's assistant or dental training.

THOMAS GREEN BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$1,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. Funds for this scholarship were donated to the District 50 Education Foundation in memory of Mr. Tom Green who was the long time president of the Westminster First National Bank (now Chase Bank located at 7301 Federal Blvd.). Mr. Green used his leadership position as the bank president to initiate numerous community service projects. The recipient of this scholarship will be selected based upon his/her intent to pursue a course of studies in business, accounting or finance. Selection will be based on financial need and academic achievement.

PAUL HUSTAD COACHING SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$500.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008 with the desire to pursue coaching as a career. The applicant must intend to pursue post-secondary education to meet this goal. Paul Hustad was a classroom teacher and varsity basketball coach for 33 years at Westminster High School with a record of 384 wins and 157 losses. His 1975 team won the class 5-A state championship with a 35-0 record. Hustad was Colorado Coach of the Year in 1975, 1976 District # 6 national coach of the year, coached 10 state tournament teams, 8 all-state players and over 400 athletes. Selection will be based on financial need and academic achievement.

THE IVER C. RANUM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR FUTURE TEACHERS

Amount: \$2,500.00 Quantity: 2

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. Applicants for this scholarship must intend to pursue teaching as a career. This scholarship is co-sponsored by the District 50 Education Foundation and the Westminster Retired School Employees Association. Iver C. Ranum began teaching in the district in 1935, became principal in 1939, and was superintendent from 1950 to 1976. Only one student per school will be selected. Selection will be based on financial need and academic achievement.

WILLIAM SCHAFFNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$1,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. The family of William "Bill" Schaffner has sponsored this scholarship to honor Bill Schaffner, a talented musician and valedictorian of the class of 1973 at Westminster High School. He earned Bachelor of Science and Master of Science Degrees from MIT and a Master of Business Administration from Columbia University. Applicants for this scholarship must intend to major in the field of science leading to a career in science. Selection will be based on financial need and academic achievement.

KAISER PERMANENTE SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$1,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. Kaiser Permanente provides health care for district employees and has generously donated this scholarship. Applicants must intend to major in areas that will lead to careers in health-related fields. The winners must be enrolled at an accredited two or four-year college, university or vocational school in the Fall 2008. Selection will be based on financial need and academic achievement.

ENGINEERING/COMPUTER SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$2,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. The District 50 Education Foundation sponsors this scholarship. Applicants must demonstrate the intent to pursue a degree in an area of engineering or computer science. Selection will be based on academic achievement.

NANCY HEIL SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$3,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. This scholarship sponsored by the District 50 Education Foundation, honors Mrs. Nancy Heil who helped establish the Community Education Foundation, now the District 50 Education Foundation. Mrs. Heil served on the Ranum High Parent Advisory Council, the Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council and was responsible for coordinating the establishment of the Community Education Foundation as a charter member and major fundraiser. Mrs. Heil also served on the Westminster City Council for 18 years and as Mayor for 8 years. Applicants for this scholarship must be active in their school's student council and have run for an elected office at their school. Preference will be given to applicants pursue a post-secondary degree in education. Selection will be based on financial need and academic achievement.

HYLAND HILLS PARKS AND RECREATION SUMMER EMPLOYEE SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$2,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. District 50 Education Foundation sponsors this scholarship to honor the partnership between Hyland Hills Parks and Recreation and School District 50 recreation programs, the summer employment opportunities, as well as substantial support of the District 50 Education Foundation. Applicants for this scholarship must show proof of employment at Hyland Hills Parks and Recreation for at least one summer and the winner must be enrolled at an accredited two or four-year college, university or vocational school in the Fall 2008. Selection will be based primarily on academic achievement.

PEPSI COLA PROMISING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$2,500.00 Quantity: 2

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from either Ranum or Westminster High School in the spring of 2008 with one scholarship awarded to each high school. The Pepsi Cola Company values education and generously donated the funds for these scholarships. Selection will be based on academic achievement as well as financial need.

PEPSI-COLA CAREER TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$1,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from Hidden Lake High School in the spring of 2008. The successful candidate will be awarded this scholarship based on the intent to pursue post secondary technical training. Selection will be based on success in all classes, demonstrated dedication to learning based on teacher recommendation, and financial need.

WESTMINSTER RETIRED SCHOOL EMPLOYEE ASSOCIATION Career Technical Scholarship

Amount: \$1,000.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants for this scholarship must be scheduled to graduate from an ACSD 50 high school in the spring of 2008. The Westminster Retired School Employee Association has sponsored this scholarship. The successful candidate must demonstrate a strong commitment to pursue post-secondary education at a vocational school, college or university. Selection will be based upon academic success and financial need.

WESTMINSTER HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1991 COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$500.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants for this scholarship must be scheduled to graduate from Westminster High School in the spring of 2008. This scholarship was established by the Westminster High School Class of 1991 at the time of their graduation. It is intended to foster and reward volunteer community service within the student body at Westminster High School. Page 4 of the scholarship application **MUST** be submitted for consideration of this scholarship. Selection for this scholarship will be based upon quality and quantity of the service completed.

DISTRICT 50 EDUCATION FOUNDATION COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$500.00 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Applicants for this scholarship must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. The successful candidate must demonstrate a commitment to community service/volunteerism throughout his/her high school career. Page 4 of the scholarship application **MUST** be submitted for consideration of this scholarship. The successful candidate must intend to pursue post-secondary education in a two year or four year college or university.

ST. ANTHONY NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$2,000.00 Quantity: 2

Requirements: Applicants must be scheduled to graduate from any Adams County School District 50 High School in the spring of 2008. The funds were donated by St. Anthony North Hospital and St. Anthony Health Foundation to encourage nursing careers. Applicants for the scholarships will be evaluated based on financial need and academic achievement. They must intend to major in nursing in a two year or four year college or university.

CATHERINE GUYER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$600 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Scholarship recipients must live in the Perl Mack Neighborhood and intending to pursue a career technical program such as those in the construction trade, beauty school or automotive mechanics. Award will be based on financial need. **Only students living between Broadway-Zuni-84th and I-76 will be eligible.**

LARRY SILVER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: Full Scholarship to Front Range Community College Quantity: 1

Requirements: This scholarship provides full tuition to a graduate of any Adams County School District 50 high school for Automotive Training/Diesel Training at Front Range Community College. Scholarship based on need, merit and commitment to the field of automotive mechanics. Scholarship will be renewed in second year of program if student receives a 2.0 GPA or better. The scholarship recognizes the outstanding commitment of Larry Silver to the students of Adams County School District 50.

BARRY KRAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$1,000 Quantity: 1

Requirements: Barry Kram was a school psychologist who supported children and families in Adams County School District 50 for more than 20 years. Student applying for this scholarship must be graduating from one of the district high schools with the intent to pursue a degree in psychology or special education. Selection will be based on academic achievement as well as financial need.