

THE PETER WENTZ FARMSTEAD SOCIETY

SCHOLARSHIP

The Peter Wentz Farmstead Society invites you to apply for our annual academic Scholarship awards which are offered to graduating high school seniors who have served at least 40 hours as a volunteer at the Farmstead in the year prior to the scholarship award.

The award is based on your academic record, activities, leadership qualities and significant Farmstead volunteer hours as presented on this application. Two letters of recommendation from individuals who have worked with you are required: one from a teacher, coach or employer and the other from a Farmstead staff member. In addition, the completed application must be signed by your advisor or guidance counselor prior to submission. The required essay and grade transcript are an important part of the application.

The Scholarship Committee will review the applications; awards will be made at their discretion. The Committee's decision is final. Also, note that the recipient will be eligible to receive an award only once as an undergraduate.

Applications must be filled out completely and legibly. All required documentation must be attached. The applications are due by March 1 of each year.

Each scholarship will be available in the amount of \$1,000.00. The check will be made payable to the college or university that the recipient will attend.

Applications may be dropped off at the Farmstead or mailed to:

The Peter Wentz Farmstead Society
Att: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 679
Worcester, Pa. 19490-0679

**PETER WENTZ FARMSTEAD SOCIETY
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Name: Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Home Telephone Number: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

High School Attending: _____

Name of College/University Planning to Attend: _____

Intended Major: _____

Anticipated Entrance Date: _____

Name of two references (one must be a Farmstead staff member; see cover letter for details):
(Ask each person to attach a letter of recommendation; no evaluation forms please.)

Please respond to the following. If additional space is needed attach a separate sheet of paper.

ACADEMIC, EXTRACURRICULAR AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

| Activity | Date of Participation | Leadership Positions Held |
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AWARDS, HONORS AND ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Also attach a copy of your most recent grade transcript

PAID EMPLOYMENT AND/OR INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

REQUIRED ESSAY

Please respond to the following question limiting your essay to 500 words. The quality and content of your response is very important. (Attach your essay to the application)

Explain why you are interested in obtaining the Peter Wentz Farmstead Society's Scholarship award and how your association with the Farmstead has affected or influenced your understanding of American History and Early American Folk Life.

I affirm that the information on this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Student's Signature

Date

Advisor/Counselor Signature

