

APRIL SCHOLARSHIP NEWS



Prescott High School

2023-2024

*The PHS Class of 2023 was awarded **7 million** dollars in scholarships!*

What should I be doing this month for scholarships?

- Apply for scholarships in the April Newsletter that you qualify for
- Complete the Arizona Community Foundation Scholarship application
- Write essays for the Arizona Community Foundation Scholarship application
- Gather letters of recommendations to use for scholarship applications
- Complete your FAFSA
- Investigate and apply for scholarships through the college/university you are planning to attend

Have you applied to the Arizona Community Foundation?

The Arizona Community Foundation allows high school seniors throughout Arizona to apply for more than 100 scholarship awards online with one general application.

Don't delay, apply today (many deadlines are April 1st)!

<https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/>

Abia Judd/Miller Valley Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors who attended Abia Judd Elementary or Miller Valley Elementary

Amount: \$500

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: March 29th - Turn into PHS Advisement Office

The Prescott Palette Scholarship

- Eligibility:** Seniors pursuing Culinary, Visual & Performing Arts, as well as Hospitality and Education. *** All applications will be considered regardless of their area of study if they show a commitment to community and working for positive change.
- Amount:** Multiple scholarships (last year 3 \$1,750 scholarships were awarded)
- Application:** See attached application
- Deadline:** *Deadline extended* March 29th (Must be mailed, not emailed)

Credit Union West Scholarship

- Eligibility:** Senior in Maricopa or Yavapai County with a 2.5 GPA or higher and is a primary member of Credit Union West
- Amount:** \$1,000
- Application:** <https://www.cuwest.org/scholarship-application>
- Deadline:** March 31st

Bill Fain Memorial Scholarship

- Eligibility:** A Yavapai County Senior who has been accepted and will be attending the University of Arizona, majoring in agriculture or business
- Amount:** \$1,000
- Application:** <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>
- Deadline:** *Deadline extended* April 1st

C. Derk Janssen Memorial Scholarship

- Eligibility:** A PHS senior majoring in English, Creative Writing, Environmental Policy or Public Relations
- Amount:** \$2,000
- Application:** <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>
- Deadline:** *Deadline extended* April 1st

Dr. Wayne Beck Memorial Scholarship

Eligibility: A PHS senior who has been accepted to the University of Arizona and has a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above

Amount: \$2,000

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: ***Deadline extended*** April 1st

Findlay Auto Group Educational Endowment Scholarship

Eligibility: A Yavapai County senior planning to attend Yavapai College to study business or automotive

Amount: \$1,000

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: ***Deadline extended*** April 1st

Gheral Brownlow Memorial Track Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior planning to attend a university, community college, or trade school who demonstrates community service and participates in Track and/or Cross Country activities

Amount: \$1,000

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: ***Deadline extended*** April 1st

Half Century Alumni Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior who is outstanding in academics and community service with a need for financial assistance to attend college

Amount: varies

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: ***Deadline extended*** April 1st

Mingus Mountain Law Group Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior planning to study law

Amount: \$1,750

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: *Deadline extended* April 1st

The Beauty + Wellness Scholarship for Women

Eligibility: A female senior graduating in the U.S. who is striving to maintain their health and wellness as they pursue their higher education goals

Amount: \$500 + a care package filled with healthy organic goodies (2 winners each quarter)

Application: www.skincareox.com/scholarship/

Deadline: Quarterly deadlines: January 1st, March 31st, June 30th, and September 30th every Year

Carl's Jr. Scholarship - Carl N. & Margaret Karcher Founders' Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors who excel academically, demonstrate leadership in their extracurricular activities and community and need financial assistance to pursue college

Amount: \$10,000 in scholarships are awarded to high school seniors each year

Application:
<https://apply.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarships/2024CarlNMargaretKarcherFoundersScholarship>

Deadline: April 4th (closes at 3pm PT)

Yavapai County Mounted Sheriff's Posse

Eligibility: Seniors planning to attend a university, community college or trade school

Amount: \$1,000

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: Postmarked by April 8th

Yavapai County Mounted Sheriff's Posse ("Ralph Hooker Scholarship")

Eligibility: Seniors planning to attend Yavapai College

Amount: \$500

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: Postmarked by April 8th

Logan Kay Morrill Memorial Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors planning to attend ASU Walter Cronkite School of Journalism with a 3.6 GPA

Amount: Tuition & fees

Application: <https://scholarships.asu.edu/scholarship/Morrill>

Deadline: April 8th

Elisabeth Ruffner Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior with 2.5 GPA who is continuing their education after high school and is a US citizen

Amount: \$1,000

Application: 300-550 word essay on the following topic: How to engage young people when they become eligible to vote, to register to vote and participate in the democratic process. See attached for scholarship details. Use of ChatGPT or other AI programs to write the essay will disqualify applicants.

Deadline: April 12th - Email essay in PDF format to lwvcyc@gmail.com

My Kids' Dentist Scholarship

Eligibility: Graduating senior in the tri-cities area

Amount: \$1,000 (plus an additional \$250 donated to the school/program of the recipient's choice!)

Application: <https://mykidsdentist.biz/scholarship/>

Deadline: April 14th

Mattie Cowan Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior who plans to pursue agricultural degrees

Amount: \$1,500

Application: <https://www.arizonacowbelles.org/scholarships/mattie-cowan-scholarship>

Deadline: April 15th

Kiwanis Club Community Service Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors who have participated in community service

Amount: \$1,000

Application: www.prescottkiwanis.com

Deadline: April 18th

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Eligibility: Member of Sacred Heart Parish; seniors planning to pursue higher education at a college or vocational school

Amount: \$2,000 (3 scholarships will be awarded)

Application: Application attached to this email

Deadline: Turned into the Sacred Heart Parish Office no later than 4pm on April 19th

Prescott Valley Chamber Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior who lives in Prescott Valley

Amount: \$1,000

Application: <https://www.pvchamber.org/2024-scholarship-application>

Deadline: 4pm on April 19th

Prescott Valley Early Bird Lions - Frank Oxborrow Memorial Youth Community Service Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors who live in Prescott Valley

Amount: \$1,000 (2 scholarships will be awarded)

Application: See attached application

Deadline: April 19th

KamnAnjali GS Giare Foundation Scholarship

Eligibility: Female, age 18 or younger, and facing one of the following: loss of a parent (death, abandonment or divorce), Chronic medical condition of self or family member, or low family income

Amount: 3 recipients will be selected for a \$1,000 award each, 6 sessions of mentoring in group setting and 2 individual sessions with a mentor based on individual's career selection

Application: Application attached to this email

Deadline: April 21st

2024 Student-View Scholarship

Eligibility: Senior

Amount: \$500-\$5,000

Application: <https://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html>

Deadline: April 23rd

Lt. Colonel Lynne Holliday / Captain James McInerny Scholarship given by the Lonesome Valley Company of the Arizona Rangers

Eligibility: PHS or BMHS Senior

Amount: \$1,000

Application:

Cover sheet with essay. Cover sheet to include contact information, high school graduating from, intended major, and if related to First Responder (i.e. Paramedics, EMT's, Police, Fire Fighters, etc.) and how so. Scholarship gives consideration to, but is not solely limited to, relatives of First Responders. Significant consideration will be taken to those students who are involved in community service and extracurricular activities.

· Essay question to be 500 words on: "What is your ultimate ambition in life and how are you preparing for this?"

Deadline: Email: tking@azrangers.us OR
Postmarked by April 26th - **Deadline extended**
Lonesome Valley Company, Arizona Rangers
P.O. Box 2541
Prescott, AZ 86302

Prescott High School PTSA Scholarship *awarded by the Stout Family Scholarship Foundation*

Eligibility: PHS Seniors

Amount: \$500 (2 scholarships will be awarded)

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: April 26th - turn into Mrs. Anderson in the Advisement Office

The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 6

Eligibility: Seniors who are sons, grandsons, daughters or granddaughters of honorably discharged or actively serving members of any of the Armed Forces of the United States

Amount: \$1,000

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: Postmarked by April 30th

Dr. Kenneth and Iris Walker Scholarship

Eligibility: Exclusively for PHS Seniors interested in pursuing a career in teaching; financial need given strong consideration

Amount: \$1,000

Application: www.PUSDEducationFoundation.com/scholarships

Deadline: April 30th

Denise Bussart-Walker Scholarship

Eligibility: Exclusively for PHS Seniors; open to any field of study at a college or technical education institute; financial need given strong consideration

Amount: \$1,000

Application: www.PUSDEducationFoundation.com/scholarships

Deadline: April 30th

James A. Fortmann Scholarship

Eligibility: Yavapai County high school senior with a minimum 2.5 GPA planning to attend an Arizona community college, vocational school or university majoring in art, fine art, art education or art history and has financial need.

Amount: Starting at \$2,500

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: May 1st

Javus B. Fortmann Scholarship

Eligibility: Yavapai County high school senior with a minimum 2.5 GPA planning to attend an Arizona community college or university majoring in education and has financial need.

Amount: Starting at \$2,500

Application: <https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarship-seekers/scholarships/>

Deadline: May 1st

Wade S. Parker Memorial Scholarship – Athletic Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors planning to further their education and play sports at a collegiate level

Amount: \$1,000

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: May 2nd via email at parkermk65@gmail.com or mailed to the foundation

Wade S. Parker Memorial Scholarship – Public Safety Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors planning to pursue a career in Public Safety (fire fighter, police officer, EMT, nursing, etc.)

Amount: \$1,000

Application: Application attached to email

Deadline: May 2nd via email at parkermk65@gmail.com or mailed to the foundation

Yavapai College Foundation Scholarship

Eligibility: Seniors planning to attend Yavapai College

Amount: Varies

Application: Apply online go to <https://www.yc.edu/v6/financial-aid/scholarship-resources.html>

1 application for over 200 YC Scholarships

Deadline: May 15th

B. Davis Scholarship

Eligibility: Juniors and Seniors

Amount: \$1,000

Application: <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm>

Deadline: May 21st

Abbott & Fenner Scholarship

Eligibility: Juniors and Seniors

Amount: \$1,000

Application: <https://abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php>

Deadline: June 10th

BigFuture Scholarships

Eligibility: Senior

Amount: \$500 or \$40,000

Application: <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

Deadline: Monthly drawings

SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITES

In State Colleges – Scholarship Websites

ASU <http://students.asu.edu/scholarships>
U of A <http://financialaid.arizona.edu/types-aid>
NAU <http://nau.edu/FinAid/Welcome/>
YC <http://www.yc.edu/webtools/apps/financialaid/scholarships/list.asp>
Prescott College:
<http://www.prescott.edu/apply/financial-aid/scholarships/prescott-college-scholarships/>

National Scholarship Websites:

www.collegeboard.org	www.studentscholarshipsesarch.com
www.flinscholars.org	www.anycollege.com
www.finaid.com	www.collegedata.com
www.gocollege.com	www.collegequest.com
www.fastweb.com	

Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) - <http://www.wiche.edu/wue>

A program where students can attend participating institutions in other states for reduced tuition. Instead of paying out-of-state tuition, a WUE participant pays the regular in-state tuition plus 50 percent of that amount.

Arizona Community Foundation:

<https://www.azfoundation.org/scholarships/scholarshipopportunities.aspx>

One scholarship application and over 90 Arizona scholarship opportunities!

PHS ADVISING WEBSITE - <https://phsadvisement.wixsite.com/phsadvicing>

Looking for up-to-date information? Check out the website to find the PHS monthly Scholarship Newsletter, dates/times for college visits, a variety of helpful & printable resources, and upcoming testing dates.