

Patoka American Legion Scholarship Application

This Scholarship shall be awarded to a graduating senior who is either a child or grandchild of a member of Edgar R. Rogier Post #543. If there is no such applicant, the scholarship may then be awarded to an applicant who is a graduating senior at Patoka High School.

The winner will be selected by The Old Capitol Foundation and the selection process will be free of any criterion of race, religion or gender with the understanding that the applicants must meet the criteria set forth by the Patoka American Legion.

The recipient of a one-year scholarship who maintains at least a C average may apply for a second-year scholarship.

The scholarship shall be paid directly to the college; the first half to be paid at Fall enrollment and the remainder at second semester enrollment.

Please supply all information requested, and mail this application to: Old Capitol Foundation, First National Bank Trust Fund, P .0. Box 40, Vandalia, IL 62471.

1. Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Address _____
(Route or Street) (City) (Zip Code)

3. Father's, Mother's or Grandparent's name and address, who is a member of the Edgar R. Rogier Post #543.

Name _____
(Address) (Phone No.)

4. Guardian's name and address, if parents are not living.

Name _____
(Address)

5. School you plan to attend _____

6. Career Objective _____

7. Please attach a typed **150-word essay** on the following topic: "**My Future Contributions to My Community and Nation.**"

8. List activities you took part in during high school. Also, include activities in which you served your community. _____

9. Please include three letters of recommendation from people who know you well enough to give information on personal qualifications. Do not include relatives.

10. Personal comment on why you should be awarded this scholarship.
