



September 20, 2016

NAFWS Pacific Region

To College & University Scholarship Office:

The NAFWS – Pacific Region is pleased to announce the availability of Three (3) \$1000.00 scholarships. These scholarships will be awarded to Native American students pursuing a degree related to natural resources, fisheries, wildlife management, resource recreation, conservation law enforcement, or environmental sciences. The scholarship awards will be awarded after selection by the Pacific Region Scholarship Committee and will be announced at the Pacific Region Conference awards banquet to be held October 12, 2016 at the Shoshone Bannock Hotel and Convention Center, Ft. Hall, ID.

Enclosed you will find the application and requirements for any interested Native American students.

The application deadline is October 7, 2016.

Completed applications are to be sent to:

Native American Fish and Wildlife Society
P.O. Box 348
Toppenish, WA 98948

Any questions call:

David Wolf @ 541-429-1950
Or Ted Lame Bull, Jr. @541-490-1332

Sincerely,

David Wolf
NAFWS Pacific Region Director

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Application for Scholarship Award

Purpose of Award:

To assist Indian students pursuing a course of study leading toward an undergraduate or graduate degree in natural resources, fisheries, wildlife management, resource recreation, conservation law enforcement, or environmental sciences.

Maximum Award:

This will be Three (3) awards of \$1,000 (scholarships) presented by the Native American Fish & Wildlife Society's Pacific Region which can be used for any aspect of undergraduate, technical, or graduate education, including tuition, textbooks, equipment, travel, and living expenses.

Minimum award:

Eligible Applicant:

- A. Must be a member of a federally recognized Indian tribe. (copy of your enrollment card)*
- B. Must be a full time student at an accredited institution of higher education in a natural resource or related field.
- C. Applicant must have completed one academic year of study at an accredited institution of higher education in a natural resource or related field.
- D. Applicants must have an overall 2.00 G.P.A.

Application:

- A. Proof of enrollment in an accredited institution of higher education.
- B. Submit appropriate high school, undergraduate, or graduate transcripts.
- C. Three letter of recommendation (1. tribal representative; 2. Teacher, counselor, etc.: and 3. Community member).
- D. Educational and career commitment essay – 500 words or less.
- E. Evidence of scholastic and service awards, if available.
- F. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Evaluation of Applicant (Total points awarded = 100)

Review of applicant's grades, transcripts, and essay (70 points)

Documentation of any leadership positions held by applicants while in school and three letters of assessment that address the applicant's potential for success and leadership in his/her field. (30 points).

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Scholarship Application

PART I: GENERAL INFORMATION

Name		Social Security No.	
Date of Birth			
Address			
State of Residency			
Telephone			
Tribal Affiliation			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Law Enforcement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Environmental Sciences
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fisheries Biology	<input type="checkbox"/>	Forestry
<input type="checkbox"/>	Resource Recreation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wildlife Biology
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Please list field)		
Name and Address of Institution You Plan to Attend:			
Have you attached evidence that you have been accepted to the degree program by the college or university? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
If no, please explain:			
Classification of Upcoming Term:			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sophomore	<input type="checkbox"/>	Junior
<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	Senior
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (specify)		
Degree Sought:			
Expected Graduation Date (Month/Year)			