

# TONY VAN SCHOLARSHIP

**There shall be two (2) scholarships of \$500.00 each.**

1. The funds for these scholarships are to be raised by the NEWAL local and approved at a regular membership meeting.
2. This scholarship is for graduating high school seniors and students currently attending a school listed in #3 up to the age of twenty-six (26).
3. The student must prove their acceptance to an accredited University, College, Trade, Technical and/or Vocational School not later than September 30, 2025.
4. The high school student must have maintained a “C” or 2.0 grade point average over their high school curriculum.
5. Verification of grades and graduation must be supplied before payments are made.
6. **At least one parent, legal guardian, or grandparent must be a member of the APWU NEWAL, in good standing, for a minimum of 1 year following, except in the case of death of a member.**
7. The Scholarship Committee shall consist of up to five (5) members. Two (2) of these members shall consist of the current elected President and Secretary/Treasurer of the APWU NEWAL. The President of the APWU NEWAL shall appoint the remaining members.
8. The Committee shall be convened by July 25, 2025 or the Monday thereafter. The Committee Chairman will have verified each of the membership qualifications by this date.
9. The submission deadline (by mail only) for scholarship applications is **July 20, 2025**. The drawing shall be held at the summer picnic in August. If there is no picnic, the winners will be drawn at the September union meeting.
10. The Committee, upon verification of each application, shall place said applications in plain “gold” envelopes. There shall be two (2) winners and one alternate drawn.
11. The scholarships will be paid to the school scholarship offices. The scholarship must be used within the following scholastic year.
12. The selected student(s) shall submit to the **Committee Chairman**, proof of his/her full-time enrollment (Current Enrollment Verification Certificate) from the school of their choice as set forth in rule number four (3). Payment shall be made upon the receipt of verifications.
13. All disputes concerning the Scholarship Program shall be submitted to the Committee Chairman within thirty (30) days of the drawing, in written form. They shall be answered in writing within fifteen (15) days.
14. (ESSAY) A 200 word (maximum) essay required on the topic: “The Importance of Unions to American Society” Essays will not be judged, but the winning applicants will have theirs published in the next Bay Breeze.
15. These rules governing the TONY VAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND, sponsored by the APWU NEWAL can only be amended, changed, or deleted once a year at the summer meeting of the Scholarship Committee. Only one mailed application & essay per student will be allowed.

# **TONY VAN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

## **PERSONAL INFORMATION:**

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Union Member First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

## **EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION:**

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Year Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

## **SCHOOL YOU WILL BE ATTENDING IN FALL 2025:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

By submitting this application, I certify that the information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Also, I understand that falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail application & essay to:

NEWAL#2247

Tony Van Scholarship

PO Box 10324

Green Bay WI 54307-0323

Applications must be "post marked" & received by July 20th, 2025