

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS – FAIRPORT-PERINTON CHAPTER Scholarship Descriptions

The Dollars for Scholars Scholarship is divided into three different types of scholarships.

- **2018 CHAPTER AWARDS** – Awards (including the Dr. Richard T. Rohrer Memorial Award, the Hadley Jewell Memorial Award, and two Class of 1977 awards) for \$1000 will be given in this category. These awards are made possible by community contributions to the Fairport-Perinton Dollars for Scholars General Fund. **All students who reside in the Fairport School District, regardless of which high school they attend, are eligible to compete for these awards.** All students submitting this application automatically become eligible to win one of these Chapter Awards.
- **2018 UNRESTRICTED AWARDS** – **All students who reside in the Fairport School District, regardless of which high school they attend, are eligible to compete for these awards.** To be considered for these awards, the specific required information/documentation must be included with your application.
- **2018 RESTRICTED AWARDS** – **Only students who attend Fairport High School are eligible to compete for these awards.** To be considered for these awards, the specific required information/documentation must be included with your application.

Students wishing to apply for any of the scholarships listed must apply online at Fairport-Perinton.dollarsforscholars.org. Students must use the step-by-step Power Point instructions to complete the application. The application will take time to complete. You CANNOT wait until the last minute!

Online Application Deadline: Monday, February 5, 2018 (11:59pm EST)

2018 UNRESTRICTED AWARDS *(all students eligible)*

Name of Award	Amount	Restrictions
American Legion Brooks-Shepard Post 765	\$500	Applicant must be related to a veteran who is a former or current member of Brooks-Shepard Post 765. Veteran can be living or deceased. Please provide name of veteran and your relationship. Second preference given to member of Brooks Shepard baseball team.
Bill Gorenflo, Jr. Memorial Scholarship	1 @ \$500	Submit an essay that describes what a good citizen is and how you demonstrate those characteristics. Include by specific examples, how your good deeds have affected you and the person who was the recipient of the deed. This recipient can be family, friends, community member, or stranger. Have the recipient write a letter explaining how this has made a difference in their life.
Canandaigua National Bank and Trust Community Scholarship	\$500	Applicants must have overall GPA of 87 (B+) and must have volunteered in some capacity in their respective community.
Fairport Fire Fighters Memorial Scholarship	2 @ \$500	Submit a brief one-page essay. Title: <i>My ongoing commitment/ involvement to community service and how I anticipate it being a continuing part of my life.</i>
Fairport Little League (Richard R. Schoolmaster - male and Clyde Hawley Award - female)	2 @ \$500	Submit short essay with application. Title: <i>What Little League Meant to Me.</i> Provide brief summary of participation in Fairport Little League programs (include dates).

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Fairport Music Festival Scholarship	2 @ \$500	Applicant must have completed two years of volunteer experience at the Fairport Music and Food Festival. Submit short essay. Title: <i>What is important to me about volunteering for an event to benefit the community where I live.</i>
Fairport Rotary Scholarship	\$1000	Submit essay. Title: <i>In the next few years (10~20 years), how I personally plan on exemplifying the Rotary motto "Service Above Self".</i>
Fairport Savings Bank Legacy Scholarship	\$1000	Applicant has been active in school activities and volunteer activities in the community. Must have at least 85 GPA.
Fairport-Perinton Chamber of Commerce	\$500	Applicant plans to pursue a career in business.
Fairport-Perinton Merchant Association	\$500	Applicants will be considered for both awards.
Karen Wiener Memorial Art Scholarship	\$200	Submit a brief one-page essay detailing your educational and career objectives and why you enjoy art. Do not need to be pursuing a career in art. GPA: 85+
Knights of Columbus, Michael A. Zalone Memorial Scholarship	\$500	Applicant must be a member of Resurrection, Assumption, or St. John of Rochester churches. The core principles of the Knights of Columbus are charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism. Submit short essay giving examples of how you exhibit these qualities.
Mary J. Morin Memorial Scholarship	\$750	First preference given to an applicant who plans to study a Pre-Vet course and pursue a career as a Vet or Vet Tech. Second preference given to an applicant who plans to pursue a career in nursing.
Moonlight Creamery Future Leaders Scholarship	\$250	Applicant plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in science, engineering, business, or agriculture. Submit a one-page essay describing an encounter you had where someone demonstrated tremendous leadership and what you learned from that experience.
Perinton Concert Band	\$200	Applicant must be a non-music major who plans to continue playing an instrument as an avocation while in college and beyond.
R. Clinton Emery Memorial Scholarship (by Fairport Rotary Club)	\$1000	Applicant must submit essay: In the next few years (10~20) how I personally plan on exemplifying the Rotary Motto, "Service Above Self."
Scollo Insurance Agency-Allstate Scholarship	\$1000	Applicant has a valid NYS driver license with no violations or accidents. Provide an original DMV Driving Abstract (available at any NYS DMV office) and letter from insurance company certifying that applicant has had no accidents. GPA: 85+. Submit two-page essay. Title: <i>What are three main distractions that cause teens to have accidents and what needs to be done to prevent them.</i>
The Corner Bookstore – Friends of Fairport Public Library	2 @ \$500	Applicant must submit an essay pertaining to either your favorite children's book or a favorite memory of sharing a book with someone.

2018 RESTRICTED AWARDS (*only FHS students eligible*)

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Bailey Goodman Memorial Scholarship	\$500	Required activity resume should include verifiable involvement in one or more school activities, volunteer community service, part-time employment, and displays of school spirit. GPA 90+. Recommendation letter should address that applicant engages well with peers and staff and is confident and friendly. Submit essay, answering the following question: <i>While Bailey loved her time at FHS, she was also looking forward to starting college and leaving behind many of the stereotypes, preconceived notions and activities that defined her. As you enter college, what will you be glad to leave behind and who do you look forward to becoming?</i>
Class of 1986 Alumni Scholarship	\$300	Submit a one-page essay titled: <i>Why I will be proud to be an FHS alumnus</i> . Applicant should have a relative who is an FHS alumnus (first priority to an applicant with a relative from the class of 1986). State relationship to alumnus at end of essay.
Craig Sherbinski Memorial Scholarship	\$750	FHS senior athlete who embodies, through his or her actions, the characteristics of an admirable friend. Submit essay. Title: <i>Describe the attributes of friendship. Discuss an example in which either you, or a friend, benefitted from the friendship of another based on the attributes you described. Analyze the way this experience has/or will affect you in future situations. What lesson(s) did you learn and how will this experience impact you in the future?</i>
Dave Martens Memorial Scholarship	2@ \$250	Applicant must be a member of at least two different Varsity Sports Teams and planning to enter a field that will benefit other student athletes (Phys Ed, Physical Therapy, Sports Management/Medicine, etc.)
DFS Chapter Award	20 @ \$1000	In 250 words, or less, tell us something unique about yourself and why you should receive a DFS Chapter Scholarship.
Dr. Paul Moczarski Memorial Scholarship	\$500	Applicant plans to pursue a career in the medical field. Submit a short essay. Title: <i>Why I have chosen to pursue a career in medicine</i> .
Fairport Field Hockey Booster Club Scholarship	\$250	Applicant must be a senior varsity field hockey player and player's parent must be a Fairport field hockey booster club member for two or more years. Player must submit a short essay (no more than one page): "How playing field hockey has influenced my life."
Fairport Hockey Scholarship	\$100	Applicant must be a senior Fairport Varsity Hockey player and must be involved in community service. Current GPA 85+. Must have had consistent improvement throughout high school academic career.
Fairport Softball Booster Club Scholarship	2 @ \$500	Applicant must be a senior varsity softball player. Player's parent must be a softball booster club member for three years. Submit one-page essay. Title: <i>How playing for Fairport Softball has influenced my life</i> .

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Fairport Youth Lacrosse Scholarship	2 @ \$250 One male and one female	Applicant must have participated in Fairport Youth Lacrosse (grades K-6) for at least 2 years and be graduating as a player in the FHS lacrosse program. Submit short essay titled: "The impact that lacrosse has had on my life".
FHS Drama Booster Scholarship	\$500	Applicant plans to continue education in an accredited theater arts program and must have been involved in at least three theater/drama productions during grades 9-12. Applicant must submit: (1) Maximum 500-word essay titled, <i>Why am I involved in theater?</i> (2) Activity resume must reflect performing arts related activities. (3) Letter of recommendation from a performing arts instructor of whom he/she has been a pupil.
Get-It-Straight Orthodontics	\$500	Applicant must be a current or former patient of Get-It-Straight Orthodontics who underwent complete orthodontic treatment (braces with maintenance retainers) in their Greece, Pittsford, Palmyra, or Gananda location. Applicant must demonstrate a strong commitment to community service. Submit a 300-word essay. Title: <i>My contribution to society and how it has impacted my life.</i>
Independence Award	2@\$500	Applicant must have demonstrated a degree of self-reliance, maturity, and an ability to persevere despite life challenges. Submit one page essay. Title: <i>Describe your life challenges and how you have persevered.</i>
John Scarpelli, II Memorial Scholarship	2 @ \$500	John Scarpelli was a dedicated father, husband, son, friend, colleague, and coach who always felt it was important to lead by example. As a man of great character, he was inclusive, compassionate and always put others first. Submit one page essay. Title: <i>How my community service and leadership experiences have taught me to be a more compassionate leader in our Fairport community.</i>
Junior Red Raider Youth Wrestling Scholarship	\$1500	Applicant must have two years of wrestling with the Fairport Junior Red Raider Wrestling Program and have wrestled throughout high school on the Fairport High School team. Submit essay: "How the sport of wrestling has prepared me for life after high school."
Karen Carson Crane Foundation Scholarship	\$500	Applicant's life must have been touched with or affected by the diagnosis of breast cancer. Submit essay (max 500 words): <i>How the diagnosis of breast cancer has impacted your life.</i>
Katie Harper Memorial Scholarship FEMALES ONLY	\$2500	Applicant has demonstrated a commitment to a sport team and/or music program, commitment to others through volunteering, and has fostered school or team spirit. Submit essay (2 page limit) describing your qualifications and answering the following questions: <i>What do you value most in your life? How do your activities reflect these values? How do your future plans build on these values?</i> Submit letter of recommendation from coach or music teacher.

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Leonard and Josephine Yates Memorial Scholarship	\$30 (approx)	This scholarship was established by a friend of the Yates family. The interest earned on the Yates Endowment Fund is given annually to an FHS student who demonstrates virtues of patriotism and citizenship. Submit one page essay with application answering the following question: <i>What do patriotism and citizenship mean to me and how are they reflected in my interests, activities, or intended career?</i>
Lonnie Arnold Award (Choir Booster Club)	\$500	Student active in FHS Choral Music Program (includes participation in any or all Choir, Voice, Musical); Pursuing Voice or Musical Theater in college
Michael S. Ward Memorial Scholarship	\$1000	FHS senior planning to obtain a Bachelor's Degree who demonstrates an optimistic, hardworking, conscientious approach to school and life. GPA +/- 90. Submit essay with application. Title: <i>A Challenge I Have Faced and How it Has Changed the Way I Look at Life.</i>
Patricia Remington Memorial Scholarship	2 @ \$1000	FHS senior who has/had an I.E.P. and received resource room services in middle and/or high school. Provide one letter of recommendation from resource room teacher who has had applicant as a student. Applicants will be considered for all three awards.
Fairport Retired Educators Association Scholarship	\$200	
Pete Georger Memorial Scholarship	\$1500	Applicant must have participated in varsity sports and been active in the Fairport-Perinton community (i.e. clubs, local foundations, community service projects etc.). Minimum GPA 3.0. Submit short essay. Title: <i>How I have been active in the Fairport-Perinton community.</i>
Peter Granger Memorial Scholarship	3 @ \$800	Applicant has been an FHS baseball player who has been a good role model for others, a good citizen who has exhibited great Fairport Spirit. Coach Granger was the FHS head varsity coach for 11 years. He took pride in teaching his players the valuable lessons that can be learned through participating in sports. Submit essay: <i>The impact the Fairport Baseball program has had on my life.</i>
Ray Nupp Memorial Scholarship	\$1000	Applicant must be interested in engineering or real-life problem-solving skills. Submit a short essay describing your interest.
Richie Carlston Memorial Scholarship	\$1000	Applicant must have demonstrated a commitment to a sports team and have been active in the community. Submit essay. Title: <i>How I plan to enjoy every moment to its fullest extent.</i> GPA 89.5+
Sandra Fogg Robinson Memorial Scholarship / Barbara Murphy Scholarship	3 @ \$500	Applicant has demonstrated a proficiency in high school English courses. Submit letter of recommendation from a high school English teacher.
Sara Monnat Memorial Scholarship	\$1000	Applicant plans to pursue a major in graphic arts, fashion design, marketing, or advertising related field.

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Sean May Memorial Scholarship	\$500	Applicant must be involved with theatrical production (cast or crew) in grades 10-12 during a year in which a varsity athletic letter was awarded. Submit essay: <i>How my involvement in both sports and theater affected my high school experience</i> . Attach two letters of recommendation, one from applicant's varsity coach and the second from an adult drama/theatre advisor.
The Five Fairport Angels Memorial Scholarship	\$2500	The Five Fairport Angels were very involved in the Fairport community and had great pride in their hometown and high school. Write an essay reflecting on your life in Fairport. Discuss how the Fairport community has impacted your life and contributed to the person you are today. What will you take with you upon graduation from Fairport High School? (maximum 3 double spaced pages)
The May Prize	\$1000	Awarded to student who has made the most of his/ her abilities and circumstances during high school. Two (2) letters of recommendation: one from counselor, the other from a teacher, coach, supervisor, clergy, etc. stating how that person knows you. Submit essay with applications. Title: <i>How my experiences and achievements in Fairport Schools (academic and otherwise) have been affected by a unique circumstance</i> .
Thomas Pariso Memorial Scholarship	\$1200	Student must be planning to pursue a business related degree. Essay: <i>How has your involvement in community events, sports programs, and/or a youth group prepared you for strong leadership in the future?</i>
Thomas Parsons Memorial Scholarship	\$1000	Submit essay with application. Title: <i>How I Have Made a Difference</i>