Berks County Chapter of PSEA-Retired Scholarship Program

The Berks County Chapter of PSEA-Retired is proud to again present five (5) awards of $1000 each to students who have successfully completed at least two consecutive semesters of studies at a college, university or technical school. Previous applicants must submit an updated application in order to be eligible for this year’s awards.

I. General qualifications

A) The applicant must have graduated from a high school represented by PSEA in Berks County prior to January 1, 2022.

B) The parent/step-parent/guardian of the applicant must be a dues-paying PSEA member or a PSEA-Retired member.

C) The applicant must be a full-time student currently enrolled in a post-high school program or college/university with intentions to continue as a full-time student.

II. Application submissions:

Each applicant must submit:

- A completed Application Form
- A letter of application which should include the applicant’s major or field(s) of study, goals, activities, and intended use of scholarship monies
- A copy of the applicant’s current transcript

All applications must be received by June 30 and sent to:

Berks County Chapter of PSEA-Retired OR andreaschaeffer@yahoo.com
Attention: Arlan R. Dietrich
573 Mill Road
Hamburg, PA 19526

III. Evaluation of applications

Applications will be evaluated by a committee consisting of members of the Berks County Chapter of PSEA-Retired according to the criteria outlined in Section II above.

IV. Presentation of awards

A) Scholarship recipients or their representatives will be presented with their awards at a dinner. This year’s dinner will be held at the Yellow House Hotel, Douglassville, Pennsylvania on Wednesday, August 10, at 6 p.m.

B) The student and two guests will be treated to dinner on that evening. Additional tickets will be available for purchase. Information will be provided to scholarship recipients.

C) Scholarship recipients will be asked to offer a few words to the audience upon accepting their awards.

D) Both successful and non-successful applicants will be notified no later than July 31.
Berks County Chapter of PSEA-Retired
Scholarship Application Form

Name of student applicant:
____________________________________________________________________________________

Home address:
____________________________________________________________________________________

Phone: _______________ Email: __________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________

School which applicant currently attends:
____________________________________________________________________________________

Berks County high school represented by PSEA from which the applicant graduated:
____________________________________________________________________________________

Date of graduation from high school: ____________________________________________________________________________________________

Name of the PSEA parent/step-parent/guardian:
____________________________________________________________________________________

School district where the PSEA parent/step-parent/guardian works: __________________________________________________________________________

Declaration:
“I certify that the information is correct to the best of my knowledge, and any misrepresentation of facts could result in the forfeiture of any scholarship money awarded. I understand that all information supplied on this application will be kept in strict confidence, and that after usage of this form is completed, it will be destroyed.”

Applicant’s signature: ________________________________________________________________________________________________

PSEA member’s signature: ______________________________________________________________________________________________

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