

Odessa-Montour High School – Eligible Scholarships

Each year, the Community Foundation of Elmira-Corning and the Finger Lakes give out over 115 scholarships to local students. Below are the detailed scholarship descriptions of those available specific to **Odessa-Montour High School Students**. Please see our website www.communityfund.org for all available scholarships.

General Scholarship – Due February 17, 2018

*Submitting an application to the General Scholarship is one application for over 25 scholarships. **Odessa-Montour High School Students are eligible for at least 1 of these scholarships.** Below are the names of the scholarships Odessa-Montour High School Students may be eligible for. There is no need to specify which scholarship you are applying for using this application. Please see the detailed descriptions of these scholarships on our website under the link: “General Scholarship Descriptions.”*

George Douglas/LPGA Corning Classic Scholarship

Amount \$5450

- High School Senior in Counties: **Chemung, Steuben, Schuyler, Tioga, Tompkins, Allegany NY, & Bradford, PA**
 - A four-year college, but will consider a two-year with the intent of transferring.
 - Demonstrated an appreciation of the benefits of post high school education.
 - A scholastic record to reasonably predict completion of a four-year college education.
 - Diligent student, a good, responsible and concerned citizen with financial need
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The following scholarships have their own application and are available to apply to online:

Carolyn Matthews Memorial Scholarship – Due February 15

Amount \$1250

The Carolyn Matthews Memorial Scholarship is a scholarship awarded to a student based on his or her involvement with school and community service activities, character and academic record.

- Students must be **nominated by school guidance counselors from the Twin Tiers** where the Star Gazette is distributed with letter included with application– **ONE NOMINEE PER SCHOOL.**
- Nominees should be students who might not be the top scholar in the senior class but who have made a difference in their school, family and community.

Elizabeth Amisano Ovarian Cancer Education Fund Award- Due March 1

Amount 2 at \$1000 each

The Elizabeth Amisano Ovarian Cancer Scholarship is a one-year award given to two students, male or female, **who reside and attend school or are home-schooled in Schuyler County.**

- A “C” or above scholastic record
- Evidence of good citizenship
- Evidence of a firm desire for further education.
- Demonstrated belief in the good in all people
- Evidence of a sense of humor

Kappa Men of Corning-Elmira Alumni Scholarship – Due March 7

Amount Varies

The Kappa Men Scholarship shall be awarded to a graduating senior from the following school districts: Bath, Corning-Painted Post, Odessa-Montour, Spencer-VanEtten, Watkins Glen, Owego, Waverly, Elmira, Elmira Heights, and Horseheads, New York.

- Demonstrate desire, interest, and leadership
- Financial need
- Preference will be given to people of color, with a preference for African American men.

Robert and Sharon Petrillose Memorial Scholarship – Due February 27

Amount \$1000

This scholarship is to recognize a graduation student from **Elmira, Corning or the Finger Lakes area of New York accepted to Cornell University's School of Hotel Administration**. The student shall be selected based upon academic achievement, work ethic and interest in food and beverage industry. **In the event that no local students have been accepted into Cornell University's School of Hotel Administration, the selection committee can choose a local student accepted to Cornell University.**

The following scholarships are only available by paper applications because of the special needs of the scholarship requirements. Please check with your guidance counselor or contact the Foundation for any of the following applications:

Twin Tiers Youth for Christ Scholarship – Due March 7

Amount \$4000 (1 male and 1 female)

The candidate must be a **Christian whose high school is located in or they have been a resident of Chemung County or an adjacent county for over six months**. The student must be enrolled or will be enrolled in an accredited four-year college or university and must obtain a recommendation from a pastor of a "Christian Church". Candidate must complete the Twin Tiers Youth for Christ Scholarship Application.

If you have any questions, please contact Katie McConville at cmm@communityfund.org or 607-739-3900.