



Scholarship Qualifications

❖ *Members Only Scholarship*

Committee will award (2) Scholarships in memory of two fallen in the line of duty Plano Police Officers

- ✚ Officer Dayle Weston Hardy Scholarship (end of watch July 7, 2007) - \$500
- ✚ Officer Green W. Rye Scholarship (end of watch February 28, 1920) - \$500

Who is Eligible?

- Applicant must be a child or dependent child of a PPA member.
- Parent must be a Member of PPA for a minimum of 18 months prior to application deadline
- Applicant must not have been convicted of a crime.
- Applicant must be under 25 years of age.

❖ *Law Enforcement Scholarship*

Committee will award (1) Scholarship

- ✚ Plano Police Association Law Enforcement or Fire Academy Scholarship - \$500

Who is Eligible?

- Applicant must be a resident of Collin County, Texas.
- Applicant must not have been convicted of a crime.
- Applicant must be under 24 years of age.

❖ **General Scholarship**

Committee will award (1) Scholarship

- ✚ Plano Police Association General Scholarship - \$500

Who is Eligible?

- Applicant must be a resident of Collin County, Texas.
- Applicant must not have been convicted of a crime.
- Applicant must be under 21 years of age.

See Application for more details and requirements

Selection Process

- All applications will be submitted to the Selection Committee anonymously for review.
- Scholarship Recipients will be notified by **August 1st, 2011**

Selection Criteria

- Must have graduated from High School or obtained a GED
- High school grade point average of a "B" (85 or higher) or a GED score of 58 (or higher); Proof of grades must be submitted with application.
- Completed a **minimum of 12 community service hours** within the last two years; **Proof of service hours must be submitted with application.**
- One page essay expressing Career and Educational Goals.

"When & How Many Times Can I Apply?"

- One entry per year as long as you meet the eligibility requirements

Scholarship Recipients Requirements for payment

- Must show proof of enrollment for a minimum of three hours of college credit at an accredited college, university, or vocational school prior to receiving Member or General Scholarship payment.
- Scholarship payment will be mailed and paid to the above accredited school on behalf of the student / recipient.
- Recipient is responsible for providing PPA the necessary information to verify enrollment and payment information.
- The scholarship award is only good for (1) one year from deadline date.
- If the Recipient fails to use the scholarship award within the year, the award will be placed back into the PPA scholarship charity fund.

Deadline for Submission: June 21st, 2011

(Must be post marked by this date)

Mail your completed application form and requested accompanying documentation to:

**PPA Scholarship Fund
Attn: Paul Martinez
P.O. Box 861956
Plano, Texas 75086-1956**

- **Scholarship recipients will be notified by phone email or mail if unable to be reached by phone number(s) provided.**