



2015

Samuel Wilson Ware Eagle Scholarship Fund



The scholarship was established in 2008 by the estate of the late Samuel Wilson Ware and offers a general scholarship(s) award towards college expenses for any Eagle Scout who is a high school graduate or graduating senior and resident of Scioto County, Ohio when earning his Eagle rank. An Eagle Scout, Mr. Ware left a legacy to benefit scouts in the hopes of encouraging Eagle Scouts to continue their involvement and leadership in the Scouting program for years to come.

Procedures

The Eagle Scout applying for a scholarship must:

- * Complete the entire application personally.
- * Enclose only the items requested in the requirements (no additional Biographies, resumes, or supplementary lists of activities should be attached to the applications)
- * Answer all questions on the application. ("See attached" is not an acceptable answer)
- * Include on each attachment the applicant's name.
- * Submit all attachments with the application form to ensure that all items are available for review at the same time. (The Scholarship Selection Committee cannot assume responsibility for matching items that come in separately.)
- * Address complete applications to: Ware Scholarship Committee, Simon Kenton Council, BSA, 318 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, OH 45662. The Ware Scholarship Committee is

not responsible for lost or misdirected applications.

FAXES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION

- * Be advised that only those applications postmarked after the first Monday of November, but no later than midnight on the last Friday in February will be considered.
- * Be advised that applications become the property of the selection committee and will not be returned to the applicant
- * The Ware Scholarship Committee will meet the third Thursday of March and will, in writing, inform all applicants of its decision within 10 days of this meeting.
- * Applicants understand that submitting this application is in no way a guarantee that a scholarship will be granted.
- * There is no appeal and the decision of the Scholarship Committee is final.

Requirements

All applicants must:

1. Have been granted their Eagle Scout rank, or have verified that their application for Eagle Scout rank has been received at the national office.
2. Submit applications that are postmarked after the first Monday in November, but *no later than* midnight on the last Friday in February and are received by the Ware Scholarship Committee within 5 days of the deadline. Use sufficient postage.
3. Be a graduating high school senior or a high school graduate and resident of Scioto County, Ohio.
4. Provide a High School transcript showing ACT and/or SAT scores and class ranking, if available. College transcript if applicable.
5. **Submit three letters of recommendation**, one must be from an adult volunteer or professional Scout leader who knows the applicant personally and two that are friends or employers (**no family members**) Letters must be dated no more than nine Months prior to the date of the completed application.
6. Have demonstrated leadership ability in Scouting and participated in activities outside of Scouting.
7. Submit a "**summary**" of your Eagle Scout Service Project. (one page or less)
8. Provide with the application a personal letter of intent to attend school or proof of acceptance.
9. Be willing to allow his name and picture to be used in Recognition of his selection for the scholarship in local Newspapers, Scouting website and newsletter and at his school's Graduation awards event.
10. Submit two (2) essays of 250 to 300 words:
 - * Describe your involvement in your Unit since achieving Eagle Scout, how you supported the leadership goals of your unit and the Boy Scouts of America
 - * Why was it important to you to continue your involvement in your unit after earning Eagle Scout? How do you feel continued involvement with Scouting in high school, college and beyond positively impacts our community?
11. Attend the Tecumseh Annual Awards Banquet in full Class A uniform.

Applicant's Information

Is address new since you obtained your Eagle Scout Award? Yes _____ No _____

(Please type or print in black ink.)

Name _____ Social Security number _____
First Middle Last

Home address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Email _____

Home telephone number _____ (_____) _____ Date of high school graduation _____
Area code

Date of birth _____ Eagle Scout board of review date _____

Name of parent or guardian _____

Applications must be postmarked by midnight, February 27, 2015

SCOUTING RECORD

POSITIONS HELD

(Check all that apply.)

- ☐ Patrol leader
- ☐ Assistant senior patrol leader
- ☐ Senior patrol leader
- ☐ Junior assistant Scoutmaster
- ☐ Varsity team captain
- ☐ Varsity squad leader
- ☐ Varsity co-captain
- ☐ Local camp staff
- ☐ National camp staff
- ☐ Area Explorer officer
- ☐ National Explorer officer
- ☐ Post vice president
- ☐ Post president
- ☐ OA member
- ☐ OA lodge chief
- ☐ OA section chief

- ☐ OA national officer

- ☐ OA chapter chief

NATIONAL AWARDS EARNED

(Check all that apply.)

- ☐ BSA Lifeguard
- ☐ 50-Miler Award
- ☐ Heroism Award
- ☐ Historic Trails Award
- ☐ Honor Medal
- ☐ Honor Medal with Crossed Palms
- ☐ Hornaday Award
- ☐ Medal of Merit
- ☐ OA Vigil Honor
- ☐ Religious emblem
- ☐ Sea Explorer Quartermaster
- ☐ Merit badges (Please give total number earned.) _____
- ☐ Bronze Palm

- ☐ Gold Palm

- ☐ Silver Palm

- ☐ Other Scouting positions/awards

(Please specify.) _____

- ☐ Outdoor experiences of five or more days and nights

(Please specify.) _____

Have you served in a staff position for any of the following?

(Check all that apply.)

- ☐ Council camp or expeditions
- ☐ Order of the Arrow
- ☐ Philmont
- ☐ High - adventure base
- ☐ National jamboree
- ☐ World jamboree

School Activities

Name of high school _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Principal's name _____ Telephone (_____) _____
Area code

ACADEMIC

GPA _____ Your anticipated ranking or rank _____ in your class of _____ students.

SAT score – math (if applicable) _____ SAT score – verbal (if applicable) _____

ACT composite score (if applicable) _____

OTHER ACTIVITIES(Check all activities you have been involved in during high school.)

Sports

- ☐ Baseball
- ☐ Basketball
- ☐ Cross-country
- ☐ Football
- ☐ Golf
- ☐ Soccer
- ☐ Swimming/Diving
- ☐ Tennis
- ☐ Track
- ☐ Volleyball
- ☐ Wrestling
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

Clubs and Other Activities

- ☐ Band/Orchestra
- ☐ BETA
- ☐ Choir
- ☐ Chess
- ☐ Computer
- ☐ Debating
- ☐ Drama/Theater
- ☐ Foreign Language
- ☐ History
- ☐ International

- ☐ Key
- ☐ Math
- ☐ Science
- ☐ Model UN
- ☐ National Honor Society
- ☐ Student Council/Government
- ☐ Tutoring/Peer Counseling
- ☐ Yearbook/Magazine/Newspaper
- ☐ Boy's State
- ☐ Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- ☐ Future Business of America
- ☐ Future Farmers of America
- ☐ Students Against Drunk Driving
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL AND SCOUTING (Check all Activities you have been involved in outside of school and Scouting)

Church

- ☐ Acolyte Member
- ☐ Altar
- ☐ Choir
- ☐ Deacons Quorum
- ☐ Teachers Quorum
- ☐ Priests Quorum
- ☐ Sports
- ☐ Usher

- ☐ Youth Group
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

Clubs and Other Activities

- ☐ Blood Drive
- ☐ Civic (library, park, government, officials, etc)
- ☐ Community Theater
- ☐ Exchange Student program
- ☐ Food Drives
- ☐ 4-H
- ☐ Hospital
- ☐ Junior Achievement
- ☐ Kiwanis
- ☐ Music
- ☐ Red Cross
- ☐ Rotary
- ☐ Salvation Army
- ☐ Tutoring
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

Sports

- ☐ Baseball
- ☐ Basketball
- ☐ Football
- ☐ Martial Arts
- ☐ Soccer
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

College Plans or History

In order of preference, list the colleges/universities to which you have applied, or plan to apply, or are accepted. Attach a copy of your college transcript if applicable.

College/University name _____

Estimated cost per year (Include room/board/tuition/books) _____

Field of Study _____

What do you plan to do when you graduate from college/university? _____

Financial Need

EMPLOYMENT

Father/Guardian _____
(if applicable) Employer Position

Mother/Guardian _____
(if applicable) Employer Position

Self (if applicable) _____
Employer Position

List jobs you have held during the past two years.

	Employer	Months Employed	Amount Earned Before Deductions
This Year	_____	_____	\$ _____
Last Year	_____	_____	\$ _____

On your own, how much money have you saved to assist in your college education? \$ _____

Please list the sources and amounts of other financial aid you have received or expect to receive.

Please indicate your family's or yours if applicable gross income before deductions as reported on last year's income tax return.

- ☐ Less than \$7,500
- ☐ \$7,500 - \$8,499
- ☐ \$8,501 - \$10,999
- ☐ \$11,000 - \$12,000
- ☐ \$13,000 - \$13,999
- ☐ \$14,000 - \$14,999
- ☐ \$15,000 - \$15,999
- ☐ \$16,000 - \$17,999
- ☐ \$18,000 - \$19,999

- ☐ \$20,000 - \$29,999
- ☐ \$30,000 - \$39,999
- ☐ \$40,000 - \$49,999

- ☐ \$50,000 - 59,999
- ☐ More than \$59,999

FAMILY SIZE

Please indicate the number of income tax dependents currently residing in your home.

- ☐ 8 or more
- ☐ 5 - 7
- ☐ 4 or fewer

OTHER FACTORS (Please check all that apply)

- ☐ One-parent household
- ☐ Two-parent household
- ☐ One-income family
- ☐ Two-income family
- ☐ Other children in college

Samuel Wilson Ware Eagle Scholarship

Scholarships will be available each year in an amount determined in accordance with the Samuel Wilson Ware Eagle Scholarship Selection Committee Guidelines.

1. The Samuel Wilson Ware Eagle Scholarship Fund pays all funds directly to your college/university once the Scholarship Committee has received a payment form that you have filled out.
2. These funds are for tuition, room, board, and books for as long as you remain a fulltime student during the life of the scholarship.
3. Funds are distributed according to your college/university's guidelines. Any variation on these guidelines is between you and the college/university. The Samuel Wilson Ware Eagle Scholarship Fund will not be involved with distribution of funds other than payment to the school.
4. The scholarship is limited to use at a college/university that is accredited by recognized accreditation agencies and offers a bachelor's degree or associates degree upon completion of the course of study offered.

Authorization

I hereby authorize the Samuel Wilson Ware Eagle Scholarship Selection Committee to request and obtain any further information it deems necessary.

On my honor as a Scout, all information and statements on this form are true and correct.

Signature of applicant

Date

I have read this application and it has my approval.

Signature of father/guardian

Date

Printed Name

Signature of mother/guardian

Date

Printed Name