



Algonquin Campership Fund

Providing access to life-enhancing camp experiences

Established by alumni of wilderness camps, the Algonquin Campership Fund provides financial assistance through camperships to disadvantaged youth, who want to attend a canoe tripping camp in Algonquin Provincial Park, Ontario, Canada.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Have financial need
- Already connected with and registered at a wilderness camp in Algonquin Park, such as Camp Northway and Camp Pathfinder
- Be a US citizen or a resident alien.

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**Rolling Deadline:
December 1, February 1, and April 1**



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*For youth ages 8-17 attending camp in
Algonquin Park, Ontario Canada*

Groups Trips are also available

Nonprofit organizations (including schools) with programs for children who may be interested in attending camp off-season may apply for aid.

Only the cost of attending camp and the rental of supplies are eligible for aid.

Preference will be given to groups with diverse membership and limited wilderness experience.



PALMYRA MACEDON HS

GRADUATING SENIORS AND ALUMNI

GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Bullis Family Scholarship: For graduating Palmyra-Macedon High School seniors who have attended the district for four years and are pursuing an undergraduate degree.

Award: One award of \$500 per semester for a total of \$4,000 over eight consecutive semesters.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI

Bullis Loan Repayment Scholarship: For Palmyra Macedon High School alumni with educational loan debt who have received the Bullis Family Scholarship

Award: One award of up to \$8,000. Amount may not exceed loan debt.

Dr. Abraham R. Bullis Medical Scholarship: For Palmyra-Macedon High School alumni pursuing a medical doctor or doctor of osteopathic medicine degree at an accredited medical school.

Award: One award of \$10,000; may be split among up to five recipients.

Myrna C. Clark Scholarship: For current residents or alumni of the Palmyra-Macedon School District who are age 25 and older and plan to pursue a degree at any college or university.

Award: Five awards of up to \$2,500. Amount may not exceed cost of tuition.

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Deadline: February 1



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Armenian Scholarship

in Memory of Charles J. Churukian

This scholarship was created in memory of Charles J. Churukian, an accomplished histotechnologist and lifelong humanitarian.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Graduating high school senior
- Resides in and is graduating from a school within the eight-county area
- Has Armenian heritage
- Is pursuing a degree in the fields of Medicine, Science, or Music
- Has financial need
- Has a minimum B/3.0 GPA

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**Application Deadline:
February 1**

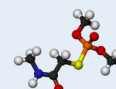


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After earning his baccalaureate degree in theology, Charles chose to defer the call to ministry to care for and assist his aging parents. It was during this time that he began to develop an interest in medical histology.

Concentrating his efforts in this medical field for over 54 years including 40 years supervising the Histochemistry Laboratory in the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at the University of Rochester Medical Center, Charles never resigned from his giving nature providing spiritual guidance to others.

For this reason and more, family and friends created this scholarship in hopes that Charles Churukian and his accomplishments will live on.





Dr. Marlene Caroselli

Excellence-in-Communication Award

This scholarship supports graduating high school seniors and current college undergraduate students in Monroe County who plan to attend college and focus on a career that requires excellence in communication.

For graduating high school seniors or current college undergraduate students in Monroe County who:

- Have consistently demonstrated excellence in both the spoken and written word with an “A-” or 90% average in English;
- Have maintained at least a “B” or 85% average in general courses;
- Are currently attending or planning to attend a two- or four- year college or university;
- Are focused on a career that requires excellence in communication; and
- Demonstrate financial need.

DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1



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Elvira Caroselli Creative Spirit Scholarship

Although Elvira Josephine Ciaccia Caroselli never had art lessons or sewing lessons—just a miniature sewing machine her father bought her when she was eight—she made clothes for the family. In no time, she was sewing wedding gowns and draperies for friends and family.

Her creativity extended far beyond Rochester. She was asked to make a christening dress for Governor Mario Cuomo's grandchild. The height of her creativity was realized in a drapery rod she invented and then sold to a major American manufacturer (creating hundreds of jobs for American workers along the way). She was 68 years old at the time.

There was magic in Elvira's fingers and, in keeping with Elvira's "Creative Spirit," we hope you take advantage of opportunities she never had and let your artistic view of the world enrich others.

Whimsical

Compassionate



Artistic

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Due February 1



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For high school juniors and seniors in Monroe County

**Elvira's creative genius
turned lifeless fabric into dancing
brides and transformed bare
windows into stunning home decor.**

**People were drawn to Elvira
for her joyous sense of humor, her
love of life, and her compassion
toward others.**

A vital trendsetter.

A unique friend.

Handmade

JACQUELINE HALL MINET TRAVEL AWARD

for Cross-Cultural Understanding

This award provides financial assistance to juniors and seniors both at Brighton High School and in the Rochester City School District for participation in significant travel experiences that provide immersion into other cultures. *Preference may be given to a student visiting a Spanish-speaking country.*

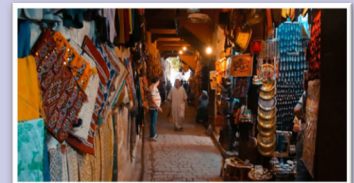
To be eligible the student must::

- Be entering his/her junior or senior year;
- Maintain a B or better average;
- Have the foreign language skills needed by the travel abroad program;
- Demonstrate cross-cultural interests in and out of school;
- Be accepted into a travel abroad program with home-stay or local culture immersion opportunities; and
- Have financial need.

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Deadline: February 1





NAUTILUS SCHOLARSHIP

Providing scholarships support to students in Monroe County pursuing a degree in education, architecture, construction, construction management, or a related field or a trades program.

For graduating high school seniors in Monroe County who:

- are pursuing architecture, construction, construction management, or a field of education that would lead to supporting the growth of these fields, such as science, technology, engineering, and math; or a trades program or degree;
- plan to attend a 2-year or 4-year college, or university or vocational/technical school;
- have a minimum 2.0 GPA;
- have financial need; and
- intend to work in Monroe County.

Applications Due February 1



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Patrick Caroselli Scholarship

This scholarship supports graduating high school seniors in Monroe County whose parents immigrated to the United States.

For graduating high school seniors in Monroe County whose parents immigrated to the United States and who:

- Have maintained a “B” average;
- Are planning to pursue a college education; and
- Have financial need.

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Deadline: February 1



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GAY R. MANEY

REACH FOR THE GREEN

Scholarship

For graduating high school seniors residing in the City of Rochester who:

- ♦ Are continuing on to a two- or four-year college;
- ♦ Demonstrate scholastic ability with a 2.5 or higher high school GPA;
- ♦ Have golf-related experience, exposure or program involvement through high school sports, community programs, or employment; and
- Demonstrate financial need.

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**DEADLINE:
FEBRUARY 1**

In order to be eligible for this scholarship, applicants must live in the city of Rochester and have participated in any type of golf-related program (formal or informal, in or out of high school) and plan to pursue a college education.



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ROCHESTER CAVALRY TROOPS SCHOLARSHIP

The Rochester Cavalry Troop Corporation established this scholarship in memory of Major General Kenneth C. Townson to provide financial support for current National Guard members connected to Patriot Way, and their spouses and dependent children pursuing post-secondary education.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Current or recently retired (within one year) National Guard members connected to Patriot Way, as well as their spouses and dependent children, and surviving spouse and dependent children of National Guard members connected to Patriot Way who lost their life during battle, training, or when otherwise on duty;
- Demonstrate financial need, scholastic merit (2.0 GPA or higher), and a good record of military proficiency and conduct; and
- Be enrolled in full- or part-time study (minimum six credit hours per semester).

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WWW.RACF.ORG/CAVALRY

DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1



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Monroe County students in grades 9 -12 (including Home Schoolers) are invited to enter their poetry, short fiction prose (no essays), and/or recorded performances to this prestigious annual contest.

Entry Deadline: January

Sokol High School Literary Awards Contest



First Prize \$300
Second Prize \$200
Third Prize \$100

**A PERFORMANCE Prize of \$300
will also be awarded.**



For your entry to be considered:

- Submit only one original entry per category: *Poetry, Prose or Performance.*
- Work must be in a typed, double spaced, 12-point font Word document.
- For your entry to be considered for *Performance*, include a link to your performance on YouTube.
- No name or identifying information should be on the work. A separate cover sheet should be submitted as a Word document, including: name, address, telephone, school and grade level.
- Email the work, cover letter and YouTube link (for performance only) to Sokol.Contest@libraryweb.org.

**Judging is by nationally-known authors and the winners
are announced in April.**

The awards ceremony will be held a few weeks later at Central Library,
115 South Avenue, downtown Rochester.

Find complete instructions at www.Sokol.ffrpl.org or call 585.428.8350.



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Susan A. Cowell SCHOLARSHIP

For students who identify as members of the LGBTQ community who:

- Have a minimum 3.0 GPA (B average) or higher;
- Are pursuing post-secondary education at a qualifying academic institution* in the eight-county area surrounding Rochester (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, and Yates counties);
- Are already or plan to be enrolled in a program aligned with public health, nonprofit administration, or social justice activism, including social activism through the arts; and
- Demonstrate a proclivity for social justice activism and/or a desire to positively impact the LGBTQ community.

**Qualifying institutions include accredited undergraduate or graduate colleges, universities, community colleges, trade schools, and technical schools.*



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through the arts.

**Applications are due
by February 1**

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