



SWAUK TEANAWAY GRANGE #984
2017 SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION
DEADLINE: MARCH 17, 2017
APPLICATION ALSO AVAILABLE AT
WWW.SWAUKTEANAWAYGRANGE.COM

The Grange is America's oldest farm-based fraternal organization. We are a non-partisan, grassroots advocacy group for rural citizens with both legislative programs and community activities. The Grange fulfills a great need in communities across the state. It is an organization in which men, women, and young people assemble for friendship, discussion, and formulation of policies on current issues.

The Grange serves as a vehicle to promote positive changes to improve the quality of life for all citizens. It is an organization that tries to strengthen the family structure for its members by encouraging the active participation of each family member.

The Swauk Teanaway Grange will award one or more \$1,000 in scholarship money in 2017. To be eligible, you must be a high school senior or enrolled in a home school program in Kittitas County and graduating in 2017.

Qualifications for applying for this scholarship are the following:

- An agricultural background or history of participation in agricultural activities or plans to pursue a career in an agriculture-related field. Examples are 4-H and Future Farmers of America (FFA). Include offices held and awards received.
- Community and school involvement, including leadership experience and awards received.
- Grade point average--to be verified with transcript. If you are in Running Start, Cornerstone, or College in the Classroom, be sure to include your CWU transcript.

Preference will be given to applicants with Grange membership or whose family members have a history of Grange membership. If possible, please provide documentation with your application. Membership applications are available from Sally Gililand, chair of the Scholarship Committee.

Complete all sections of this application. Forms must be received by our committee no later than March 17, 2017. These include your application form, letter of application, and transcript(s). Incomplete applications will not be considered. Do not submit a resume or letters of recommendation. Finalists may be interviewed before a final selection of the winner is made. Applications are also available on our website: www.SwaukTeanawayGrange.com. Direct questions to Sally Gililand at (206) 854-2936 or sallygililand@gmail.com.

Mail Application Materials To: Swauk Teanaway Grange Scholarship Committee
c/o Sally Gililand, Chair of Committee
PO Box 813
South Cle Elum, WA 98943-0813



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Please Print Legibly

1. Name of applicant _____
2. Home Address _____
3. Telephone Number _____ Email Address _____
4. Date of Birth _____
5. Father's Name _____
6. Mother's Name _____
7. Name of Family Member who is a Grange Member _____
8. Relationship to applicant _____
9. Membership in _____ Grange since _____
City _____ County _____ State _____
10. I will graduate from _____ High School on (date) _____ with
an overall grade point average of _____. Include a current transcript for verification of GPA.
11. Cornerstone, Running Start, and/or College in the Classroom classes you have taken
_____. Include transcript for verification.
12. Complete name and address of college/university/vocational or technical school where you plan to use
any scholarship money awarded to you:

Name of Institution

Address _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

13. Anticipated area of study _____

14. List the clubs and activities that you have participated in (school, agricultural, work). Include Running Start, senior project, shadowing, and offices you have held.

15. List any community service (church, civic, volunteer, etc.) you have done. Include awards, offices, and estimated hours per week.

16. List past and present employers, duration of employment, and hours a week worked.

17. Write a letter to accompany your application in proper business letter form. In this letter, briefly tell us your future plans and goals, your leadership experiences, and explain your need for a scholarship. Be sure to sign this letter. This letter should be no longer than two pages.

18. List two professional references (faculty, counselor, advisor, 4-H leader, etc.) and include each reference's name, title, email address, and phone number.

(1) _____

(2) _____

Signature _____ Date _____



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In order to assist in organizing your process, check off the items below and keep for your records.

Application Check List:

- Application (must be legible or typed). You can submit a second page if you need additional room.
- Letter telling of your agricultural background, future plans and goals, your leadership roles, and your need for our scholarship
- Official sealed school transcript and college transcript if applicable. If you have college credits, submit an official transcript from the college as part of your application.

Submit only the above materials for our review. No other submissions will be considered.

We encourage you to keep a copy of your application materials for reference.

Mail – ALL materials must be postmarked by March 17, 2017. DATE MAILED: _____

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Please contact Sally Gililand at 206-854-2936 or at sallygililand@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

If you or your parents are currently Grange members, we encourage you to apply also for state Grange scholarships at www.wa-grange.org. Check this web site for deadline information.