



LOCAL GRANTS AVAILABLE TO HELP FUND YOUR EDUCATION

Snayberger Foundation Grant

The Snayberger Foundation offers grants to anyone under the age of 25 and resides in Schuylkill County who is furthering their education. There is no criterion as to what type of school or length of school program. This grant is available yearly and students must re-apply every year. The applications for this grant will be available starting December 15, 2009 at M&T Bank N.A., One S. Centre St., Pottsville and all of their branch offices. Nearby offices are located in Cressona, Orwigsburg, Schuylkill Haven, Tri-Valley, Yorkville and Pottsville. Students will be notified by mail usually by the end of August 2009. Any questions you may have can be directed to Carolyn Bernatonis at (570) 628-9341. M&T Bank accepts completed applications by mail only with a deadline of February 26, 2010 do not wait until this day to pick up your application.

The Daniel R. Miller Trust Fund

“The Daniel R. Miller Trust Fund for Education” is available to anyone pursuing an education after high school. One of the criteria is that the applicant be a resident of Pine Grove Borough, Pine Grove Township or Clear Spring, Washington County, MD. This grant is renewable yearly and applicants must reapply yearly. Students must apply online at www.wachoviascholars.com. The application will be available online after February 1, 2010. Additional supporting documents will have to be mailed to Daniel R. Miller Trust Fund for Education no later than April 1, 2010. To continue receiving this grant you must maintain a 2.0 average. Information is available on the Wachovia website mentioned above.

Pine Grove Masonic Lodge #409 Scholarship

Pine Grove Masonic Lodge will be awarding 3 scholarships of \$500 each as the Selection Committee sees deemed able. All 2010 seniors of the Pine Grove Area High School are eligible to apply. Applications can be picked up in the Guidance Office. Completed applications are to be returned to the Guidance Office by April 15, 2010.

The Mabel Zimmerman & Adelia Klinger Scholarship

This scholarship is available to academically worthy young men and women of the Pine Grove Area School system, who have been born in the Pine Grove Area School District as it is constituted in the year 1981 and will attend a four-year college for an advanced degree. Preference shall be given to those who have been born in the village of Ravine. This is a one-time scholarship, unless you are a resident of Ravine --- then you may apply a second time. Applications may be picked up in the high school office or at Fulton Bank in Pine Grove. The completed application must be received by the trust group at Fulton Bank by April 30, 2010 for consideration.

Dolores D. Adams Memorial Scholarship

This need-based scholarship is available only to Pine Grove Area High School graduating seniors. According to the wishes of Mr. Richard W. Adams, scholarship awards in the amount of \$250 or more, as fund earnings warrant, will be awarded to successful applicants whose family income falls within the guidelines established annually by the Federal government and who are planning on continuing their education after high school. A selection committee will determine the number of recipients and the amount of the awards annually. The selection committee will forward their recommendations to the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation no later than April 15th of each year. Applications will be made available in the guidance office by mid-February. Completed applications should be returned to the high school guidance office by April 15, 2010.



Elizabeth K. Frank Memorial Scholarship

According to the wishes of Ms. Frank, the earnings of this Scholarship Fund shall be awarded annually to graduating seniors of Pine Grove Area High School who plan to pursue musical study and training either at an accredited college or university or at an accredited not for profit music school. This scholarship shall be paid in four equal parts; each year one part will be paid to the recipient except that in the first year the payment shall not be made until the student has completed his/her first semester of schooling. Each student must complete a form annually and submit a transcript to ensure that he/she is continuing his/her musical education. If the student fails to return the form and/or is no longer pursuing music, his/her scholarship shall be forfeited. Applications will be available in the guidance by mid-February. Completed applications should be returned to the guidance office by April 15, 2010.

Marie Bossler Phi Delta Kappa, Kutztown Chapter Scholarship Fund

This scholarship will support high school seniors who attend a Berks or Schuylkill County High School and intend to pursue an undergraduate degree in the field of education. Students need not be planning to attend Kutztown University to apply. Applications are available in the guidance office or go to: www.bccf.org – click on “Find a Scholarship,” then “List of Scholarships,” lastly “Schuylkill County.” The application deadline for this scholarship is February 1, 2010.