

Workshop for Students Applying for Elks Scholarships & Grants

Date: Tuesday - September 30, 2008 Time:
7:30 P.M. Place: Malone Elks Lodge # 1
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**Open to the public, especially Juniors,
Seniors and Parents throughout the area.
The workshop will also be beneficial for
applying for other scholarships.**

Presenter:

Dick Vanyo - Elks North Central District
Scholarship Program

Purpose:

1. To show students how to complete the forms for all of the Elks Scholarship Programs.
2. To explain what goes into the judging process.

SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Elks National Foundation Leadership Scholarships-students DO NOT need to be the child of a member of the Elks. Applications are for only high school seniors.

2. New York State Elks Association Scholarships - applications are available only for children or step-children of living or deceased Elks who are presently (or at the time of death), members in good standing in an Elks Lodge in the State of New York.

These Scholarships are for high school seniors and college students through their senior college year.

3. The Elks Legacy Awards. Applicant must be a son or daughter (step-son or step-daughter) or grandson or granddaughter of an Elk who has been a member in good standing since April 2006. The Elks National Foundation is offering \$1,000 scholarships. High School seniors are eligible. Applicant must have taken the SAT or

ACT by December of senior year. It is also strongly suggested that the applicant be a member in good standing of the senior class with a strong grade point average, good standardized test scores and strong participation in extra curricular activities. THIS SCHOLARSHIP IS NOT BASED ON FINANCIAL NEED.

4. Elks Emergency Grants . This grant is for any student who will be attending or is now attending college and who has a parent who is an Elk and has a disability and can not work. This grant is also available for a student whose parent was an Elk at the time of death. This grant is for up to \$4,000 a year depending on need and can be renewed each year of college attendance. THIS GRANT IS NOT AN ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP. Please contact Jennifer Bell, Scholarship Chair, 322 Caroline St, Ogdensburg, NY 13669. Telephone: 315-393-5430 or e-mail: jennbell@twcny.rr.com

Applications

Scholarship applications will be available early November from the student's Guidance Counselor or anytime by using the internet. ENF applications can be down loaded by going to **www.elks.org/enf/scholars**.

State Association scholarships by **www.nyseelks.org/nysea/scholarships**. All completed Elks applications must be returned to the Guidance Office . Check with guidance office for their deadline date which will be either late December or early January.

***it is recommended that if a student has a parent who is an Elk that he or she apply for each scholarship in the Elks Programs to increase the opportunity to be awarded a scholarship. ***