



Idaho Community Foundation - 2010-2011 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION -

Please refer to the attached Scholarship Fact Sheet and check below **ONLY** the scholarship(s) for which you are eligible and wish to apply. All applications will be screened for eligibility prior to being passed on to the selection committee.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Please mail completed applications to Elly Davis, Idaho Community Foundation, 210 W State Street, Boise, ID 83702. Applications must be post-marked *no later than April 1, 2010*. Late/Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

- Barbara L. Carnefix Memorial Scholarship Fund** (For graduates of Fruitland High School enrolled full-time to study Business)
- Boise Branch, American Association of University Women Inez Robb Scholarship Fund** (For female degree-seeking juniors and seniors at Boise State University)
- Donovan and Evelyn Grable Memorial Scholarship Fund** (Full time, second year student in the Business and Office Education Program at CWI)
- Downey Lions Club Fuhrman Memorial Scholarship Fund** (Marsh Valley High School seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA)
- Gooding High School Class of 1956 Scholarship Fund** (Gooding High School seniors demonstrating financial need)
- Hokey Pokey Scholarship Fund** (Full-time, second year music students at CSI)
- Idaho Nursing Scholarship Fund** (For students who have been accepted to an accredited Idaho nursing program, who can demonstrate financial need)
- Idaho State Council of Trout Unlimited Graduate Scholarship Fund** (Graduate students researching native or endemic coldwater fish, or a related field)
- James and Rose Helebrant Education Scholarship Fund** (Buhl High School seniors who can demonstrate financial need and good moral character)
- J. Carl Mattson Scholarship Fund** (Seniors at Mackay High School involved in Vocational Agriculture and Future Farmers of America)
- Jim Poore Memorial Scholarship Fund** (Senior in Ada, Adams, Boise, Canyon, Elmore, Gem, Payette, Valley or Washington counties, or seniors in Marsing, Homedale, Bruneau or Riggins, or first or second year college students at U of I or BSU)
- Kuna High School Scholarship Fund** (Kuna High School seniors planning to attend an Idaho college, university or technical school)
- Larry J. May Hospitality Management Scholarship Fund** (Students enrolling full-time in hospitality-related programs)
- Lucille F. Zanetti Scholarship Fund** (For graduates of Wallace, Kellogg, or Mullan High Schools with a minimum 2.0 GPA, who are active in school and the community, and demonstrate some financial need)
- Manuel and Gladys Schneidmiller Scholarship Fund** (Post Falls High School seniors planning to attend a public Idaho College or University, WSU, or EWU, and past recipients)
- Mike Crapo Math and Science Scholarship Fund** (Idaho students pursuing a degree in math or science at an Idaho college or university)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Please attach additional pages if necessary to complete the following:

Describe your educational, career goals and objectives.

Describe extra-curricular activities, award, honors, and/or offices held.

Describe some of the jobs you have held and indicate if you presently are employed, or if you plan to work while attending college.

Describe some of your community service achievements.

Describe your hobbies and interests.

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

Have you applied for other scholarships or grants? If so, please list below the name, amount and status of any grants or scholarships that have been granted or are still pending for your educational expenses.

Name of Scholarship or Grant	\$ Amount	Granted	Pending

ESSAY

Some scholarships require the completion of an essay. Please consult the attached Scholarship Fact Sheet for essay topic(s) and other special instructions for the scholarship(s) you are seeking. A single essay or equivalent may be used for multiple scholarships, *only if* it fulfills the requirements of each award sought.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Every year, a number of applications are rejected because they are incomplete. Don't let that happen to you! Use this checklist to make sure your application includes all required materials. Consult the attached Scholarship Fact Sheet for additional materials that may be required for the scholarship(s) you are seeking.

THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENTS ARE **REQUIRED** TO COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION:

- _____ Cover page with checks next to the scholarship(s) to which you are applying
- _____ Completed application form, signed and dated below
- _____ Copy of your most recent high school transcript, report card, or college transcript.
- _____ Essay (see Fact Sheet for individual scholarship requirement)
- _____ Letter(s) of recommendation (see Fact Sheet for individual scholarship requirement)
- _____ Other Requirements (see Fact Sheet for individual scholarship requirement)

Remember to mail
your applications
by the **APRIL 1st**
deadline!

- ✓ Make sure your name is on each attachment.
- ✓ Double-check all materials & attachments are included.
- ✓ Make a copy of your application for your records before you send it.
- ✓ Don't use staples on the applications because we need to photocopy all materials.

CERTIFICATION

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information will result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date _____

For information on other scholarships offered by the Idaho Community Foundation, visit our website at www.idcomfdn.org.



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Boise Branch, American Association of University Women Inez Robb Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Female Idaho resident planning to enroll full-time as a degree-seeking junior or senior level student at Boise State University, b) Maintaining a minimum 3.0 GPA; and c) Graduating within two years of receipt of scholarship. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

- ___ Essay citing examples in your life and describing how your future plans exemplify a AAUW Mission Statement: "Promote equity for women, education and self-development over the life span, and positive societal change."
- ___ Two letters of reference.

Donovan and Evelyn Grable Memorial Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Completed the first year's requirements of the Business and Office Education 2-year program at the College of Western Idaho; b) Enrolled as a full-time student in the above program for the second year of study; c) Completed the first year with a standing in the top 10% of his/her class; and d) Have demonstrated financial need as determined by the College of Western Idaho Financial Aid Office. Recipients of the scholarships will be selected by the College of Western Idaho. Renewable: No.

Downey Lions Club Fuhriman Memorial Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior of Marsh Valley High School in Downey, Idaho; b) Minimum 3.0 GPA; c) Have demonstrated financial need as documented on the standard federal financial aid application form; and d) Have a record of participation in school activities and evidence of good citizenship. **First scholarship** awarded to a student pursuing a degree in the area of Agricultural Sciences or a related field such as Biology, landscape architecture, etc., at the college or university of his or her choice. **Second scholarship** awarded to a student pursuing a degree in the field of music, performing arts, or visual arts at the college or university of his or her choice.

Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

- ___ Two letters of recommendation.
- ___ High school transcript.
- ___ Written statement explaining your financial circumstances and why you think you should receive this scholarship. Please also include your academic and career plans and dreams.

Gooding High School Class of 1956 Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior from the Gooding High School or its successor; and b) Demonstrated financial need as documented on the standard financial aid form. Can be used at the student's choice of public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school. Renewable: No.

Application Materials: ___ FAFSA Student Aid Report

Hokey Pokey Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Full-time, second-year student enrolled in the music program at the College of Southern Idaho; b) Recipients need not demonstrate financial need, nor does the receipt of another award (unless it pays academic fees) preclude receipt of this scholarship.

Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials: ___ Brief essay (up to one-page) describing the difference that music has made in your life, why you chose it as a course of study and what music means to you.

Idaho Nursing Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Student accepted into an accredited nursing program at Boise State University, Idaho State University or other accredited Idaho nursing program; b) Demonstrated financial need as documented on the standard federal financial aid form; and c) Preference given to student in the top third of the academic ranking of the class. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

- ___ Most recent certified transcript from higher education institution (if applicable).
- ___ Two letters of reference from higher educational institution you are attending.
- ___ Short essay on why you chose nursing as your career path.
- ___ Copy of FAFSA Report (*if not available, please include explanation and other supporting documentation that student qualifies for need according to federal or state standards*).

Idaho State Council of Trout Unlimited Graduate Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Accepted at an accredited Idaho university; b) Currently enrolled or selected to matriculate as a full time graduate student pursuing an advanced degree; c) A member of an Idaho Chapter of Trout Unlimited (to join go to www.tu.org); d) A strong record of academic achievement and leadership; e) Preference given to students with a permanent address in the state of Idaho (but shall not preclude well founded out-of-state applicants); f) Preference given to students pursuing a research project that involves native or endemic coldwater fish or a related field; g) Preference given to students pursuing a research project that will have a positive effect on species listed under the federal Endangered Species Act or are state sensitive listed or proposed species; and h) Results of research will have application beyond a specific local area. Application of research findings will be state, region or species wide. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

___ Most recent grade transcript.

___ Abstract of your research project that describes objectives, study design, expected results and potential application of research results.

___ Short essay (maximum of two typed, double-spaced pages) discussing the nature of your graduate work and its application to your professional career goals, and how this scholarship would help to achieve those goals.

James and Rose Helebrant Education Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior from Buhl High School; b) Of good moral character; and c) With demonstrated financial need as documented on the standard financial aid form. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials: ___ FAFSA Student Aid Report

J. Carl Mattson Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior at Mackay High School; b) Of good character, displaying graciousness and consideration for others, high principles of honor, integrity and morality; c) Completed or will have completed six trimesters (or the equivalent) of Vocational Agriculture during his/her high school career; d) Active in the Future Farmers of America and Vocational Agriculture activities; e) The Supervised Occupational Experience program of the recipient should show significant involvement and progress; f) Consideration also given to honors won and awards received, recognition given in scholastic, community and vocational agricultural activities, as well as recommendations of High School Vo-Ag instructor and the High School Counselor; and g) Accepted into an institution of higher learning directly after the completion of his/her high school career. The recipient should have some definite goals in mind. He/she need not intend, however, to pursue any specific vocational course, such as agriculture or the like. Gives recognition to an outstanding young man or woman, regardless of his/her race or creed, who, by reason of his/her ideals, vocational agricultural activities and interest, and good citizenship would be an example of excellence to all future students of Mackay High School or its successor. Renewable: No.

Jim Poore Memorial Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating high school senior in Ada, Adams, Boise, Canyon, Elmore, Gem, Payette, Valley or Washington counties; OR b) Graduating high school senior in Marsing, Homedale, Bruneau or Riggins; OR c) freshman or sophomore level college students attending the University of Idaho or Boise State University; d) Preference given to students attending or planning to attend University of Idaho or Boise State University; e) An Idaho resident; f) Minimum 2.5 GPA and; g) There is no financial need requirement. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

____ Most recent certified grade transcript: Applicants who have not completed two years of college course work must submit their high school transcript and/or college transcript. If still in high school, the grade point average should reflect all grades up to and including the first semester grades for your senior year. Applicants who have completed two or more years of college need only submit their college transcript.

____ Non-traditional students that have not attended school recently must submit their last grade transcripts along with a history of employment.

____ List of extra-curricular and community activities with a signature line at the bottom to certify participation. (For high school applicants, extracurricular and community activities must be certified by a school guidance counselor or principal. Other applicants may describe their activities without certification by a school counselor or principal; however, such information will be subject to independent verification by the Selection Committee.)

____ 1-3 page Creative Writing Sample: Jim Poore had a very broad range of interest, in addition to being a sports writer. He would often incorporate broader themes into his articles on sports, using humor to explore the challenges we all face in life. Jim was also a prolific reader of both fiction and nonfiction and a fan of movies and music. For your creative writing sample, select and write on one of the following topics:

When have you last laughed at yourself?

Some people are sports fans or movie fans; what are you a fan of?

If you could be a character in any story, movie or book, who would you be and why?

Life is full of transitions. As you are leaving or have left high school, what are you leaving behind?

NOTE: Sample should be one to three pages in length, typed or printed. Content, originality and form (punctuation, spelling, and grammar) will be considered.

____ Interview with Scholarship Committee.

Kuna High School Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior from Kuna High School; b) Enrolling as a full-time student; and c) The scholarship(s) will be awarded primarily on the basis of financial need and a sincere desire for further education or training. Grade point average or academic standing shall not be the primary determinant. Can be used at the student's choice of public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school in the state of Idaho. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials: ____ FAFSA

Larry J. May Hospitality Management Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Resident of Idaho; and b) Enrolled as a full-time student in a degree-seeking program related to the hospitality industry at an accredited public or private college or university. Hospitality-related programs include (but are not limited to) hotel/lodging, food service/restaurant, entertainment/golf club, resort, and the travel/tourism industries. Awarded primarily on the basis of a student's sincere desire for further education or training, and individual achievement as evidenced through participation in outside interests and activities, leadership roles and/or work experience. Grade point average or academic standing shall not be the primary determinant. Renewable: No.

Lucille F. Zanetti Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating from Wallace, Kellogg, or Mullan High Schools; b) 2.0 GPA; c) Active in school and the community; and d) Financial need is a secondary factor. Renewable: No.

Mike Crapo Math and Science Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Resident of Idaho; b) Majoring in math or science (including but not limited to the area of engineering); c) Enrolling as a full-time student at the freshman level (first year) at a public or private four-year college or university in the state of Idaho; and d) Must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above for all class work prior to the application. Non-traditional students who have not been enrolled in a higher education institution for a period of three years shall be exempt from the cumulative grade point average requirement for the first semester (or quarter if the school is on a quarter basis) of the scholarship. All recipients must maintain the stated grade point for the first semester (or quarter if the school is on the quarter system) in order to receive a subsequent disbursement. Awarded primarily on the basis of a sincere desire for further education or training, and individual achievement as evidenced through the student's academic record, participation in outside activities, leadership roles and/or work experience. Renewable: No.

Manuel and Gladys Schneidmiller Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduate from Post Falls High School; b) Must plan on attending a public Idaho College or University, Washington State University, or Eastern Washington University; c) Awarded on the basis of financial need, academics (minimum 3.0 GPA), and extra curricular activities. Renewable: Renewable after the first year for a maximum of three years during the recipient's vocational, technical, or undergraduate education as long as he or she: (1) is in good academic standing; (2) maintains a 2.5 GPA; and (3) is a full time student. If the recipient transfers from a junior college to a four year program, the scholarship shall continue up to the four year maximum if all other conditions are met.

Additional Application Materials:

- Completed application form.
- 1-2 page (typed) essay explaining why you should be considered for this scholarship. Please include where you plan on attending college and your intended major. Please explain your educational and career goals. Explain how this scholarship would help you attain your goals. Explain any circumstances you or your family face which would influence your family's ability to contribute to your education.
- Academic resume (typed).
- Official transcript.
- Teacher letter of recommendation.
- FAFSA summary page with your family's Expected Family Contribution.

Richfield High School Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior from Richfield High School; b) 2.0 GPA or above; and must maintain the grade point for each semester the scholarship is in effect; c) Enrolling as a full-time student in an accredited public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school; and d) There is no financial need requirement. Can be used at the student's choice of accredited public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school. Awarded primarily on the basis of a student's sincere commitment to further education or training, and individual achievement as evidenced through participation in outside interests and activities, leadership roles and/or work experience. Grade point average or academic standing shall not be the primary determinant.

Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

- Student transcript.
- An original 1-2 page essay that describes your goals and why you would be a good candidate for the scholarship.

Ted Ellis Scholarship Fund for the Boys and Girls Club of Ada County

Eligibility: a) Graduating seniors of public, private, charter, or parochial high schools in the geographic area served by the Boys and Girls Club of Ada County; b) Have at least passing grades; and c) Demonstrate continued involvement in the activities of the Boys and Girls Club of Ada County. Can be used at the student's choice of public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school. Renewable: No.

Paul C. Rebholtz Memorial Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Graduating senior of Boise High School in Boise, Idaho; and b) Enrolling as a full-time student in a degree-seeking or certification program in an accredited public or private college, community college, university, vocational, or technical school. For graduating seniors from Boise High School who have learned to value knowledge and education through their personal and academic growth during their years at Boise High School. Awarded primarily on the following: • Improved Performance: Students who have made a good effort to improve their performance during their high school years. This scholarship does not heavily emphasize overall grade point average, rather the record of a student's improvement. • A Chance to Succeed: This scholarship is intended to give students who may not meet the strict criteria of typical scholarships a chance to further their education and training. • Making a Difference: Students who have a desire to make a difference in their lives, who are ethical and have integrity, and who want to better themselves through education and training.

Renewable: No, but student may re-apply, provided the student remains enrolled in the institution of higher learning and submits an annual statement to the Scholarship Committee explaining how the scholarship has helped the student and requesting continued funding.

Additional Application Materials:

___ *Students must be nominated by a Boise High School department head or counselor:* Attach a signed statement of nomination from a department head or counselor.

___ Copy of your official high school transcript.

___ Three letters of recommendation: two from Boise High School teachers, and one from a family member or friend. (Please have the family or friend identify who they are.)

Written statements addressing each of the following:

___ 1. What experience or event during your high school years has had the greatest impact on your life, and in what way has it changed you?

___ 2. Describe an experience about family or friendship that has made you a better person, or an experience where faith has made you stronger.

___ 3. List your top three reasons for wanting to attend college or trade school.

___ 4. List the top three goals you would like to reach in life.

___ 5. Describe one of your most difficult jobs. Explain how you handled it, and in what way the experience has motivated you.

___ 6. What advice would you give to younger students about school and life?

___ 7. List the schools to which you have applied (or intend to apply). Indicate whether you have been accepted and which one you plan to attend (if you have made that decision).

Roger C. Sathre Memorial Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) Resident of Idaho; b) Graduated from an accredited high school in Idaho or equivalent; c) 2.5 GPA or better in the previous two years of school at an accredited high school or post secondary school; d) Enrolling as a full-time student in a professional-technical or professional-technical teacher education program at an accredited college or university in Idaho, pursuing an undergraduate course of study requiring at least nine months of consecutive attendance and leading to a first degree, technical certificate or other approved award; e) Financial need will only be considered in the case of a tie. Can be used at any public or private accredited professional-technical school or professional-technical teacher education program in Idaho. **Renewable:** No, but after the initial year of the scholarship award, the recipient may apply for one additional scholarship during the recipient's professional-technical education as long as he or she (1) is in good academic standing as defined by the institution attended, (2) maintains a 2.5 GPA and (c) is a full-time student.

Additional Application Materials:

___ Essay identifying your reasons for wanting to pursue your chosen course of study. Include in the essay your extracurricular activities, participation in school and community organizations, including professional-technical student organizations, work and other experiences that led to your chosen course of study. (Maximum of 500 words)

___ Two letters of recommendation from individuals who are unrelated to you and who know your qualifications.

___ Official transcripts(s) and attendance reports for your previous two years of school.

___ FAFSA Student Aid Report

___ Portfolio of academic and technical achievement (optional)

Treasure Valley Family YMCA Scholarship for Civic Engagement

(NOTE: Limited to one applicant per high school – see your guidance counselor before submitting application.)

Eligibility: a) Seniors of public, private, charter, or parochial high schools in the geographic area served by the Treasure Valley Family YMCA (Ada and Canyon Counties); b) Who have contributed at least 75 hours of service within the past twelve months. The scholarship award can be used at the student's choice of public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school. This is a "needs-based" scholarship and will be awarded on the basis of public service, not academic or athletic achievement. Each high school in the service area of the YMCA may nominate one, and only one, candidate for a scholarship each year. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

____ *Note** Transcripts are NOT required for this application.*

____ Two letters of reference from individuals from your community service work or teachers who are familiar with your community service work.

____ Application Narrative: Please provide a narrative summary of the type and level of community service/activity that you have performed in the past 12 months. Please include details on specific projects/activities, your involvement in its organization and implementation, and the project impact or results. Please attach your description on a separate sheet of paper and limit it to 2 pages, 12 point font, double-spaced.

____ Written statement regarding the number of community service hours you have completed in the past 12 months, including the organization or civic activity through which the majority of your 75 hours or more of service were completed. Please also include a Reference Name for this activity, and telephone number where this reference may be reached.

Wendell P. and Barbara L. Carnefix Memorial Scholarship Fund

Wendell P. Carnefix Scholarship

For students enrolled or enrolling in a degree-seeking program or a certification program in the area of Agriculture, Horticulture, or a related field, including but not limited to the following: plant sciences, agronomy (crop and soil sciences), animal and dairy sciences, and landscape architecture.

Barbara L. Carnefix Scholarship

For students enrolled or enrolling in a degree-seeking program or certification program in the area of Business.

Eligibility for both: a) Graduating senior or graduate of Fruitland High School in Fruitland; b) Enrolled or enrolling as a full-time student in an accredited public or private junior college, college, university, vocational, or technical school; c) Preference is given to students attending Idaho colleges and universities; d) Financial need of the recipient is considered; and e) Student performance is considered, but no minimum GPA is required. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

____ Essay explaining your educational and career goals. Essay should be no more than one page, double-spaced.

____ Two letters of recommendation: one from a Fruitland High School staff member, and one from a person not employed by the Fruitland School District.

____ *For Barbara Carnefix Scholarship Only:* Short written statement describing your financial need and how this scholarship will help you achieve your goals.

W.L. Shattuck Scholarship

Eligibility: a) Student not younger than 16 years of age or older than 26; b) Student who is a high school graduate of Idaho Falls School District 91 or 93; c) Preference given to students with demonstrated financial need; d) Accepted and enrolled in an accredited higher education or technical education program; e) At the undergraduate level. Renewable: No.

Additional Application Materials:

____ An official high school transcript which includes at least the first term of the Senior year.

____ Two letters of recommendation. One must be from a school official.

____ A resume of school and extracurricular activities.

____ A short statement of educational goals. Please include a paragraph indicating how this scholarship will further your education.

____ The names and addresses of the higher education or technical education programs to be attended.

____ *If you qualify for a Pell Grant from the Federal Government,* attach the FAFSA summary page evidencing your family's EFC (Expected Family Contribution) OR please list the amount in line 37 adjusted gross income of your parents' 2009 1040 Federal Tax Form.

Yvonne and Dick Lierz Scholarship Fund

Eligibility: a) First or second year undergraduate student; b) Child of a full-time employee of Franklin Building Supply; c) Demonstrated volunteer involvement in at least one charitable activity benefiting the community; d) While grades, activities, and recommendations are important, if an applicant's cumulative grade point is below 2.8 they will be seriously considered only if they are able to convince the Scholarship Selection Committee of a high desire to advance their education. Can be used at the student's choice of any public Idaho or Nevada institution of higher learning. Renewable: No.