# **Teton High School**

# Scholarship Bulletin

# March 2025

# 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 freshmen. 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.

# **Due in March**

## **Idaho Farm Bureau Scholarship**

This scholarship is available to members of Idaho Farm Bureau. If your parents have an insurance policy through Idaho Farm Bureau, then you qualify. You can hand the applications to me by March 3rd, or drop them off at the Driggs Office.

To apply go to: www.idahofb.org/programs/scholarship-program

Deadline: March 5, 2025

#### Microsoft Disability Scholarship

Eight (8) \$20,000 scholarships distributed over 4 years (\$5,000 per year, renewable). Awards are renewable for up to three years or until a bachelor's degree is earned, whichever occurs first, on the basis of satisfactory academic performance maintaining a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, full-time or half-time enrollment, and continued enrollment in the eligible major.

- Be a current high school senior living with a disability as defined by WHO, including visual, hearing, mobility, cognitive, and/or speech disabilities or other disability
- Plan to enroll in an undergraduate program at an accredited 2 or 4-year University/College or Vocational/Technical School, in the United States, in the fall of the upcoming academic year.
- Pursue a degree in the following eligible majors: engineering, computer science, computer information systems, law, business, or a related field (e.g. paralegal, pre-law, finance, business administration, or marketing).
- Demonstrate a passion for technology.
- Demonstrate leadership at school and/or in the community.
- Have a high school cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 grading scale or equivalent.
- Require financial assistance to attend college.
- Enrollment status must be full-time or half-time.

To apply go to: www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/microsoftdisabilityscholarship

Deadline: March 13, 2025

#### Idaho Career Technical Education Foundation, Inc.

Three Idaho CTE Scholarships each have a deadline of March 14th.

# • Tools for the Trade Student Scholarship

The Tools of the Trade \$1,000 scholarship was established to provide funding for Idaho students pursing certificates or degrees in career and technical education programs at Idaho technical colleges. The intent of this scholarship is to offset the costs of purchasing required equipment/tools/software as determined by the specific program selected by the student. Any student who plans to enroll in an approved career and technical education program at the postsecondary level that requires occupational tools/equipment/software is eligible for this scholarship.

## Neptune Lynch IX First-Year Postsecondary Scholarship

The \$2,500 Neptune Lynch IX First Year Postsecondary Scholarship was established to encourage Idaho students pursing their first-year towards a certificate or degree in career technical education at one of Idaho's technical colleges. This competitive scholarship is available to students who plan to enroll in an approved Idaho Career Technical Education program at the postsecondary level.

To apply go to: www.idctef.org/scholarships or click on the link for each scholarship

Deadline: March 14, 2025

**Idaho Community Foundation** offers over 60 scholarship opportunities. Go to <u>idcomfdn.org/scholarships</u> for information on how to apply for each of their scholarships, including contact information, application and eligibility requirements. Here are the scholarships that Teton High School Students may apply for. <u>Idaho Community Foundation</u>, These are great scholarships to apply to.

Deadline: March 15, 2025

#### Horatio Alger Association Scholarship Programs Targeted Scholarships

The following criteria applies to all programs below:

- High school senior
- Critical financial need (\$55,000 or less adjusted gross income per family is required)
- Integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity
- United States citizenship

For more specific eligibility criteria please refer to the program listings here:

https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/targeted-scholarships/

Deadline: March 15, 2025

#### **PNACAC Student Scholarship**

The Pacific Northwest Association for College Admission Counseling (PNACAC) annually awards one-time scholarships to students planning to attend a regionally accredited college or university. For 2025, ten \$1000 scholarships will be awarded.

- Currently enrolled student who is in their senior year of high school in the states of Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon or Washington and plans to attend a regionally accredited college or university in the coming Fall.
- Currently have a 3.00 cumulative, unweighted GPA or higher.
- Submit a video essay answering the given prompt.

To apply go to: www.pnacac.org/student-scholarships

Deadline: March 15, 2025

# 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 2025 (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: <a href="mailto:mcgregor.com/home/resources/scholarships/">mcgregor.com/home/resources/scholarships/</a>

Deadline: March 17, 2025

#### **Frontier Credit Union**

Every year the Frontier Foundation gives out scholarships to hard working students in our communities. The purpose of the Frontier Foundation Scholarship Program is to provide one \$2,000 Grand Prize Scholarship, nine \$1,000 Scholarships and one \$1,000 Arlene Walker Scholarship to Frontier Credit Union members to aid them in their pursuit of higher education.

- Must be a member of Frontier Credit Union with an account in your name (may become a member after awarded)
- Must provide verification of acceptance to school before scholarship funds are disbursed
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or greater
- Must be a graduating high school senior and plan to attend an accredited college, university or technical school in the United States as a full-time student (Funds can be held if student is planning a gap year or service opportunity before enrolling in college)

To apply go to: https://foundation.frontiercreditunion.com/programs/scholarships/

Deadline: March 17, 2025

#### D.L. Evans Bank Scholarship

The D.L. Evans Bank Scholarship awards a total of \$32,000 to high school seniors in our service areas each year. Sixteen \$2,000 scholarships are awarded and students are able to use the funds at any accredited college, university, or trade school located in the United States. D.L. Evans Bank believes in supporting our innovators, leaders, and dedicated workforces of tomorrow, recognizing that students working towards a goal need support.

- 2024 graduating high school seniors from Idaho or Northern Utah planning to attend a college, university, or trade school full-time in the fall of 2025.
- Student with an unweighted cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above.
- Preference will be given to students majoring in finance, business, or economics; however, all other majors will be considered.

To apply go to: <a href="https://www.dlevans.com/students.html">https://www.dlevans.com/students.html</a>

Deadline: March 20, 2025

# **Westmark Scholarship Program**

Westmark will award fifteen \$2500 scholarships in 2024. 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 2025 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 2024

To apply go to: www.westmark.org

Deadline: March 21, 2025

# Valley Wide Coop - Eric Beck Memorial Scholarship

Fifteen, \$2,000 scholarships to high school students whose parents or grandparents are a member of the Coop and will graduate in the spring of 2025. 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 2025
- Parents or Grandparents must be Members of Valley Wide Cooperative.

To apply go to: www.valleywidecoop.com/Giving-Back/Scholarships

Deadline: March 21, 2025

# Fall River Rural Electric Scholarship

Ten scholarships are available to Teton High School seniors whose parents are members of the Cooperative.

- 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.
- Must have a 2.0 GPA
- Each applicant is required to write <u>two essays</u>.
- Each applicant may be interviewed by the selection committee.

To apply go to <a href="https://www.fallriverelectric.com/scholarships">https://www.fallriverelectric.com/scholarships</a> or download the application here: <a href="https://www.fallriverelectric.com/scholarships">Application</a>

Deadline: March 22, 2024

## War Bonnet Round-up Scholarship

The War Bonnet Round Up is proud to award five local students \$1500- \$1500. Must have applied to a college, submit two letters of recommendations, ACT or SAT scores, HS transcripts, and write an essay on: "Agricultural literacy is one of the biggest issues facing the industry today. What is currently being done and what are you doing to influence the people around you about the importance of agriculture in Idaho and the US?"

To apply: Access application at this link. War Bonnet Round-up Application

Deadline: March 22, 2025 (postmarked)

# Teton Regional Land Trust - Michael B Whitfield Scholarship

It is awarded one-time, in the amount of \$2,000.

- Students must live in the Teton Regional Land Trust service area. (which you all do)
- 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: download application from this link **Application** 

Deadline: March 28, 2025

#### TZU CHI USA SCHOLARS PROGRAM

US \$1,500 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 \$1,500. To apply, you must

- Be a U.S. high school graduating senior or equivalent
- 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 2025-2026

To apply go to: <a href="https://www.tzuchi.us/scholarships/">www.tzuchi.us/scholarships/</a>

Deadline: March 31, 2025

# **Idaho Latino Scholarship Foundation Scholarship**

The Idaho Latino Scholarship Foundation (ILSF) seeks to promote the success of Idaho Latino families by providing scholarships for students to attend college. We seek to create partnerships and build programs that support and grow the number Latino students earning college degrees.

To apply for the ILSF Scholarship, applicants must:

- Be an Idaho resident and of Latino/Hispanic descent. (DACA Students are eligible to apply)
- Be admitted to or currently enrolled at an Idaho college, university or vocation program.
- Be in good standing and making satisfactory progress (as defined by the student's school) toward an academic degree, diploma, or certificate.
- Have demonstrated leadership in school, community and/or other service organizations that promote, enhance or strengthen diversity
- Have a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or above.

To apply go to: <a href="https://www.idaholsf.org">www.idaholsf.org</a>
Deadline: March 31, 2025

## **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 <a href="mailto:nastle@silverstar.net">nastle@silverstar.net</a>

To apply go to: www.silverstar.com/scholarships

Deadline: March 31, 2025

# **Due in April**

# 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. The scholarship funds will be awarded directly to the college or trade school of the applicant's choosing 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 and include your transcripts.

Send your completed application, postmarked by April 10, 2025 to:

Teton Valley Realty C/O Mandy Rockefeller PO Box 82 Driggs, ID 83422

To apply go to: <a href="http://www.mandyrockefeller.com/tbor-scholarship/">http://www.mandyrockefeller.com/tbor-scholarship/</a> and use the password TBOR2025 , to download

an application

Deadline: April 10, 2025

# **Women in STEM**

The BHW Group is excited to announce this \$3000 scholarship for women who are pursuing an undergraduate or master's degree and are majoring in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics during the 2025 school year.

To apply go to: www.thebhwgroup.com/scholarship

Deadline: April 15, 2025

# rootEd Undergraduate Scholarship

The rootEd Undergraduate Scholarship is a renewable scholarship awarded to graduates of eligible high schools in Missouri and Idaho. It is a need-based award of up to \$12,000 per academic year and is renewable through graduation or a maximum of 10 semesters, provided the student continues to meet eligibility and selection criteria. All fields of study, except the ministry and divinity degrees, are eligible for funding.

To be eligible to be considered for this scholarship you must:

- Be a graduating high school senior, from an eligible high school, planning to enter college as an incoming freshman in the 2025-2026 academic year.
- Plan to enroll in a bachelor's degree-granting program at an accredited, nonprofit college or university
- Have earned a minimum 2.0 cumulative grade point average while in high school
- Demonstrate financial need, as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or similar need calculations. Students with a Student Aid Index (SAI) over \$15,000 must have significant and extenuating circumstances to be considered.
- All fields of study, except the ministry and divinity degrees, are eligible for funding.

It is the applicant's responsibility to make sure that ALL required documents have been submitted by the deadline. The Scholarship Foundation may not be able to notify the applicant of missing documents prior to the deadline.

To apply go to: <a href="https://myscholarshipcentral.org/apply/">https://myscholarshipcentral.org/apply/</a> (follow directions for creating an account and finding the rootEd Undergraduate Scholarship)

Deadline: April 15, 2025

# **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

Deadline: April 23, 2025

#### The Jovan Scholarship

Two, \$5000 scholarship awarded to a Teton Valley graduating Latina.

# **Eligibility:**

- Must be a Latina graduating senior.
- Must have at least a 3.0 GPA.
- Must plan to attend college or trade school the 2025-26 academic school year.

To apply: Access application at this link. Jovan Scholarship

Return completed application to Mrs. Linda Hansen

Deadline: April 28, 2025

## Sara Scholarship

A minimum of twelve (12) \$2000 scholarships will be awarded in 2025.

The objective of the Sara Scholarship is to grant need-based academic scholarships to female high school seniors who have demonstrated excellence of character and are involved with the sport of golf.

- Applicants must be female.
- Applicants must be high school seniors with the intention to graduate at the end of the school year.
- Applicants must meet entrance requirements and plan to enroll at an accredited college or university in the United States.
- Applicants must have a cumulative minimum unweighted GPA of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must demonstrate financial need.
- Applicants must demonstrate excellent character and involvement with the sport of golf. Skill in playing golf is not a criterion.

To apply: Go to: <a href="https://www.sarascholarship.org/how-to-apply">www.sarascholarship.org/how-to-apply</a>

Deadline: April 30, 2025

## **Rotary Scholarships**

Rotary of Teton Valley is offering three different scholarships. The scholarships are merit and need based. We award scholarships based on application, essay, and interview. We are looking for students who are strong leaders who are service minded.

- Rotary Encouragement Scholarship \$2000 four available Open to all students.
- Phyllis Morey Memorial Scholarship \$3,000 one available renewable for four years for a total of \$12,000. Open to students with at least 50% Hispanic heritage.
- Rotary Student of the Month \$5,000 one available Open to students who have been Students of the month during this school year.

To apply: Go to: www.tetonvalleyrotary.org/apply-for-schlorships

Deadline: April 30, 2025

# Due in May or later

## **Wyoming Hathaway Scholarship**

The Hathaway Scholarship is available to all students living in Alta, Wyoming who are interested in attending a Wyoming College. Go to <a href="https://hathawayscholarship.org">https://hathawayscholarship.org</a> for information.

Deadline: Date of beginning college in the fall of 2025

## Fall River Electric - Energy Partner Scholarship Raffle

The funds for this scholarship were donated personally by CEO/GM Bryan Case. This scholarship gives an additional opportunity to students who applied, but were not successful in being awarded one of the other Fall River scholarships. The raffle will be held at the Annual Membership Meeting in June. Students may enter their ticket for a chance to win the scholarship. You must be present to win. The value of the scholarship is currently \$1,000.

Deadline: June 2024

#### **US Bank Scholarship**

Do these activities for a chance to win scholarship money, up to \$20,000.

https://www.usbank.com/about-us-bank/community/student-scholarship.html?icid=OTHI 76493

Deadline: June 30, 2025

#### **Michael Moody Fitness Scholarship**

A \$1,500 scholarship awarded to a high school senior, undergraduate, or graduate student who has demonstrated outstanding achievement, participation and leadership in school activities and work experience, and interest in pursuing a career in the health and fitness related fields. The student may apply and use the money for education-related expenses, including tuition, fees, books, supplies, room, and board.

- Be United States citizens or legal residents living or claiming residency in one of the 50 United States, Washington D.C., or Puerto Rico.
- Be current high school senior, undergraduate, or graduate students who plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States for the entire 2023-2024 academic year.
- Demonstrate ambition and self-drive as evidenced by outstanding achievement in school, and participation and leadership in school activities and work experience.
- Demonstrate interest in pursuing a career and enrolled in the following majors: Athletic Training, Psychology, Biology, Kinesiology, Nursing, General Medicine, Dentistry, Behavioral Sciences, Personal Training, Physical Education Teaching and Coaching, Health and Physical Fitness, Exercise Science, Sports and Recreation Management, Health Sciences, Physical Therapist, or another health-related major.

To apply go to: www.michaelmoodyfitness.com/student-scholarship-chicago/

Deadline: August 1, 2025 or first 1000 applications

# **The Actuarial Foundation**

A multitude of scholarships available for students interested in going into the field as an actuary. Check out their website for a list of scholarships you may be interested in, and for their due dates.

For info and applications: wwwtheactuarialfoundation.submittable.com/submit

**Deadline: Varies** 

### **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: <a href="http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm">http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm</a>

Deadline: June 7, 2025

# **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

Deadline: June 19, 2025

# **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

Deadline: June 30, 2025

#### 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: <a href="https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/">https://thealertmagazine.com/scholarship/</a>

Deadline: Ongoing

# **Idaho Websites for Scholarships**

**Idaho Community Foundation** offers over 60 scholarship opportunities. Go to <u>idcomfdn.org/scholarships</u> for information on how to apply for each of their scholarships, including contact information, application and eligibility requirements. Here are the scholarships that Teton High School Students may apply for. <u>Idaho Community Foundation</u>, These are great scholarships to apply to.

**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: <a href="https://boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarships/">https://boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarships/</a>

# **Other Reputable Scholarship Search Websites**

www.bold.org/applicants/
www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search
www.fastweb.com
www.scholarships.com
www.appily.com/
www.unigo.com/scholarships
www.goingmerry.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 will begin accepting applications in December.

You first create your FSA ID for you and a parent. To create your FSA ID go to:

https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch

The FAFSA can be filed after December 1, 2024 by going to <a href="https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa">https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa</a> (You will be using your 2023 income tax information filed in 2024, 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: <a href="https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/">https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/</a>