



LIST OR ATTACH A LIST OF YOUR BARLOW GRANGE ACTIVITIES, COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT, SCHOOL ACTIVITIES, CLUBS, OFFICES HELD, HONORS, AWARDS, WORK, ETC. (Please include dates of service and number of hours for each activity, listed.)

Grange Participation:

Community Service:

School Activities:

Work experiences:

**Note:** This application must be supplemented by a letter of application, current transcripts, and three current letters of recommendation for high school/trade school applicants OR one letter of recommendation for current college/university or trade school applicants.

**BARLOW GATE GRANGE**  
**LENORE WALTERS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

The Lenore Walters Scholarship is a scholarship awarded to a graduate of South Wasco County High School, a Barlow Gate Grange member or a close relative of a Barlow Gate Grange member, to defray part of the cost of their continuing education.

**HOW TO APPLY:**

The prospective scholarship recipient must write an original letter of application of not less than 50 words or more than 1,000 words stating the reasons the applicant believes they should receive the scholarship.

High School Applicants:

In addition to the original letter of application and the application form itself, the application package shall include three current letters of recommendation from adults acquainted with the candidate's qualifications and a copy of the candidate's transcript documenting his/her academic record. At least one of the letters of recommendation must be from a *current* teacher or school administrator acquainted with the candidate's academic performance.

Applicants currently in college/university or trade school:

In addition to the original letter of application and the application form itself, the application package shall include ONE current letter of recommendation from an adult acquainted with the applicant's academic **or** work related qualifications.

**DUE DATE FOR APPLICATION:**

Applications must be received no later than May 1, of each year. Scholarship will be awarded for the academic year beginning in the fall. The application package must be mailed to:

**Lenore Walters Scholarship, PO Box 145, Tygh Valley, OR 97063**

**HOW PAID:**

Scholarship winner/winners will receive a letter certifying the amount and terms of the award. The student must be enrolled and request the institutions registrar to notify the Barlow Gate Grange of the student's enrollment. Payment of the award will be sent directly to the institution.

**AWARD CRITERIA:**

The award will be based upon the completeness of the application package, the overall quality of the application letter including its use of language, correctness of spelling, general appearance, and most important of all the weight of the candidate's case in favor of an award. Secondly, the award will be based upon the student's record of academic achievement, the independent recommendations and the candidate's record of grange participation, community service, work record and leadership.

**SELECTION PROCESS:**

Each year the total amount of scholarship funds to be distributed will be determined by a Grange membership vote before the screening process begins. Applications will be judged by a screening committee appointed by the Barlow Gate Grange. No person whose relative is a scholarship candidate shall serve on the screening committee. Finalists will be selected by the screening committee and their names submitted to the Barlow Gate Grange Board for approval. The winners will be notified by mail.

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