



Lincoln Elks Lodge No. 80

BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS

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A FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION

Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 Legacy Scholarships

The Paulding Smith Memorial Scholarship

The Esther Smith Memorial Scholarship

The Alex "Bud" Dietrich Memorial Scholarship

Gerry Crouch Scholarship

The Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 Exalted Rulers Legacy Scholarships (2)

Deadline: January 29, 2022
Send Application to: Lincoln Elks Lodge #80
ATTN: Scholarship Department
5910 S 58th Street - Ste A
Lincoln, NE 68516

Dear Applicant:

We are happy to provide you with this scholarship application. These six scholarships were made possible, in large part, by the wonderful generosity of Paulding and Esther Smith, and are open to students whose sponsoring relative is an active member or deceased member of the Lincoln (NE) Elks Lodge #80. They are intended to provide financial assistance to eligible applicants who exhibit the core values of the Elks: Knowledge, Charity, Service to Community, and Integrity. Judging criteria will include the applicant's civic activity, leadership, leadership development, and academic success. Additionally, the applicant's honors and awards and will be considered.

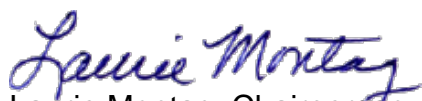
There are 6 awards, and each is a one-time award:

- The Paulding Smith Memorial Scholarship - \$2,250
- The Esther Smith Memorial Scholarship - \$2,250
- The Alex "Bud" Dietrich Memorial Scholarship - \$950
- Gerry Crouch Scholarship - \$825
- Exalted Ruler Legacy Scholarship - \$1,250
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The following eligibility requirements apply for this contest:

1. Any child or grandchild (or step-child, step-grandchild) of a living member of the Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 who has been active the past three (3) years, or a deceased lodge member who had been an active member of Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 for at least ten (10) consecutive years prior to his or her death.
2. The applicant must be a high school graduate, or a high school senior who will graduate within 5 months from the date of this application.
3. Applicants must be under the age of 25 by the data of this application.
4. Applicant must apply through the Lincoln Elks Lodge, regardless of where the applicant resides.

5. **Students will submit one application to be considered for all six scholarships; however, they may only win one.**
6. These awards may only be paid to accredited US American schools, colleges or universities.
7. We require a social security number for our records. Make a photocopy of your application for your records. All applications become the property of Lincoln Elks Lodge #80.
8. The student and the sponsoring Elk must complete their respective sections.
9. All applications will be judged on the basis of scholarship, leadership, need, and other information as requested. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**
10. All completed applications must be received at the Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 by 5:30 pm on January 29, 2022 to be eligible for consideration. **NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED - BE SURE TO CONSIDER MAILING TIME!**
11. ALL INFORMATION SUBMITTED IN THE APPLICATION IS SOLELY FOR THE USE OF LINCOLN ELKS LODGE #80 SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE. Decisions made by the Committee are final and may not be appealed.
12. Winners will be notified by mail, and will also be posted on the General Academic Scholarship web page, by April 15, 2022. Winners are invited to be recognized at Youth Night ceremonies held at Southeast Community College on the evening of May 02, 2022.
13. Questions may be submitted via email to elkslodge80scholarship@gmail.com. **Please do not call the Lodge.**
14. Please DO NOT use an email address that is associated with the high school that you are currently attending.
15. Please write "Legacy" on the lower left corner of the envelope.



Laurie Montag, Chairperson

Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 Scholarship Committee