

HOMER ELECTRIC SCHOLARSHIP



Making your future brighter....

**Your electric cooperative
will award several
scholarships
to high school seniors & adults
continuing their education.**

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DEADLINE

February 27, 2015

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HEA Homer Electric
Association, Inc.
A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative



Homer Electric Association's (HEA) Scholarship Committee will award a number of scholarships for an amount to be determined by the Board of Directors each calendar year. The committee will select the winners based on the merits of the applicant. Scholarship recipients will be selected in April. Recipients will be asked to attend HEA's Annual Membership Meeting on **Thursday, May 7, 2015**, for the Awards Ceremony.

General Rules

1. Scholarship funds will be disbursed through the recipient's chosen school.
2. Scholarship money may be used for registration, tuition, books, room and board.
3. Funds not used by the recipient within two semesters of initial registration will revert to the HEA scholarship trust.

Eligibility Requirements

1. An applicant must be a bona fide resident of the HEA's service area and a member of a household served by the Cooperative. To be presumed a bona fide resident, the applicant must be eligible for the Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend.
2. Scholarship packets shall be categorized as "seniors" or "others". Seniors will be defined as applicants from a public or private secondary school within the HEA service area. Students in the "others" category will be defined as those individuals residing within the HEA service area who have chosen to return to college, trade school, apprenticeship, vocational or technical school after having been out of high school for a minimum of two years.
3. An applicant may submit a scholarship packet for consideration in only one category.
4. Award consideration is given to students attending or who will attend an accredited college, trade school, apprenticeship or vocational or technical school, whether inside or outside the state. The recipient must be enrolled in a course of study which leads to a degree or certificate. Scholarship awards must be used within one year.
5. Scholarships shall be awarded on a non-discriminatory basis without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex or age.
6. Applicants must follow all instructions and submit a complete packet in the order listed with nothing more or nothing less, to be considered a qualified candidate.
 - a. Completed Application
 - b. Transcript: High School OR College, Trade or Vocational School (if applicable)
 - c. Three (3) Letters of Recommendation
7. Applications, along with supporting documents, must be received by the HEA Scholarship Committee no later than **5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 27, 2015**. Submissions can be made using one of three delivery methods listed below:
 - a. Email – tlautaret@homerelectric.com; Subject: Scholarship Application
 - b. Postal Mail – 280 Airport Way, Kenai, AK 99611; Attn: HEA Scholarship Committee
 - c. Personal Delivery – 280 Airport Way, Kenai, AK 99611 OR 3977 Lake Street, Homer, AK 99603; Attn: HEA Scholarship Committee



Student Information

SCHOLARSHIP CATEGORY

Seniors (High School)

Other (Returning Student)

NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

HIGH SCHOOL _____ GRADUATION DATE _____ GPA _____

HEA MEMBER # _____ MEMBER NAME(S) _____

PARENT/LEGAL
GUARDIAN _____ PHONE _____

I will be attending the following post-secondary school:

My major or course of study will be:

ACADEMIC HONORS, AWARDS, MEMBERSHIPS

OTHER EXTRA CURRICULAR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

COMMUNITY SERVICE INVOLVEMENT

My PERSONAL NARRATIVE

In **500 words or less**, please compose a personal narrative. Your narrative should include, but is not limited to:
(1) Career Goals, (2) Goal Achievement Strategy and (3) Reasons HEA Should Award You a Scholarship.

THE VALUE OF MY COOPERATIVE

In **200 words or less**, please describe what is a Cooperative and how does it benefit you?

FINANCIAL RESOURCES (calculated per semester/quarter)

Expenditures

TUITION _____ ROOM/BOARD _____ OTHER _____ TOTAL _____

Revenue

SCHOLARSHIPS _____ EMPLOYMENT _____ OTHER _____ TOTAL _____

Considerations

Additional factors that may impact financial necessity:

Scholarship Packet Checklist

To be eligible for consideration a completed scholarship packet must be received by the HEA Scholarship Committee no later than **5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 27, 2015**, and must include the following:

- Application
- Transcript or Progress Report
 - High School
OR
 - College, Trade or Vocational School (if applicable)
- Three (3) Letters of Recommendation

Certification

By selecting the box below, I hereby certify that all answers provided are true and correct to the best of my ability. I understand that any false answers or deliberate omissions may be grounds for rejection of my application and withdrawal of any award granted.

Yes, I _____, _____
have read and understand the certification statement and affirm that all information provided is true and correct. DATE

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Additional Questions

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