

County Leitrim Society Scholarship Fund Committee
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Dear Member,

The Scholarship Fund Committee of the County Leitrim Society of New York is already preparing for the 2020 Scholarship awards. This will be our **48th year** to make award presentations to children of paid up members.

To be eligible for the 2020 Scholarships, applicants must be a resident of the U.S. and a son or daughter of a paid up member for 2018, 2019 and 2020, (dues must be paid by April 15, 2020) and be attending Private Grammar School, Private High School or College.

The Committee will award the following scholarships:

- Two (2) Private Elementary/Grammar School Awards in the amount of \$500 each - one donated by The Detective Barney Ferguson Emerald Legacy Fund in memory of Barney Ferguson), the other donated by Pat and Pidgie Murray in memory of their grand-daughter, Aisling Cooke.
- Two (2) Private High School Awards in the amount of \$500 each – one donated by the Scholarship Fund (The Richard Reynolds Award) and one donated by The Dolan Family in memory of Larry Dolan
- Two (2) Private High School Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each
- Two (2) College Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each
- One (1) College Award in the amount of \$2,000. **Written essay required to apply for this award.** (Donated by the McKeon Family in memory of Barney and Olive McKeon)

Please see **Rules & Regulations attached** for complete application details.

The Scholarships are presented annually at our Scholarship Fund Mass/Dance which will take place on November 8th 2020. College Scholarships are awarded at Dance but distributed after presenting a transcript at the end of the first semester making period with a minimum of 12 earned credits in good academic standing.

Please complete and return the Scholarship Application to: Chairperson, Bernadette Dunleavy at the address above on or before April 15, 2020. Winners will be drawn at the May 2020 Meeting.

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Scholarship Application 2020-2021 School Year

() Private Elementary/Grammar School () Private High School () College () College Essay

Name _____ Age _____ Grade in Sept. 2020 _____

School Name _____ Member Name _____

School Address _____

Member Address _____

School Telephone _____ Member Telephone _____

Applicant Signature _____ Membership Card () 2018 () 2019 () 2020

Date _____ Eligibility Verified by Chairperson _____

APPLICATION MUST BE POSTMARKED, OR RECEIVED IN HAND, BY APRIL 15, 2020