

# Teton High School

# Scholarship Bulletin

March 2021

## General rule of thumb for seniors searching for scholarships.....

Check the websites of the schools you are applying to, or call their financial aid office or admissions office, and inquire about scholarships they may have available for incoming freshman. Also, please note the majority of the scholarships in the Teton High School Scholarship Bulletin are outside scholarships, meaning you can use these scholarships at the school of your choice and are not college specific. It is not possible to list all scholarships offered by individual colleges and universities in the Scholarship Bulletin.

\*\*\* If you haven't completed your FAFSA, you need to get that done.

## Due in March

### Idaho Opportunity Scholarship

The demand for a well educated workforce was just one of the driving forces behind the creation of Governor C.L. "Butch" Otter's Opportunity Scholarship. To qualify for the scholarship, a student must meet *all* of the following criteria:

- Have an unweighted, cumulative GPA of 2.7 or above
- Be an Idaho resident
- Be a graduate from an Idaho high school or its equivalent (GED from Idaho)
- Complete the State Board of Education scholarship application by March 1
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid ([FAFSA](https://fafsa.gov)) prior to March 1
- Enroll as a full-time undergraduate student seeking their *first undergraduate degree* at Lewis-Clark State College, University of Idaho, Boise State University, Idaho State University, Brigham Young University-Idaho, Northwest Nazarene University, or College of Idaho, or enroll at least three-quarter time at College of Western Idaho, College of Southern Idaho, Eastern Idaho Technical College, or North Idaho College

Go to: <https://boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarship/opportunity.asp>

**Deadline: March 1, 2021**

### Alois and Marie Goldmann Memorial Scholarship

Created in 1997 by Mary and George Freund in honor of George's grandparents who perished at the Auschwitz concentration camp during the Holocaust. The purpose of this scholarship is to promote a greater understanding of the Holocaust among high school students in Idaho.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Be a student graduating from high school or home school within the state of Idaho.
- Plan to attend an institution of higher learning in Idaho during the 2021-2022 academic year.
- Must submit a completed "Student Application Form" AND write an original essay or research paper on one specific aspect of the Holocaust. Please do not write on the Holocaust in general.

Download an application here. [Goldmann Memorial Scholarship](#)

**Deadline: March 1, 2021**

### **Foundation for Rural Services (FRS)**

- Be a graduating high school senior.
- Be a United States citizen.
- Be sponsored by a current NTCA - The Rural Broadband Association member (Silver Star Communications)
- Be accepted by an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school.
- Have at least a C grade point average (GPA).
- Express an interest to return to a rural community following graduation.

To Apply go to: [www.frs.org](http://www.frs.org)

**Deadline: March 5, 2021**

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Here is a list of (7) scholarships that students in our county may qualify for. [Idaho Community Foundation Scholarships](#)

**Deadline: March 15, 2021**

### **Society of Automotive Engineers Scholarship**

Eight different scholarships with different requirements. Amount varies, but can be from \$1000 – full tuition (always check admission requirements at colleges/universities you are interested in). Applicants must intend to earn a degree in engineering or a related field (math, chemistry, physics, biology, technologies, computer science), and meet the minimum GPA and ACT/SAT requirements.

To apply go to: <https://www.sae.org/participate/scholarships/freshman/>

**Deadline: March 15, 2021**

### **Eastern Idaho State Fair 4-H/FFA Scholarship**

The Eastern Idaho State Fair, in partnership with Butler Amusements, Inc. offers annual scholarships to graduating seniors in FFA and 4-H programs.

Qualifications:

- Graduating from high school in 2021
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Participation in 2020 Fair as 4-H or FFA Member
- Attend school within 16 county fair district: Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Bonneville, Butte, Caribou, Clark, Custer, Franklin, Fremont, Jefferson, Lemhi, Madison, Oneida, Power, Teton

To apply go to: [www.funatthefair.com](http://www.funatthefair.com)

**Deadline: March 18, 2021**

### **Fall River Rural Electric 2021 Scholarship**

Ten scholarships are available to Teton High School seniors whose parents are members of the Cooperative, and who attend a high school within the Cooperative's service territory.

- Scholarships start at \$600 and applications are due in March of each year for the school semester beginning the following fall. Scholarship is renewable for 4 years, for a total of \$2400.
- Scholarships are available for high school seniors planning to attend college, and to those already enrolled in higher education.

To apply go to <http://www.fallriverelectric.com/scholarships/> or pick up an application from the foyer

**Deadline: March 26, 2021**

### **Westmark 2021 Scholarship Program**

Westmark will award fifteen \$1000 scholarships in 2021. The scholarships will be awarded by established regions and are available only to members of Westmark who have a minimum of \$25 in their Westmark account.

Applicants must:

- Be a 2021 high school graduate
- 3.5 GPA
- Attend a state accredited or licensed post-secondary school
- Use the scholarship funds in the summer or fall of 2021
- Use the attached 2021 Westmark Scholarship Application Form

To apply go to: [www.westmark.org/scholarship-application.shtml](http://www.westmark.org/scholarship-application.shtml) or see your counselor for an application:

**Deadline: March 26, 2021**

### **McGregor Standing Tall for American Agriculture**

The McGregor Company scholarship program is designed to provide graduating high school students with a chance to pursue their ag-related educational goals as they begin college. Scholarships will be in amounts of up to \$1000 per student.

- you must be a graduating high school senior in 2021 (public, private, or home-school)
- planning to enroll at a college, university, or technical school within the United States as a full-time student
- reside within a reasonable distance of the customers we serve from McGregor branches in Washington, Idaho, and Oregon
- will be declaring a major or enrolling in a program that is an agriculture-related field of study

To apply go to: [mcgregor.com/home/resources/scholarships/](http://mcgregor.com/home/resources/scholarships/)

**Deadline: March 26, 2021**

### **Valley Wide Coop Scholarship**

Valley Wide Cooperative is pleased to announce the 15th annual presentation of eleven, \$2,000 scholarships to High School students who are family members of a member of the Coop and will graduate in the spring of 2021. We feel an obligation not only to promote the advancement of education but to add to the benefits of being a member of Valley Wide Cooperative and direct those benefits to the children of our members.

- Any accredited school or area of study will be considered.
- Must be a high school senior graduating in the spring of 2021
- Parents or Grandparents must be Members of Valley Wide Cooperative.

To apply go to: [www.valleywidecoop.com/Giving-Back/Scholarships](http://www.valleywidecoop.com/Giving-Back/Scholarships)

**Deadline: March 31, 2021**

### **Silver Star Communications Scholarship**

Any graduating senior within Silver Star's service territory is eligible to apply. Awards are based on demonstrated need, scholastic achievement and extracurricular activities. You may email your application to [nastle@silverstar.net](mailto:nastle@silverstar.net) or drop them off with your counselor or Mrs. Hansen.

To apply go to: [www.silverstar.com/scholarships](http://www.silverstar.com/scholarships) or pick up an application from the foyer.

**Deadline: March 31, 2021**

## Due in April

### **Hispanic Business Association Richard G. Cortez Scholarship**

The Hispanic Business Association (HBA) is a non-profit organization dedicated to the improvement of educational opportunities for Hispanic students. This scholarship is open to residents of Idaho and Eastern Oregon only. Award recipients are selected based on: academic performance based on the most recent (1st semester of 2021) official transcript; essay; extracurricular activities/work experience, which reflect leadership, initiative, motivation, etc. and recommendations from teachers, business contacts, clergy, etc.

To apply go to: <http://hbaidaho.org/ScholarshipInformation.php>

**Deadline: April 1, 2021**

### **The Teton Board of Realtors Scholarship**

**\$2,500**

The Teton Board of Realtors is very pleased to offer two \$2,500 scholarships to two graduating seniors at Teton High School. This scholarship will be awarded to the student selected by the Teton Board of Realtors Scholarship committee based on completed application as well as a brief interview conducted at your high school by two representatives. You should also plan to be a full-time student at a college or trade school in order to qualify for the scholarship. There are several other requirements to fulfill in order to be a candidate for the scholarship, and they are as follows:

To apply: Complete the application (you can obtain the application outside both counselors' doors) and include your transcripts.

- Send your completed application, postmarked by April 16, 2021 to:  
Teton Valley Realty C/O Mandy Rockefeller PO Box 604 Driggs, ID 83422

Go to <http://www.mandyrockefeller.com/tbor-scholarship/> and use the password **TBOR2021**, to download an application.

**Deadline: April 16, 2021**

### **Student View Scholarship**

Thirteen scholarships offered to seniors from around the country totaling \$11,000.

Complete a 15-20 minute application survey about colleges in our area.

To apply go to: [www.student-view.com](http://www.student-view.com)

**Deadline: April 22, 2021**

### **Michael B Whitfield Scholarship**

It is awarded one-time, in the amount of \$1,000.

- Candidates for this scholarship must show an intention to pursue a major course of study in college (or vocational school) in the environmental sciences, biology, ecology, environmental planning or policy, agriculture, or a related field.
- The application is for graduating seniors.
- The awarded scholarship must be used for undergraduate education. The award will be paid directly to the recipient's school of choice.

To apply: Pick up an application in the foyer, or download from this link [Application](#)

**Deadline: April 26, 2021**

### **TZU CHI USA SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

#### **US \$1,000 NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

Tzu Chi Scholars is a scholarship program funded by Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation USA to recognize and provide financial assistance to outstanding college-bound high school graduates. Tzu Chi Scholars are selected on the basis of their financial need, academic achievement, and community involvement. Each Scholar will receive an award of US\$1,000. A small number of Scholars may be further recognized for a four-year total scholarship award of up to US\$4,000 if certain eligibility requirements and criteria are met.

To apply, you must

- Be an U.S. high school graduating senior or equivalent (Foreign students on student visa not included)
- Demonstrate financial need for college tuition
- Have a minimum 3.0 GPA
- Will enroll in an accredited U.S. college full-time for the academic year 2021-2022

To apply go to: [www.tzuchi.us/scholarships/](http://www.tzuchi.us/scholarships/)

**Deadline: April 30, 2021**

**Due in May**

### **PGA Rocky Mountain Section Scholarship**

This Scholarship Program is an academic scholarship awarded based on academic achievement, community and extracurricular activity, financial need, leadership and involvement and contribution to the game of golf. The amount and number of scholarships awarded is based on money received through donations. It is anticipated that it will not be less than \$1000.

- Applications will be ranked based on the following criteria: Cumulative Grade Point Average, ACT/SAT scores, high school extracurricular activities, leadership activities, financial need, and involvement and contribution to the game of golf.
- Applicants must be a senior, have a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA and plan to attend a college or university as a full-time student.
- Applicants must be a resident within the geographical territory of the Rocky Mountain Section PGA.

To apply go to: [www.rockymountainpga.com/scholarships/](http://www.rockymountainpga.com/scholarships/)

**Deadline: May 31, 2021**

**Due in June or later**

### **The Titan Web Agency Bi-Annual Scholarship Program \$500**

At Titan Web Agency, we believe it's our responsibility to give back to the community and help those looking to build a business and are in financial need. We're specifically looking to help students who come with a desire to own their own business, and with a financial need.

Requirements:

- Must be attending a two year community college or a four year accredited university
- Must be a U.S. resident
- Minorities are encouraged to apply

To apply, please submit an essay (1000 word minimum) detailing why you want to be an entrepreneur, as well as a creative photo that you feel represents you best.

For instructions and more information go to: [titanwebagency.com/scholarship/](http://titanwebagency.com/scholarship/)

**Deadline: June 1, 2021**

### **Abbott & Fenner Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarship...Students are required to write an essay. Describe your educational career **and** life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.

To apply go to: <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>

**Deadline: June 12, 2021**

### **BigSun Scholarship**

The Big Sun Organization is proud to be able to continue to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. We are offering an annual scholarship of \$500.00 to a deserving student. All student athletes are eligible for this award, regardless of which sport they are participating in. Successful applicant will be a high school senior or be attending a post secondary institute and currently involved in some sport at that institution or in the community.

To apply go to: [www.bigsunathletics.com](http://www.bigsunathletics.com)

**Deadline: June 19, 2021**

### **Elk Mountain Tents Outdoor Enthusiast Scholarship**

We are looking to help out a stellar individual with an appreciation for the great outdoors. This scholarship will award a one time \$500 scholarship to one applicant. Applicants must be registered for a college, university, or technical school for the Fall term immediately following being awarded the scholarship. Applicants must be a minimum of 16 years of age, have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, and share a love for the great outdoors! Applications will be judged and weighted as follows: Response to the question about the outdoors (5 points), financial need (3 points), and GPA (2 points). Idaho applicants will receive a 1 point bonus to encourage more local participation. It is recommended that applicants write their responses on a separate Word document and then copy-paste them into the entry fields.

Go to: [www.elkmountaintents.com/scholarship](http://www.elkmountaintents.com/scholarship)

**Deadline: June 30, 2021**

### **Hathaway Scholarship**

The Hathaway Scholarship is available to all students living in Alta, Wyoming who are interested in attending a Wyoming College. If you live in Alta, Wyoming and are interested in learning how to qualify for the Hathaway Scholarship, please see your counselor for more information.

**Deadline: Date of beginning college in the fall of 2021**

### **The Alert Scholarship \$500**

You can help others become more alert by speaking out against the dangers of drug and alcohol abuse. Alert invites high school seniors to write a 650-800 word essay about a personal encounter you or someone you know has had with drug and/or alcohol abuse and what you learned from the experience. Qualified applicants must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher, have plans to attend college after graduation, and reside in one of 11 qualifying states (Idaho is one of them!). Check out their website for details that should be included in your essay and how to submit your materials.

For info and application visit: [www.alertmagazine.org/scholarship.php](http://www.alertmagazine.org/scholarship.php)

**Deadline: Ongoing**

## Idaho Websites for Scholarships

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**Idaho State Board of Education Scholarships** offers online applications as well as links to other Idaho scholarships through specific Idaho colleges and universities.

Go to: [http://www.boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarship/scholarship\\_jump.asp](http://www.boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarship/scholarship_jump.asp)

**Next Steps Idaho Scholarship List** Go to: <https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/scholarship-listing?&page=1>

## Other Reputable Scholarship Search Websites

[www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search](http://www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search)

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

[www.scholarships.com](http://www.scholarships.com)

<https://www.petersons.com>

[www.cappex.com](http://www.cappex.com)

<https://www.unigo.com/scholarships>

[www.highfivescholarships.com](http://www.highfivescholarships.com)

## FAFSA

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (known as the FAFSA) is a form that can be prepared annually by current and prospective college students in the United States to determine their eligibility for student financial aid (including the Pell Grant, Federal student loans and Federal Work-Study).

The U.S. Department of Education began accepting applications on October 1.

You first create your FSA ID for you and a parent. To create your FSA ID go to: <https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm>

The FAFSA can be filed after October 1, 2020 by going to [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) (You will be using your 2019 income tax information filed in 2020, for both you and your parents)

## Other Useful Information

### Next Steps Idaho/ State Board of Education

Your student's path to graduation and beyond can be overwhelming for you, too. Next Steps Idaho offers information and resources that are meant to serve students and families as they plan, prepare and prioritize the most important steps toward life after high school.

Go to: <https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/>

### Scholarships Available for Undocumented Students

This scholarship website keeps an ongoing list of scholarships available for undocumented students. The due dates vary with each scholarship listed. Go to this website often to check on new scholarships being added. Scroll down till you find the list of scholarships.

Go to: <https://mydocumentedlife.org/2016/09/12/scholarships-open-to-undocumented-students/>

**Deadlines: Vary**