

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AND COLLEGE STUDENTS

STEWART'S FCU OFFERS SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUR MEMBERS

- **Stewart's FCU \$500 Scholarship**
to college bound high school seniors
- **Stewart's FCU \$500 Scholarship**
to students currently enrolled in a 2 to 4 year college
- **MVI \$1000 Upstate Collections Scholarship**
to students currently enrolled in a 2 to 4 year college
- **MVI \$1000 Phil Farrar Memorial Scholarship**
to college bound high school seniors

ALL APPLICATION DEADLINES ARE MARCH 10, 2017.

The winners will be notified in mid-April. The winners will be invited to an awards ceremony in May to receive the scholarship.

IT'S AN EASY PROCESS,

making this an opportunity you can't pass up.
For the application or more information call
the credit union or visit our website:

Phone: 800-723-1201 x3900

Fax: 518-581-7076

Website: www.stewartscu.com

Email: memberservice@stewartscu.com



2017 SCHOLARSHIP



APPLICATION

The Award

The Stewart's Federal Credit Union scholarship is an award of two (2) \$500 Scholarships to be paid directly to the member's chosen educational institution.

The first scholarship is being offered to a college bound high school senior.

The second scholarship is being offered to a matriculated student attending a 2 or 4 year accredited college or trade school.

Eligibility

The applicant must be a member in good standing of Stewart's Federal Credit Union. If you are not already a member, contact the credit to find out what is necessary to become a member!!

Application Process

Eligible members must complete this scholarship application. The signed application must be submitted together with:

- ✓ An official high school transcript
- ✓ An SAT/PSAT/ACT transcript (obtained through the high school guidance office)
- ✓ Teacher's letter of reference

The applicant and his/her parent or guardian must sign the Certification and Release Authorization on the back page of this form.

Selection Process

Judging will be based on both subjective criteria and weighted, objective criteria. These include academic performance, the essay, community activities and personal goals.

Application Deadline

The application, transcript and essay must be returned to the credit union no later than **Wednesday, March 10th, 2017.**

Scholarship Applicant Information

Applicant will not be considered unless all information is completed in full and all requested documentation is provided.

Please type or print clearly, and answer the following questions completely.

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____

Telephone Number () _____

High School _____

Anticipated Graduation Date ____ / ____ / ____

Name of College You Plan to Attend

Honors and Awards

Examples: National Honor Society, Principals' Awards, College Book Awards, Student/Athlete Awards, Empire State Games Team, Eagle Scout Classification.

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

5) _____

6) _____

7) _____

8) _____

**Curricular, Extracurricular and Community Service Activities,
Employment (>10 hours/week)**

Examples: Language clubs, drama/choral groups, MathCounts, LifeSmarts, sports teams, church or religious youth groups, community volunteerism, part-time jobs, youth counseling.

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____

Leadership Positions Held (Elected or Appointed, max. 5)

Examples: Student Government officer, Youth Court official, Scouting team leader, Club officer.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Essay Information

Please use a separate sheet of paper to respond to the following question. Your response should be 300-500 words. **Please type your responses—points will be deducted if responses are not typed.**

Question:

How will a college education/experience better prepare you to implement the credit union philosophy of “people helping people”? (Please cite examples.)

Telephone Number () _____ Date ____/____/____

■ Certification and Release Authorization

The following information must be completed for the applicant to be considered for scholarship awards.

I certify this information is true, complete and accurate. I also authorize the release of this information to confirm and/or verify this application.

Member Signature _____ **Date** _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____

■ Application Verification (For Credit Union Use Only)

I hereby certify that the following applicant is a Stewart's Federal Credit union member in good standing.

CU Manager's Name _____

Signature _____

Upstate Collection Center, Inc. Scholarship Award Application

MVI is an independent trade association of credit unions from the greater Capital District. As a means of giving back to our community, Upstate Collection Center is offering a \$1,000.00, one-time scholarship to a member of an MVI Member Credit Union meeting the following requirements:

Eligibility Requirements:

1. The recipient must be a member in good standing of an MVI Member Credit Union.
2. The applicant must be a matriculated student attending a 2 or 4 year accredited college or trade school.

Application Requirements:

1. A completed and signed Scholarship Award Application form
2. Transcripts or grades from most recent schooling
3. Two letters of reference
4. Essay, no more than 500 words, answering any two (2) of the following questions:
 - a. Where do you see yourself in ten years?
 - b. What community service have you performed and how has it enriched your life?
 - c. Who, outside of your family, has influenced you the most and how?
 - d. What event in the past year has influenced your life and how?

Application Procedure:

Application requirements must be completed in full, postmarked by March 10, 2017 and sent to:
MVI Scholarship Committee
c/o Stewart's Federal Credit Union
Attn: Sandy Lowe
PO Box 435, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Additional Information:

The scholarship winner will be published on the MVI website (mvicu.org) in mid-April 2017.
The winner will be invited to an awards ceremony in May to receive the scholarship.

I am a member in good standing at (please circle all that apply)

CHEN-DEL-O-FCU
FIRST NEW YORK FCU
NEWSPAPER CU
SCHENECTADY COUNTY EFCU

CITY OF SCHENECTADY EFCU
MCT FCU
PRICE CHOPPER EFCU
STEWART'S FCU

FASNY FCU
MOHAWK PROGRESSIVE FCU
SARATOGA COMMUNITY FCU
SUNMARK FCU

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Telephone _____

School Name _____ Address _____

I hereby declare the information contained in this application to be accurate and true

Applicant Signature

Date



MVI – Phil Farrar Memorial Scholarship Award Application

MVI is an independent trade association of credit unions from the greater Capital District. As a means of giving back to our community, MVI and the Farrar family are offering a \$1,000.00 (one time) Scholarship to a member of an MVI Member Credit Union meeting the following requirements:

Eligibility Requirements:

1. The recipient must be a member in good standing of an MVI Member Credit Union.
2. The applicant must be a graduating high school senior who will be attending a 2 or 4 year accredited college or trade school.

Application Requirements:

1. A completed and signed Scholarship Award Application form
2. Transcripts or grades from most recent schooling
3. Two letters of reference
4. Essay, no more than 500 words, answering any two (2) of the following questions:
 - a. Where do you see yourself in ten years?
 - b. What community service have you performed and how has it enriched your life?
 - c. Who, outside of your family, has influenced you the most and how?
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NEWSPAPER CU	PRICE CHOPPER EFCU	SARATOGA COMMUNITY FCU
SCHENECTADY COUNTY EFCU	STEWART'S FCU	SUNMARK FCU

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Telephone _____

School Name _____ Address _____

I hereby declare the information contained in this application to be accurate and true

Applicant Signature

Date



