

LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP LISTING

Deadline – March 14th, 2019

As you read through these scholarships, you will notice that several are identified as C & E scholarships. The Citizenship and Education Foundation of the Edison Local Schools is a non-profit corporation established in 1988. The foundation is governed by a board of trustees from the community. The purpose of the foundation is to enrich and enhance educational opportunities by: creating opportunities for special and advanced study, endow programs in support of the curriculum, help sustain this community's tradition of excellence of learning, and offer scholarship aid. The C & E Foundation facilitates young people through four initiatives: 1) a scholarship program that helps students pay tuition to colleges, universities, and technical schools; 2) a grant program which supports teacher and student initiated projects and programs; 3) an endowment fund which facilitates educational programs and community projects; and 4) a special support fund which enables students to participate in special camps and exchange program.

Scholarships are listed on the local scholarship application unless noted otherwise.

AMERICAN RED CROSS SCHOLARSHIP – The American Red Cross awards a scholarship to area high schools that are able to achieve their donation goal at scheduled blood drives. Student Council coordinates the drive on behalf of the Red Cross and administers this award for the organization. This award is given to a student who has actively worked to increase the success of Edison High School's yearly blood drives.

ART CLUB AWARD – This award is presented to a student who has shown outstanding ability in art and a personal fulfillment through art. The recipient must plan to major or minor in an art field at a college or art institute. Must show grade transcript from the first term at college before award is given.

BAND COUNCIL AWARD – Money for the Band Council award has been accumulated through many fundraising events sponsored and worked on by band council members. This award is intended to be used by a student who will major or minor in music in college next year or be performing in a collegiate music ensemble. This student should have demonstrated throughout his / her four years at Edison excellent participating in band and / or choir, as well as involvement in many extra music activities such as solo and ensemble context, show choir, stage band, pep band, pit orchestra and musicals, etc. His / her overall contribution to the music program can also be a consideration for this award.

On-Line App **RICK BASTIEN AWARD (C & E)** – This award was founded to ensure a lasting memorial to an outstanding young man, honor student, leader and athlete who lost his life to cancer in 1991. Rick was a 1989 honor graduate of Edison and a student at The College of Wooster. One of Rick's favorite activities was golf.

Separate App **DAVID BAUER MEMORIAL SCHOLAR-ATHLETE SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – The purpose of this scholarship is to recognize a scholar-athlete who needs financial help to go to the college of his / her choice. In order to qualify, the combined income of the parents may not be more than \$45,000. If a sibling is already attending college the family may earn up to \$55,000.

On-Line App **BAY AREA COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP** - This scholarship is awarded to a senior who has been accepted into a post secondary school. Other requirements are:

- a. The student must exhibit outstanding citizenship;
- b. Participation in school activities;
- c. Possess acceptable scholarship standards

On-Line App **BERLIN GRANGE AWARD (C & E)** – This award was established by the former Berlin Grange. It is awarded to an Edison senior who will be continuing his/her education in a two-year or four-year program. The following guidelines apply:

- a. Planning a career in an agricultural service;
- b. Must be of high moral character;
- c. Must have a 2.5 GPA or higher;
- d. Consideration given to financial need.

BERLIN HEIGHTS KIWANIS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP AWARD – This scholarship is awarded to a senior of Edison High School who has shown dedication to service to community, family, church and school. The following guidelines apply:

- a. Provide evidence of above criteria;
- b. Have a minimum GPA of 2.5;
- c. Financial need will be a consideration.

On-Line App **MARILYN D. BICKLEY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD (C & E)** – This award is given in fond memory of Marilyn D. Bickley, a well-respected teacher at Milan Elementary.

On-Line App **CARMEL JEAN & CARL J. BOEHLER COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND** – This scholarship will be awarded annually to qualified candidates who are actively and continuously pursuing a baccalaureate degree from an accredited four-year college or university. This award will be given to a student who has demonstrated hard work and diligence both in school and in personal endeavors. Financial need is a consideration.

CHOIR COUNCIL AWARD – Money for the Choir Council Award has been accumulated through many fundraising events sponsored and worked on by choir council members. This award is intended to be used by a student who will major or minor in music in college next year or be performing in a collegiate music ensemble. This student should have demonstrated throughout his or her four years at Edison excellent participation in band and/or choir as well as involvement in many extra music activities such as solo & ensemble contest, show choir, stage band, pep band, pit orchestra and musicals, etc. His or her overall contribution to the music program can also be a consideration for this award.

THE COLLINGWOOD FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) – Five \$1,000 scholarships are offered by the Collingwood Family – one each to be awarded to five graduating seniors at Edison High School. Each scholarship will be awarded in two increments, \$500 for the first term of school and \$500 for the second term, provided the student achieves a 2.5 GPA the first term. Other requirements are:

- a. Must be accepted by an accredited college or university;
- b. Must have a high school GPA of at least 2.5;
- c. Demonstrate extracurricular involvement;
- d. Be of high moral character;
- e. Consideration given to financial need.

LARRY DOERNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) - This scholarship is offered by the Doerner family to be awarded to a graduating senior at Edison High School who is majoring in a field related to fire protection/EMT services or an electrical trade. Other requirements are:

- a. Scholarship will be awarded upon proof of acceptance by an accredited college or university;
- b. Consideration given to financial need.

DRAMA BOOSTERS AWARD – This award is presented to a student who has made a significant contribution to the Edison Drama program. Preference is given to students who will major or minor in performing arts. This award will be presented at the beginning of the fall semester of the student’s sophomore year.

EDISON ATHLETIC BOOSTERS – The Edison Athletic Boosters will present four awards to two boys and two girls who have demonstrated outstanding leadership in athletics. The requirements are:

- a. The student’s parents or guardians must have been Athletic Booster members 3 out of 4 years;
- b. Student must have earned at least two varsity letters;
- c. Have a minimum GPA of 2.50 (cumulative – 7th semester);
- d. Be accepted into an associate or baccalaureate degree program at an accredited college, university or technical college;
- e. Attend entire senior year at Edison High School;
- f. Provide evidence of leadership.

Separate App **EDISON HIGH SCHOOL SUNSHINE SCHOLARSHIP** – This award was created by the teachers of Edison High School to be given to an Edison High School senior who exemplifies the ideals of the Do RIGHT Program. They must be able to show qualities of Responsibility, Integrity, Growth Mindset, Healthy Living and Time Management. Potential recipients of this scholarship must:

- a. Complete the qualifications checklist, succinctly explain how you have demonstrated these criteria and submit by senior scholarship deadline.
- b. Have one EHS staff, coach or supervisor signature for each qualification, which attests to the validity of the checklist criteria. A minimum of three different staff or supervisor signatures must be represented on the form.
- c. Complete a potential one-on-one interview with the Sunshine panel addressing ways the candidate exemplifies the “Do RIGHT” motto and how he or she represents EHS.

EDISON MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENTS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) – This award is given to a student who attended Edison Middle School for at least one year. The scholarship will be awarded after completion of their first semester of college. Other requirements:

- a. Open to any major;
- b. Have a minimum GPA of 2.0 (cumulative);
- c. Write an essay (maximum 200 words) on how an Edison school staff member (past or present, at any building) has influenced your decision to major in your chose field.

EDISON MIDDLE SCHOOL STAFF SCHOLARSHIP – This award is given to a student who attended Edison Middle School. Other requirements:

- a. Have a minimum GPA of 3.0 (cumulative):
- b. Write an essay (250 – 500 words) on “how has a teacher or staff member made a positive impact on your life.”

On-Line App **EDISON SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – This scholarship is awarded to a senior who has been accepted into a post secondary school. The source of the funds was generated by the late Sidney Frohman of Sandusky, former president and board chairman of the Hinde & Dauch Paper Company which he ran for many years. His success as a business leader in the community led to his principle of sharing that success with others in Erie County. Other requirements are:

- a. The student must exhibit outstanding citizenship;
- b. Participation in school activities;
- c. Possess acceptable scholarship standards.

EDISON SPEECH & DEBATE SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) – This scholarship is awarded to a senior that has actively participated on the Speech & Debate squad at least two years, has accumulated at least 250 NFL points and has shown leadership and dedication to the art of public speaking and persuasion.

EDISON TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION AWARD – This award is given to an Edison High School student planning a career in the field of education, social services or other field having a positive impact on children. Students whose parent(s) is/are ETA member(s) will be given first consideration for this scholarship. Sponsored by the ETA, applicants must demonstrate superior scholarship with a minimum of 3.0 GPA and seriousness of purpose throughout high school.

FRENCH CLUB SCHOLARSHIP AWARD – The French Club will present one award to a senior who has been accepted to a two-year or four-year college university. To qualify for this award, the recipient must meet the following requirements:

- a. Must have studied a minimum of three years of high school French;
- b. Must be a member of the French Honor Society;
- c. Must have been an active member of French Club for a minimum of two years;
- d. Must complete a 250-word essay in English stating what you would like to do with the French you now know (please write your name at the bottom of the page).

NICK GEORGIAFANDIS SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) – This scholarship is sponsored by the Georgiafandis family. Nick Georgiafandis was the music director at Edison High School from 1971 to 2007. During this time, he was the conductor of the high school marching and concert bands as well as the concert choir. He also instructed courses in music history, theory and advanced music theory. In addition, Mr. Georgiafandis also conducted the stage band, pep band and in 1979 began conducting the Sound Dimension Show Choir. He was also the music director for over 30 high school musical productions where he instructed the vocalists and conducted the pit orchestra. To qualify for this award, the recipient must meet the following requirements:

- a. Must have been a member in good standing in high school band and/or choir for 4 years;
- b. Must be planning to continue music studies in college as either a major or minor (BA / BS) in any of the various options available: music theater, music education, performance, therapy, composition, engineering, etc.;
- c. Must have been involved in at least one of the high school music satellite groups including stage band, show choir, pep band, pit orchestra or musical all four years of high school;
- d. Must have competed in high school solo and/or ensemble competitions all four years;
- e. Should have (not mandatory) participated in at least two honors type or all-star bands or choirs during the four years of high school.

DON GFELL AWARD (C & E) – This award is sponsored by Don Gfell, former Superintendent of Berlin-Milan Local Schools. The C & E Foundation is a non-profit organization which benefits the educational program of Edison students.

MATTHEW T. GFELL AWARD (C & E) – This award was established by family and friends in loving memory of Matt. He lost his life in an ultralight plane accident in 2004. Matt was a 1990 graduate of Edison High School. He was a member of the varsity golf team. Matt attended college for two years before enlisting in the U.S. Air Force where he served 7-1/2 years. He was a Staff Sergeant, specializing in avionics, fiber-optics and ground radio communications. This award may be used for a two or four year college or technical program.

ROCH A. HAMMOND, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP – This scholarship is sponsored by Roch’s family and friends to honor the memory of this outstanding young man. Roch graduated from Edison High School in 2001 and from The Ohio State University, Cum Laude, in 2005 with a Bachelor of Arts degree from OSU’s prestigious Political Science program. Roch began his interest in journalism in high school and was a Quill and Scroll member. While in college, Roch co-founded *The OSU Sentinel* newspaper in 2003 and was their executive editor and contributing writer. Roch also was a summer intern in 2004 for CNS News in Alexandria, VA/Washington DC. Roch was passionate about sports, life, fun, family, friends, politics and was a gifted journalist. Roch lost his life April 2, 2006 in a motor vehicle accident. Recipients of this scholarship will be selected based on the following criteria:

- a. Must be able to verify acceptance to a college or university. Special consideration given to acceptance verification to The Ohio State University;
- b. Must be planning a career in journalism, politics or related fields;
- c. Consideration given to financial need;
- d. Must complete an essay (250 words or less) demonstrating their passion for journalism, sports or politics;
- e. The scholarship will be awarded after successful completion of one quarter or semester of college. The recipient of this award must submit their report card to the sponsor to show that they are in good standing and then the award will be given for their second quarter or semester.

On-Line App HARRIS-BURNESON HEALTH CARE AWARD (C & E) – This award was established by Don and Marjorie Burneson to honor Agnes Ireland Harris, Mrs. Burneson’s mother, who came to Milan in 1965 and remained until her death in 1974. Mrs. Harris had reason to know and appreciate the dedication of many fine nurses during her lifetime and considered nursing to be one of the most admirable professions. To qualify, the recipient must meet the following standards:

- a. Senior at Edison High School;
- b. Superior citizen and leader;
- c. Outstanding scholar;
- d. High moral character;
- e. Attend an accredited school of nursing or four-year college majoring in a health care field, preference is given to nursing majors, but pre-med, physical therapy, or other health careers will be considered;
- f. Evidence of initiative and commitment to a career in nursing or health care;
- g. Financial need considered.

GLEN HENNINGS AWARD (C & E) – This award is a lasting memorial to Mr. Hennings. He was an engineer with NACA and NASA from 1944 – 1981. Most of his career was at Plum Brook Station in Sandusky, Ohio as Chief of Rocket Systems. Mr. Hennings served on Berlin-Milan Board of Education from 1967 to 1986. He also served his community as a member of Milan Rotary. To qualify for this award, recipients must meet the following requirements:

- a. A graduating senior of Edison High School and accepted by an accredited college or University;
- b. Have a minimum GPA of 3.5;
- c. Plan a career in engineering;
- d. Financial need is also considered.

INTERACT CLUB SCHOLARSHIP - This award is sponsored by the Edison High School Interact Club and the Milan Rotary Club. This award is given to an Edison High School senior Interact Club member accepted by a 2 or 4-year college, showing qualities of community, international service, leadership, character and financial need. Qualifications include meeting requirements of active club membership for at least 3 years and participation in service projects each of these 3 years.

- On-Line App** **PEARL JENNER AWARD (C & E)** – This award is given in fond memory of Pearl Jenner, a well-respected teacher at Milan Elementary for many years. The following guidelines apply:
- Be a graduating senior of Edison High School accepted by an accredited college or University;
 - Demonstrate excellent scholarship;
 - Plan a career in the field of education;
 - Have a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher;
 - Be of high moral character.

On-Line App **JIM'S PIZZA BOX AWARD** – This award will be given to a student who exemplifies strong character, shows academic aptitude and leadership qualities. The winner will receive the check after the end of the first term at college.

- On-Line App** **TROY JOHNSON MEMORIAL AWARD (C & E)** – This award was founded to ensure a lasting memorial to an outstanding young man, student leader, athlete, member of the choir and a well-rounded student who lost his life in a car-train accident in 1984. Recipients of this scholarship will be selected on the following guidelines:
- Must be a senior at Edison High School;
 - Must meet academic qualifications for college acceptance (generally a 2.5 GPA or higher);
 - Must be of high moral character;
 - Must demonstrate enthusiasm for learning and service;
 - Decision may also be based on financial need.

TRACI JOHNSTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP – The Traci Johnston Memorial Scholarship was put in place in memory of the late Traci Johnston by the soccer coaches and community. Traci was a devoted teacher, mother, wife and always full of energy. She was a strong supporter of Edison and especially loved being involved in her children's activities, which included a special love for soccer for all three of them. Traci was always a welcoming face, particularly to parents new to the sport and made a point to see that everyone always felt welcomed. With that in mind, each year the scholarship will be awarded to two senior soccer players, one boy and one girl, who has a minimum grade point average of 2.5, is mentoring to younger players, supportive and encouraging to all teammates.

- On-Line App** **LORI LINDECAMP MEMORIAL PERFORMING ARTS AWARD (C & E)** – This award was founded to ensure a lasting memorial to an outstanding young lady, honor student, leader, athlete, performing artist and well-rounded student who lost her life in a highway accident in 1983. Recipients of this award will be selected on the following guidelines:
- Must be a senior at Edison, participating in the performing arts;
 - Must meet academic qualifications for college acceptance (generally a 2.5 GPA or higher);
 - Must be of high moral character;
 - Must demonstrate enthusiasm for learning and service;
 - Decision may also be based on financial need.

Separate App **GEROULD R. & SARAH H. McWANE SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – The purpose of this scholarship is to financially assist students attending a college or technical school. The recipient of this award must be senior graduating from Edison High School who has attended Edison for at least two academic years. Selection will be based on academic potential, financial need and a submitted essay. Students submitting the application may be interviewed by a committee of five peers and one faculty member. All items must be completed in order to qualify for this scholarship.

On-Line App **MARIBETH (VAN OFFEREN) MIEDEMA SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – This scholarship is in honor of Maribeth Miedema, a Milan native, Edison High School graduate (1972) and a BGSU graduate with a Bachelors Degree in nursing. Applications must meet the following requirements:

- Student must be a senior at Edison High School;
- A short essay on future goals must accompany the application;
- Must attend an accredited school of nursing or four-year college majoring in a health care related field. Preference will be given to nursing majors, but all health care careers will be considered;
- In addition, if applicant chooses BGSU School of Nursing and is accepted, additional scholarship money will be provided after first semester.

On-Line App **MILAN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – The Milan Alumni Association is proud to support the tradition and quality of academics and extracurricular activities of the Edison Local Schools. The Milan Alumni scholarship will be granted to an Edison graduate who exhibits the qualities of scholarship, leadership and citizenship.

MILAN AMERICAN LEGION / COLVIN-DALE POST 527 AWARD – This award will be given to a student who exemplifies strong character, academic aptitude (minimum 2.5 GPA) and shows leadership qualities.

MILAN EDISON LIONS AWARD (C & E) – This award is presented to an Edison senior who exhibits superior scholarship and seriousness of purpose, citizenship, leadership, financial need, character, and has attended Edison High School and their entire senior year.

MILAN MELON FESTIVAL AWARD – The Milan Melon Festival will grant two awards annually from money raised during the Sport-A-Thon each year at the festival. Recipients must be members of the Varsity "E" Club. Preference will be given to student athletes who volunteer in the community and specifically for the Milan Melon Festival. Applications will not be considered if an incomplete packet is received. Scholarships will be awarded to recipients who maintain a 2.5 GPA for the first semester of college with proof of enrollment for a second semester.

MILAN PARENT'S CLUB AWARD (C & E) – This scholarship is awarded to an Edison senior planning to attend Firelands College. Consideration given to applicants that have community involvement or volunteer experience.

MILAN ROTARY AWARD – This award is given to an Edison High School senior accepted by a two-year or four-year college, showing qualities of community service, leadership, character, scholarship and financial need. The senior should demonstrate the attitude of the universal Rotarian motto "Service Above Self".

On-Line App **SALLY A. MORRISON SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – This award is sponsored by Mrs. Gerald Morrison. Sally Morrison is a retired teacher from Berlin-Milan Schools. The recipient must plan to attend any institution of post high school learning. Financial need is a consideration.

On-Line App **CHARLES & MARGARET NICKELS AWARD (C & E)** – The Nickels Award was established in 1991 in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Nickels by their daughters. Mr. Nickels was a graduate of Milan High and a successful farmer in the area. The Nickels Award was established in recognition of Mr. and Mrs. Nickels' belief in and support for education. The recipient of this award must be attending a four-year college majoring in agriculture, land management or environmental sciences. Applicant should include evidence of initiative, imagination and innovation which he / she hopes to apply to their chosen field of study.

OAPSE CHAPTER 350 AWARD – The winner of this/these award(s) must complete a semester or quarter of college before collecting the scholarship. This award will be given to a child or grandchild of an OAPSE (Ohio Association of Public Service Employees) member.

KEITH OSTHEIMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP - This award is a lasting memorial to Keith Ostheimer who was the founder of the Berlin-Milan Youth Sports league (BMYSL). Keith was an active member of the board from 2000 until his time of death in 2006. Keith was a 1978 Edison High School graduate. He was a member of the Edison football, basketball and track teams from 1974 – 1978. Keith's goal for BMYSL was to offer the children of the Edison Local School District as many opportunities to experience as many sports as possible during their youth. This scholarship is sponsored and awarded by the Berlin-Milan Youth Sports League. The following criteria will be used for the candidate selection:

- a. GPA of 2.5 or higher
- b. Must have been a participant in a BMYSL sport or activities. List sports played, activities, umpiring, etc. Sports / years BMYSL began: Milan softball and baseball 2000, 6th grade football 2000, cheerleading 2005, soccer 2001, 5th/6th grade boys' basketball 2002, 6th grade girls' basketball 2006.
- c. Must complete a semester of college or other approved post secondary option in good standing to receive the award.
- d. Must submit a 250 word essay listing your name, sport or activity you participated in along with the year you were involved with each activity. The essay must include one or more the following topics:
 1. Favorite youth coach that may have inspired or touched your life and why.
 2. Favorite youth sports memory or achievement.
 3. How BMYSL sports has impacted your life.

PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS 2019 SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) - The Class of 2018 felt fortunate to receive an education in a peaceful environment. Their hope is that this scholarship will encourage students to find creative solutions to the growing problem of violence in schools. The goal is to help insure Edison High School remains a safe harbor. The scholarship selection will be based on an essay (500 word maximum) that describes what he / she has done to curb violence or promote a safer, healthier environment in the school or community. There is no GPA requirement. However, the recipient must plan to enroll in a post-secondary institution. The Peaceful Solutions Scholarship Program was designed and conceived by the Class of 1999. In order to receive this award, the recipient must turn in his / her first semester grade card and proof of enrollment / college billing statement for the first or second semester to the Edison Treasurer's Office.

On-Line App RIC POLLACK MEMORIAL AWARD (C & E) – This award is in memory of Ric Pollack. It is awarded to an Edison High School senior pursuing a fine arts education (art, art therapy, photography, fashion design, music or related careers).

On-Line App RICHARD D. PUSATERI MEMORIAL AWARD (C & E) – This award was founded by Mrs. Joseph Pusateri as a tribute to the youth who served in World War II and to ensure a lasting memorial to her son, Staff Sergeant Richard D. Pusateri. Dick was an outstanding young man who served his country and gave his life during the Battle of the Bulge in 1945. To qualify for this award, recipients must meet the following requirements:

- a. Be a senior at Edison High School;
- b. Meet academic qualifications for college acceptance;
- c. Be of high moral character;
- d. Exemplify American ideals;
- e. Financial need considered.

DAVID A. REER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP – This scholarship was initiated by members of the Edison High School Class of 1971. In appreciation to the Class of 1971, the Bob Reer family continues this scholarship yearly. Dave was the class valedictorian and tragically succumbed to cancer within a short time following graduation. It is hoped that the person receiving this scholarship will exhibit the kind of character and spirit of determination that serves all of us, and that David exemplified so well. A committee will review all applications and award this scholarship to the individual they determine as most deserving of this special scholarship. Recipients of this scholarship will be selected based on the following guidelines:

- a. Must attend entire senior year at Edison High School;
- b. Must be of high moral character;
- c. Exhibit leadership qualities;
- d. Should be a non-smoker;
- e. High academic achievement is not a sole determining factor;
- f. Special consideration will be given to those who have overcome a personal handicap or hardship situation (applicants must include a letter explaining their hardship they have overcome);
- g. Must complete a 150-200 word essay describing a personal hardship you've overcome or are going through.

ROE'S TREE SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP (C & E) – This scholarship will be awarded to an Edison senior who will be continuing his/her education in a two-year or four-year program (trade school, vocational school or university). Financial need will be a consideration.

Separate App **HOLLY SNEIDER SCHOLARSHIP** – This scholarship is sponsored through The Piggyback Foundation. The Piggyback Foundation will award up to \$1,000 in scholarship funding for the purpose of general expenses upon selection of applicant. At the time of application, the applicant must be a senior at Edison High School. The applicant must have been affected by cancer either by their own personal fight or those of immediate family members. A brief essay is required.

SPANISH CLUB AWARD – This award is given to a senior who:

- a. Has completed a minimum of three years of Spanish;
- b. Has maintained a "B" average in Spanish courses;
- c. Has maintained a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0;
- d. Has been a member of Spanish Club for at least two years;
- e. Will be attending a two-year or four-year college or university.

On-Line App **THE JEFF SPRADLIN SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** - The goal of this scholarship is to be presented to a well-rounded student. Other requirements are:

- a. The recipient must be active in sports or other school organizations;
- b. Maintained a 2.5 GPA during high school years;
- c. Has been accepted into a two or four year college.

SUHANIC FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP - This scholarship is awarded to a senior who has been accepted into a post secondary school. Other requirements are:

- a. The student must exhibit outstanding citizenship;
- b. Participation in school activities;
- c. Possess acceptable scholarship standards

Separate App **GEORGE WEILNAU SCHOLARSHIP (C & E)** – This scholarship was established in 2007 by the estate of Mr. George H. Weilnau. Mr. Weilnau chose to donate nearly 1.6 million dollars to the C & E Foundation as an endowed scholarship fund. Mr. Weilnau was a simple, quiet man with some definite ideas on how he might help to improve our schools. He had a strong belief in education. Having no children of his own, he wanted his money to benefit the many students in his community, especially those who possessed drive and talent, but not the means. It was Mr. Weilnau’s hope that his bequest to the foundation would accomplish this goal. This scholarship is available to students who apply and plan on majoring in agriculture, education or liberal arts. Eligible applicants must have a 2.5 GPA at the time of application. Scholarship will be awarded based upon the following criteria:

- a. Must be a graduating senior from Edison Local School District, having attending their junior and senior years in the system;
- b. Earned a minimum of 2.5 GPA at time of application;
- c. Plan on attending an accredited post-secondary institution in the state of Ohio;
- d. Majors in agriculture, education and liberal arts will be given priority with all other majors considered by scholarship committee;
- e. In order to receive the award, the student needs to submit first or subsequent term grades of a 2.0 or higher with a minimum of 12 semester or quarter hours, a schedule of classes and a bill for the next term. There is a one-year deadline from the date of your high school graduation to submit documentation to the district treasurer;
- f. Financial need will be a consideration; and
- g. A student majoring in an agricultural-related field will also be given consideration for a separate, additional scholarship award.

JEANINE WILLIAMS EDUCATION AWARD (C & E) – This award is established by Jeanine Williams to be presented to a student planning a career in education. The requirements for this award are:

- a. Be a graduating senior of Edison High School and accepted by an accredited college or university;
- b. Demonstrate excellent scholarship;
- c. Has actively participated in extracurricular activities;
- d. Financial need.

JOHN WILLIAMS MEMORIAL AWARD (C & E) – This award is presented by the family of John Williams who served the community as a volunteer fireman and EMT for several years. It is awarded to an Edison senior who will be continuing his / her education in a community service career. Applicants must show the following:

- a. Minimum GPA of 2.5;
- b. Actively participated in extracurricular activities;
- c. Financial need;
- d. Acceptable attendance.

VALERIA ZALESKI SCHOLARSHIP – This award is given in loving memory of Valeria Zaleski, a generous grandmother with a strong work ethic. This scholarship will be granted to students who demonstrate perseverance by working at a job while pursuing a business degree. The recipient must meet the following criteria:

- a. Pursue a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university in the field of business;
- b. Work a minimum of 10 hours per week during the first college term (semester or quarter);
- c. Submit an essay (300 words or less) addressing the following: “Our nation is facing many economic challenges. In your opinion, what changes need to be considered and who is accountable for the changes that need to take place.”
- d. Provide a copy of an official grade transcript from the first college term and copy of work pay stubs for a minimum of two months during the first college term;
- e. Have a minimum high school GPA of 2.5 (cumulative – 7th semester).

The following local scholarship is offered to club members only. A local scholarship application should NOT be completed for this award. Please contact Mrs. Wallrabenstein if interested in applying for this award.

EDISON MATH CLUB AWARD – This award is given to a student who is an active member of the Math Club and is planning a career in a math related field.

The awards listed in this packet are known to be offered as of January 25th, 2019. The availability of these scholarships is subject to change based on sponsor request. The monetary amounts of these awards may vary from year to year as does the number of awards given by an organization.

The awards are usually made directly to the student. Sponsors may award the check after the student has completed the first quarter or semester and has paid fees for the second semester or quarter. Sponsors may give students written procedures at the time of the award presentation.

If the student changes educational plans regarding post secondary education as indicated on the award application, the sponsoring organization reserves the right to request the award be returned.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MARCH 14th, 2019 – 3:15 p.m.
THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS – DEADLINE IS FIRM.**