

Scholarship Information for Scouts

H.W. “Hod” Peabody BSA Scholarship Fund

Sagamore Council has established the H.W. “Hod” Peabody BSA Scholarship Fund within the Community Foundation. Scouts who are interested in applying for this scholarship should do so using the General Scholarship Form that is accessible via the link below:

http://www.cfhoward.org/scholarship_funds.html

Preference will be given to Eagle Scouts. Instructions are included with the scholarship application. Applications must be received by the Community Foundation by March 14th.

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) “Voice of Democracy” Scholarship

Each year, nearly 40,000 high school students from across the country enter to win a share of the \$2.2 million in educational scholarships and incentives awarded through the VFW’s Voice of Democracy audio-essay competition.

The VFW established the Voice of Democracy program (VOD) in 1947 to provide students grades 9-12 the opportunity to express themselves in regards to democratic ideas and principles.

The national first-place winner receives a \$30,000 scholarship paid directly to the recipient’s American university, college or vocational/technical school. Other national scholarships range from \$1,000-\$16,000, and the first-place winner from each (State) VFW Department wins an all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. Application deadline is November 1st.

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Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Scout of the Year Scholarship Program

Through the VFW's **Scout of the Year** program, members of the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts who display standout citizenship, patriotism and love of country have the opportunity to be rewarded with college scholarships of up to \$5,000. Scouts should submit the completed VFW Scouting Scholarship form, resume of high school activities, scouting record, community service record and letters of recommendation to a local VFW Post. Deadline for submissions is March 1st.

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NESA Scholarship (National Eagle Scout Association)

In 2014, the National Eagle Scout Association will award over 200 scholarships to Eagle Scouts ranging in size from \$1,000 to \$50,000 each. **Deadline for submissions is December 31st.**

All NESA scholarship applications must be submitted online only. Paper applications will not be accepted as all information must be entered online by the candidate. This allows our system to instantly score each application and sort it by region so that regional judges can evaluate the written portions of the application.

These scholarships are not available to students attending trade schools, two-year colleges, or any of the U.S. military academies, because at these academies expenses covered by NESA scholarships are already paid by the United States government.

NESA scholarship submission form: <https://nesa.academicworks.com/>

[Click here to access details.](#)

National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

Deadline for Submission of entries is December 15th!

Attention all Eagle Scouts! If you can write well, are interested in U.S. history, and need money for college, you have a chance to use your skills and interest in American history to win cash prizes!

Indiana First Place prize is \$1,000 and entry into the National competition for chance at \$8,000 prize.

This scholarship is open to all Eagle Scouts who are currently registered in an active unit and have not reached their 19th birthday during the year of application. (The application year is the calendar year of January 1 to December 31.) The year that Eagle was awarded is not restricted.

Application consists of: two-page application form, four generation ancestor chart, and 500-word patriotic themed essay.

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Eagle Scouts who need assistance with scholarship application or have questions may contact:

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Wabash College Eagle Scout Scholarship

\$40,000 over four years - \$10,000 per year

Complete application for admission by March 23, 2015!

Visit campus by March 23 and provide documentation confirming your Eagle Scout Rank by July 1, 2015.

Register to visit on website: www.wabash.edu/admissions/visit
Or by contacting Mary Towell at 800-345-5385

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