

# Scholarship List

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### **The Coca-Cola Scholars Program Scholarship**

The Coca-Cola Scholars Program scholarship is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors. Students are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, as well as their commitment to making a significant impact on their schools and communities. With the 33rd class in 2021, the Foundation has provided over 6,450 Coca-Cola Scholars with more than \$75 million in educational support. 150 Coca-Cola Scholars are selected each year to receive this \$20,000 scholarship. High school seniors, [apply here!](#) The application will be open until **October 31, at 5 pm Eastern.**

### **2022 Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarship**

The Elks National Foundation is offering scholarship opportunities to any high school senior who is a U.S. citizen. Applications will be judged on academics, leadership, financial need, and need. The Mexico Elks award a \$1500 scholarship to the top male and female applicants and \$500 for each runner-up. Students can access applications at [enf.elks.org/mvs](http://enf.elks.org/mvs). Completed applications must be submitted before **November 15.**

### **Jack Kent Cooke College Scholarship Program**

The Cooke College Scholarship Program is an undergraduate scholarship program available to high-achieving high school seniors with financial needs who seek to attend and graduate from the nation's best four-year colleges and universities.

To be eligible to apply to the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation College Scholarship Program you must:

- Graduate from a U.S. high school in spring 2022
- Intend to enroll full time in an accredited four-year college beginning in fall 2022
- Earn a cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.5 or above
- Demonstrate unmet financial need. We will consider applicants with family income up to \$95,000. Last year's cohort of new college scholarship recipients had a median family income of approximately **\$35,000.**

The 2022 College Scholarship Program application is open until **November 18, 2021.** To apply for this scholarship, students must complete the common application at <https://www.commonapp.org/>.

### **SWCS Scholarship: Show-Me Chapter, Soil and Water Conservation Society**

The SWCS Scholarship provides financial assistance to students wishing to pursue studies with a natural resource conservation orientation at properly accredited colleges or universities. One scholarship will be awarded, with the possibility of a second, smaller scholarship. Scholarship recipients also receive a complimentary one-year membership in SWCS and the local chapter. Eligibility: This scholarship is for students who attend/graduated from an approved program of study in Missouri (as stated in Missouri statute, RSMO 167.031 - includes public, private, and home school). The student need not be an SWCS member. Applicants must be in their senior year of high school, or in a full-time undergraduate academic study. They must major in conservation or natural resource-related field such as soil science, land use planning, forestry, wildlife management, fisheries, agricultural engineering, hydrology, rural sociology, agronomy, water management, agricultural education, or related environmental protection or resource management curricula. Applicants must attend, or plan to attend, a college or university that is properly accredited by national or regional accrediting bodies, or their equivalence. Financial need will not be a factor in selection. Applications for the scholarship must be postmarked before **November 30**.

### **Hagan Scholarship**

The Hagan Scholarship is a nationwide need-based merit scholarship designed to help rural students graduate college debt-free. The scholarship provides up to \$48,000 over four years to attend college and other benefits.

#### 2021-2022 Eligibility Requirements

1. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
2. Must attend an Eligible Public High School (Wellsville-Middletown is eligible).
3. Must have achieved a 3.75 Cumulative Grade Point Average.
4. Must enroll at an Eligible **Four-Year College or University** the first semester following high school graduation.
5. Must maintain a four-year or less graduation schedule in college.
6. Must work 240 hours during the twelve months prior to fall semester college enrollment. Preferred employment is regularly scheduled to work performed under supervision for compensation.
7. Must provide the FAFSA SAR showing the EFC. Must be Pell Grant eligible. The family EFC does not have to be paid, it is used only to determine disbursement amounts.
8. Must apply for Federal and State grants if eligible.
9. Must not have a felony conviction.

The online application can be found at <https://haganscholarships.org/application/>. Completed applications are due **December 1**.

### James L. and Nellie M. Westlake Scholarship

The James L. and Nellie M. Westlake Scholarship Foundation was established in 1981 pursuant to the provisions of the wills of James L. and Nellie M. Westlake for the purpose of assisting Missouri residents in pursuing a college education. Renewable scholarships are offered each year for full-time study at an accredited four-year institution of the student's choice.

Applicants to James L. and Nellie M. Westlake Scholarship Program must: be Missouri residents; be graduating seniors at Missouri high schools who plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study for the entire upcoming academic year at an accredited **four-year** college or university, OR be students who have completed one or two full years at a Missouri community college with sufficient credits to transfer to an accredited four-year college or university at the sophomore or junior level, respectively; demonstrate limited financial resources with a family adjusted gross income of \$60,000 or less and an expected family contribution toward college of \$7,000 or less. Have at least a cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale except community college applicants with one year transferable credits must have 2.25 or higher on a 4.0 scale. **Applications become available December 1st**

<https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/james-l-and-nellie-m-westlake-scholarship-program/>

### Missouri Corn Scholarship

High school applicants must be Missouri residents from a Missouri farm or rural area. They must also plan to attend a two-year or four-year Missouri college or university and major in agronomy (or related subject). The scholarship funds will apply toward the freshman year of college expenses for high school senior winners. **Applications for the program will be posted/available on December 15.** Applications can be found online at <https://mocorn.org/resources/education/scholarships/>

### MSSDAR SCHOLARSHIPS

Missouri State Society Daughters of the American Revolution offers the following scholarships. Applicants must be *high school seniors ranking in the upper 10% of their class*, a United States citizen, a Missouri resident, and attend a Missouri university/college EXCEPT the Roberta Casteel Capps Scholarship whose recipients may attend the university/college of their choice. All Scholarships are paid directly to the university/college after their enrollment is verified. All applications are due to the State Scholarship Chair postmarked no later than **January 1, 2022.**

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### MSSDAR Scholarship (MSSDAR)

A one-time preferred amount of \$2,000.00 is awarded to a student pursuing a

degree of his/her choice. **January 1.**

**IRENE AND LEETA WAGY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (MSSDAR)**

A one-time preferred amount of \$1,000.000 awarded to a WOMAN pursuing a degree in education. **January 1.**

**DOROTHY POIKERT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (MSSDAR)**

A one-time preferred amount of \$500.00 is awarded to a student pursuing a degree in business. **January 1.**

**ROBERTA CASTEEL CAPPS AMERICAN HISTORY SCHOLARSHIP (MSSDAR)**

A one-time preferred amount of \$1,000.00 is awarded to a student who will have a concentrated study of a minimum of twenty-four credit hours in American History and Government while in college. This scholarship is available to seniors in high school through juniors in college. **January 1.**

Application information is available at <https://mssdar.org/mssdar-scholarships/>. **Additional scholarships** are available through the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution at <https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships>. All forms are downloadable with writable fields that allow them to be completed, saved, and printed directly from your computer.

**NASH MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP (MSSDAR)**

The Nash Music Scholarship is available to any student who is pursuing a degree in music. Seniors in high school through juniors in college may apply. The student must be an accomplished musician, and maintain an overall GPA of at least 3.0. Applications must be postmarked before **January 15** to avoid disqualification. **The following link will take you to the online applications.** <https://mssdar.org/mssdar-scholarships/>

**National FFA Scholarship**

**Through the National FFA Foundation, businesses and individuals support scholarships that are awarded to students with a wide variety of higher education plans and career goals. Whether you are planning on attending a specialized training program or seeking a four-year degree, the National FFA Scholarship Program has opportunities for all.**

**Scholarships support FFA high school seniors and collegiate members as well as non-FFA members. Just one application is required for multiple scholarship opportunities**

totaling close to \$2 million. Online applications are available beginning November 1 and must be submitted before January 5, and online supplement forms must be submitted by January 12 (if applicable).

#### United States JCI Senate Foundation

The United States JCI Senate Foundation awards \$1,000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors in the United States who plan to continue their education at accredited post-secondary colleges, universities or vocational schools. The application form can be downloaded from: <http://www.usjcisenate.org/Scholarship-Apps/21-22ScholarshipApp.doc> Completed applications should be mailed to the following address: Wendy Cox #69246 MO State Scholarship Chairman, 16509 Winter Leaf Drive, Wildwood, MO 63011. The deadline for entries is **postmarked January 14**.

#### Wellsville-Middletown Young Farmers Scholarship

Scholarships are available for seniors who have completed a high school Agricultural Science or Family and Consumer Science class. Priority will be given to a student who plans to attend a college, university, or trade school and continue his/her education in a field related to agriculture or family and consumer science. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 14**.

#### Edward Lampe Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Preference will be given to FFA members. Applications are available online through the school webpage. The counselor has information regarding Mr. Lampe. Applications are due **January 21**.

#### Richard Kriz Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Particular emphasis will be given to students entering an agriculture-related field. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due before **January 21**.

#### Ed Stegner Natural Resource Scholarships

The Foundation's Ed Stegner Natural Resource Scholarships were established to provide major financial aid to encourage and assist students in five areas of natural resource management: fisheries, forestry, wildlife, parks and recreation and soil and

water conservation. Applicants must be Missouri residents from any county or city in the state who are or plan to be enrolled as an undergraduate at a Missouri college or university in the chosen discipline of study. Preference will be given to individuals with a demonstrated financial need. Applications and supporting materials must be submitted by **January 31**. Applications can be found online at <https://www.conservemo.org/ed-stegner-scholarship-application.html>

#### WELLSVILLE-MIDDLETOWN GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The next seven scholarships require students to complete the W-M General Scholarship Application.

##### 1.Danny Beshears Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students should show positive educational progress and scholastic ability; be involved in school and community activities and show positive attitude, character, citizenship and competence. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship Application and identify the Danny Beshears Memorial Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

##### 2.Community Teachers' Association Scholarship

Scholarships are available for students attending colleges and universities with particular emphasis on students interested in pursuing advanced studies in teaching. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship Application and identify the Community Teachers' Association Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

##### 3.Barbara Peery Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship Application and identify the Barbara Peery Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

##### 4.Hallie and Evelyn Penn Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond their senior year of high school. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship

Application and identify the Hallie and Evelyn Penn Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

#### 5.Larry Schwendker Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Particular emphasis will be given to students with great financial need. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship Application and identify the Larry Schwendker Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

#### 6.Harold and Alice Hayes Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students should show positive educational progress and scholastic ability, be involved in school and community activities, and show positive attitude, character, citizenship and competence. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship Application and identify the Harold and Alice Hayes Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

#### 7.Montgomery County Kustoms and Classics Car Club

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students must complete the W-M R-1 Scholarship Application and identify the Montgomery County Kustoms and Classics Car Club Scholarship. The W-M R-1 Scholarship Application is available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **January 28**.

#### Leta Mae Hildebrand Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship opportunity is open to seniors majoring in agriculture, veterinary medicine or other related fields. If no student plans to major in one of the previous mentioned areas another applicant will be chosen. Applications are due **February 1**.

#### The Missouri State Fair Foundation Youth in Agriculture Scholarship

Application for current Missouri high school seniors is available online at [Missouri State Fair](#) and [Missouri State Fair Foundation](#) websites. Applicants must be high school seniors and active members of 4-H or FFA. Eligible scholarship applicants must plan to enroll in an accredited Missouri college or university and pursue a degree in agriculture. Applicants must have participated as a 4-H or FFA exhibitor at the Missouri State Fair at least once; however, applicants cannot have sold livestock in a past Missouri State Fair Sale of Champions auction. Applications should be submitted to the Missouri State Fair and must be postmarked by **Feb. 1**

#### Dr. Darrell "Jack" Holley/M.U.S.I.C. Scholarship

The Missouri United School Insurance Council is providing this scholarship opportunity to high school seniors wanting to continue their education after high school. Applications can be found online at <https://www.musicprogram.org/dr-darrell-jack-holley-music-scholarship-2019-now-open/> must be returned to the guidance counselor before **February 5**.

#### Ed and Elsie Lair Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Seniors **must** have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above at the end of their first semester of their senior year to be eligible to apply. Applications are available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **February 11**.

#### Martinsburg Farmers Elevator

Martinsburg Farmers Elevator, Martinsburg and Wellsville, is offering a scholarship opportunity for graduating seniors. Preference will be given to students majoring in an agriculture related field. Applications are available on-line through the school webpage. Applications must be returned before **February 18**.

#### National Farm Kids for College Scholarship

The competition is open to high school seniors who plan to pursue agriculture-related degrees from accredited colleges or universities. Based on competitive selection, judges choose three national scholarship winners in the spring of each year. All three winners



receive \$1,000 each. This is a non-renewable, college freshman scholarship. Applications are found online at <https://www.nationalfarmers.com/Scholarships/Apps/2021-Farm-Kids-App.pdf>. They are due before **February 18**.

#### Middletown Athletic Association Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior who participated in athletics during their high school career and plans to continue their education at a four-year or two-year college or technical school. Applications are online through the school webpage and are due **February 25**.

#### FCS FINANCIAL SCHOLARSHIP

You must be a child or grandchild of an FCS Financial customer to be eligible for this scholarship. Additionally, students who are a relative of a director or an employee or who are receiving a full-ride scholarship are not eligible to receive the FCS Financial scholarship. **The deadline is March 1, 2022**. Each scholarship is worth \$1,500 and there will be 35 recipients throughout the state of Missouri. [FCS Financial Scholarship](#)

#### MAMIC/Montgomery County Farmers' & Laborers' Mutual Insurance Scholarship

Farmers' and Laborers' Mutual Insurance of Montgomery County is offering a \$500.00 scholarship to graduating seniors. Students must reside in Montgomery County. Applications are found online at <https://www.mamic.net/scholarships> and must be submitted before March 1.

#### Missouri 4-H Foundation Scholarships

The [Missouri 4-H Foundation](#) offers educational scholarships for 4-H youth and former 4-H members pursuing post-secondary study.

Sixty scholarships are available, each ranging from \$500 to \$2,500. One scholarship application permits the applicant to be considered for any available scholarship, subject to conditions specified by the donor. Applications can be found online at <http://4h.missouri.edu/recognition/scholarships/>. **Applications are accepted after January 1 and are due with a postmark date of March 1.**

#### Victor E. Kohl Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students should show positive educational progress and scholastic ability, be involved in school and community activities, and show a positive attitude, character,

citizenship, and competence. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due **March 4**.

#### Knights of Columbus Council 1270 Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any prospective graduate of Wellsville-Middletown High School. He/She must have definite plans to further their education beyond high school. The student must also be a professing Christian. The selection committee will consider the applicant's scholastic achievement, financial need, participation and leadership in school and community activities, citizenship, moral character and educational goals. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due **March 4**.

#### Missouri Association of Rural Education Scholarship

The goals of the M.A.R.E. Scholarships are to attract quality students to enroll in teacher education programs in a Missouri College or University. Also, attract intelligent, energetic individuals to furnish leadership skills in rural communities. Scholarship recipients will be selected on their academic achievement, leadership qualities, and interest in teaching in a rural school system. Applications are available online at <https://www.moare.com/vnews/display.v/ART/5fac2ca3d428c>

**Completed applications must be postmarked by March 5. MAKE SURE TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FOR GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS.**

#### MFA Foundation Scholarship-Montgomery City

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students should show positive educational progress and scholastic ability, be involved in school and community activities, and show a positive attitude, character, citizenship, and competence. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due **March 4**.

#### Missouri Bankers Foundation Scholarship

The Missouri Bankers Foundation Scholarship Fund is designed to encourage college-level study for young people who are interested in pursuing a career in the field of banking. The *Willis W. Alexander Scholarship* and the *John W. Rogers Memorial Scholarship*

have been established to honor the achievements of Missouri bankers and to help prepare the next generation of Missouri banking leaders. One-Time scholarships are in the amount of \$500 each. The application can be found at [https://www.mobankers.com/MBA/Education\\_Training/Scholarships/MBA/AboutMBA/MissouriBankersFoundation/Scholarships.aspx?hkey=95ab402c-1d5b-4039-999d-cc12d63ce961](https://www.mobankers.com/MBA/Education_Training/Scholarships/MBA/AboutMBA/MissouriBankersFoundation/Scholarships.aspx?hkey=95ab402c-1d5b-4039-999d-cc12d63ce961) Completed applications must be submitted before **March 4**.

#### Montgomery County Rotary Club Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any twelfth-grade student wanting to continue his/her education beyond their senior year. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due **March 11**.

#### Wellsville First Christian Church Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her formal education beyond high school at a university, college, vocational or technical school. Particular emphasis will be given to students who are (1) members (2) descendants of members of the Wellsville First Christian Church. He or she should be involved in school and community activities, and show a positive attitude, character, citizenship, and competence. They must reside in the WMR1 School district in Montgomery County and attend the Wellsville Middletown R-1 School in Montgomery County. Applications are due **March 11**.

#### Fern Braden-Audrain Medical Center Auxiliary Scholarship

The Auxiliary Scholarship fund began with a bequest from Fern Braden and is supported by funds from the AMC Auxiliary. The purpose is to help area women or men obtain an education in the medical field. Applications shall be submitted along with two letters of recommendation, a recent photograph, and official school transcripts. Applications are available online through the school webpage. Applications are due before **March 15**.

#### Callaway-Montgomery Cattlemen's Association Scholarship

This scholarship opportunity is available to high school seniors or full-time college students. Applicants must have a GPA of 2.5 or better. Preference will be shown, but not required, to Missouri residents that are paid active members of the Missouri Junior Cattlemen's or the parent/legal guardian who is a paid active member of the Missouri Cattlemen's Association. Preference may also be given to students enrolled in an agricultural related field. **Applications are due by March 15.**

#### Griffin Family Foundation Scholarship Program

Scholarships are available for students attending vocational and technical schools, colleges and universities with particular emphasis on students interested in pursuing advanced studies in nursing, health related occupations, medical occupations and education. Applications are available on-line at <http://www.griffinfamilyfoundation.com/>  
**THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN MARCH 15TH AT 5:00 P.M. OF THE AWARDING YEAR TO BE CONSIDERED. PLEASE DO NOT EMAIL YOUR APPLICATION! APPLICATIONS MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE LAW OFFICE OF Brett, Erdel, Owings & Tanzey, P.C., 100 North Jefferson, Mexico, Missouri 65265**

#### Robert Michael Pritchett Engineering Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any twelfth grade student wanting to continue his or her education at the University of Missouri Columbia or Missouri S&T at Rolla. Applications are available from Mr. Blaue and are due **March 15.**

#### American Bank of Missouri Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior wanting to continue his/her education beyond their senior year of high school. Applications are available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **March 16.**

#### Kelsey Higgenbotham Community Scholarship

This scholarship is open to a graduating senior who plans to further his/her education at a university, college, technical or vocational school. Students should show positive educational progress and scholastic ability, be involved in school and community activities, and show positive attitude, character, citizenship and competence. Applications are due **March 18.**

### Masonic Lodge Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior with at least a 3.0 GPA or above and plans to enroll as a full time student at an accredited college or university located in the United States. Applications are available from Mr. Blaue and are due **March 25**.

Ruth Lutes Bachmann Scholarship (Masonic Lodge Scholarship): This scholarship is available for students wanting to become nurses or teachers. This scholarship opportunity is available for students enrolling as a full time student at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Masonic Merit Scholarship (Masonic Lodge Scholarship): This scholarship opportunity is available for students enrolling as a full time student at an accredited college or university in the United States.

### Stephanie Kemp Memorial Scholarship

Stephanie Kemp graduated from Wellsville-Middletown R-1 in 2005. She was an exceptional person who had a true zest for life. She participated in many extra-curricular activities in high school. She worked while she attended junior college and, later, business college where she completed her degree. Stephanie touched many people with her smile and her laughter until her accidental death on September 18, 2015. Stephanie's family is making this application open to any graduating senior at Wellsville-Middletown R-1 High School who will be attending an institution or program to further their education. Scholarship applicants must have an accumulative GPA of 2.50 and show emphasis on extracurricular participation, work experience and/or a combination of both. Applications are due **March 25**.

### Missouri Insurance Education Foundation Scholarship

This scholarship opportunity is available to Missouri graduating high school seniors who will be full-time students in an accredited Missouri college or university and with an interest or intent of pursuing an insurance, risk management, or actuarial science course of study. Applications are available from the high school counselor and must be returned by **March 31**.

### Montgomery County Farm Bureau Agricultural Scholarship

The Montgomery County Farm Bureau will award one \$500 scholarship to a student pursuing appropriate certification in a field related to and supportive of agriculture. The recipient must be enrolled as a full-time student for the fall semester of the year in

which the scholarship is awarded. The recipient or their parent(s) or guardians must also hold a current Farm Bureau membership. Applications are due by **March 31**.

#### Agrilegacy Tomorrow Agricultural Scholarship

This scholarship program supports individuals looking to further their education in the field of agriculture. Applicants must be studying an ag-related field and have a 2.5 or high grade point average. **Complete applications are due before April 1.**

#### Consolidated Electric Scholarship

The following are the application requirements: applicant's primary residence must be served by Consolidated Electric Cooperative, student plans to further their education by attending a trade, technical, community college or university, provide a copy of their high school transcript, complete a one-page essay, and Consolidated Electric Cooperative employee and director children, grandchildren or family members are not eligible to apply for this scholarship. Deadline for applications is **April 1**.

#### Music Boosters Scholarship

This scholarship opportunity is available to a senior who plans to further their education after high school and has participated in the band or vocal music program at Wellsville-Middletown High School. Applications are available from the music department and are due **April 1**.

#### Don and Larue McMurty Scholarship

This scholarship is open to any senior athlete wanting to continue his/her education beyond high school. Students should show positive educational progress and scholastic ability, be involved in school and community activities, and show positive attitude, character, citizenship and competence. Applications are available on-line through the school webpage. Applications are due **April 8**.

#### Wellsville-Middletown Athletic Booster Scholarship

Applicants must have participated and completed the season in at least one school sponsored sport each year of their public high school attendance. Applications are on-line through the school webpage and due **April 8**.

### VFW Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship

The ladies of the VFW Auxiliary will be giving a yearly scholarship to a student from Wellsville-Middletown R-1. Eligible applicants must be a descendent of a person who served in the military. He or she must also be continuing their education at a vocational school, college or university. Applications are on-line through the school webpage and due **April 12**.

### American Legion Scholarships

#### Need a Lift?

The American Legion continues to offer the Need a Lift? scholarship and financial aid information guide. The guide covers a number of topics relating to college selection and financial aid sources. The guide can be found at [www.legion.org/needalift](http://www.legion.org/needalift).

#### Lillie Lois Ford Scholarship

This scholarship opportunity is available to any senior boy who has attended the American Legion Boys State of Missouri or a full session of the Department's Cadet Patrol Academy. A second award is given to a girl who has attended a full session of the American Legion Auxiliary's Girls State program or a full session of the Department's Cadet Patrol Academy. Applications are due **April 12**.

#### M.D. "Jack" Murphy Memorial Nurses Training

This award is available to a Missouri boy or girl training to be a Registered Nurse, and may be used in their freshman or subsequent college years. The student must have graduated in the top forty percent of their high school class or have a "C" or equivalent standing from their last college or university semester. Applications are due **April 12**.

#### Joseph J. Frank Scholarship

Applicants must have attended a full session of the American Legion Boys or Girls State and be a descendant of a member of the American Legion. Applications are due **April 12**.

Charles L. Bacon

To be eligible for this scholarship an individual must be a current member of the American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary, or the Sons of the American Legion, or a descendant of a member of any thereof. Applications are due **April 12**.

Erman W. Taylor Memorial

To be eligible for this scholarship an individual must be a descendant of a veteran who served 90 or more days of active duty in the armed forces and having an honorable discharge, be a Missouri resident, use the award as full-time student at an accredited college or university, provide a copy of the discharge certificate for the veteran on whose the application is made, and submit an essay of 500 words or less on the subject, *"In your opinion, what was the most significant world event of 2015/2016."* Applications are due **April 12**.

**Septagon Construction Company Academic Scholarship**

The goal of this scholarship is to encourage and aid students who pursue professional, construction-related degrees. Spetagon plans to award at least one five-hundred-dollar (\$500) scholarship to a student residing in each of our major office locations, or a minimum of five scholarships each year. Applicants may be graduating high school seniors or current college/university/trade school students already pursuing a degree/certification. Applications are due before **May 1st**.