

**County Leitrim Society Scholarship Fund Committee**  
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Dear Member,

The Scholarship Fund Committee of the County Leitrim Society of New York is already preparing for the 2018 Scholarship awards. This will be our 47<sup>th</sup> year to make award presentations to children of paid up members.

To be eligible for the 2018 Scholarships, applicants must be a residents of the U.S. and a son or daughter of a paid up member for 2016, 2017 and 2018, (dues must be paid by April 15, 2018) and be attending Private Grammar School, Private High School or College.

The Committee will award the following scholarships:

- Three (3) Private Elementary/Grammar School Awards in the amount of \$500 each (one donated by the Scholarship Fund and one donated by The Detective Barney Ferguson Emerald Legacy Fund in memory of Barney Ferguson). This year Pat and Pidgie Murray are sponsoring a Grammar School Award in the amount of \$500.00 in memory of their grand-daughter, Aisling Cooke.
- One (1) Private High School Award in the amount of \$500 (The Richard Reynolds Award)
- Two (2) Private High School Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each
- Two (2) College Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each
- One (1) College Award in the amount of \$2,000. **Written essay required to apply for this award.** (Donated by the McKeon Family in memory of Barney and Olive McKeon)

Please see **Rules & Regulations attached** for complete application details.

The Scholarships are presented annually at our Scholarship Fund Mass/Dance which will take place on November 11th 2018. College Scholarships are awarded at Dance but distributed after presenting a transcript at the end of the first semester making period with a minimum of 12 earned credits in good academic standing.

Please complete and return the Scholarship Application to: Chairperson, Bernadette Dunleavy at the address above on or before April 15, 2018. Winners will be drawn at the May 2018 Meeting.

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**Scholarship Application 2018-2019 School Year**

( ) Private Elementary/Grammar School ( ) Private High School ( ) College ( ) College Essay

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in Sept. 2018 \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Member Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

Member Address \_\_\_\_\_

School Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Member Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Membership Card ( ) 2016 ( ) 2017 ( ) 2018

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Eligibility Verified by Chairperson \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION MUST BE POSTMARKED, OR RECEIVED IN HAND, BY APRIL 15, 2018**