



Scholarships

The MilVets Educational Foundation, Inc. is proud to offer scholarship opportunities throughout the year in support of the Central Ohio military community.

Scholarships are available to ROTC, JROTC, children and grandchildren of veterans, and veterans. Candidates must be residents of Central Ohio; which includes Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin, Licking, Madison, Pickaway and Union Counties.

For more information on MilVets, the annual Armed Forces Day Luncheon, or the Columbus Veterans Day Parade visit WWW MILVETSOHIO.ORG.

Direct any questions regarding MilVets scholarships to Pete Zoretic (ohiomilvets@gmail.org)

MilVets awards The Armed Forces Day ROTC/JROTC Scholarships - 2 scholarships at \$1,000 each for ROTC and 3 scholarships at \$1,000 each for JROTC. **Awarded annually at the Armed Forces Day Luncheon in May.**

Purpose: To provide scholarships for freshman and sophomore college students in the ROTC and high school seniors in the JROTC programs.

Criteria: Must be able to verify status as an enrolled college student in a ROTC program (freshman or sophomore only) or high school senior in a JROTC program. Each applicant must submit proof of grade point average of 2.0 or higher and a 500-word, type-written, double-spaced essay on "Why I want a Higher Education". The essay will be on plain white, 8 1/2" by 11" paper.

IMPORTANT-The school counselor or ROTC commander must sign, date, and provide their phone number in order to verify the student's enrollment status and GPA.

Date due: Must be received by May 1st.

MilVets awards The Veterans Day Scholarship - 5 scholarship at \$1,000 to a veteran or their child or grandchild. The scholarship is awarded annually at the City of Columbus' ceremony preceding the annual Veterans Day parade (held in November). **Recipients will be a guest in the Veterans Day parade.**

Purpose: To provide scholarship to veterans or their children or grandchildren.

Criteria: Must be to able to verify status as a veteran or dependent of a veteran by providing a DD Form 214, Report of Separation, and if applicable, a written explanation of relationship to service member. Additionally, each applicant must submit proof of grade point average of 2.0 or higher (from High School and/or College). Must submit a 500-word, type-written, double-spaced essay on "Why I want a Higher Education". The essay will be on plain white, 8 1/2" by 11" paper. The school counselor must sign, date, and provide their phone number in the "Remarks" section of the application verifying the student's enrollment status and GPA.

Date due: Application must be received by November 1st.

The Ron Rosser "Best of the Best" ROTC Scholarship - 1 \$1,000 scholarship awarded to the outstanding freshman or sophomore ROTC candidate who best exemplifies the criteria below. **Awarded at the Armed Forces Day Luncheon.**

Purpose: Ron Rosser received our nation's highest honor, the Medal of Honor, for his actions during the Korean War. This scholarship is given in his name to support exceptional ROTC recipients in their educational goals.

Criteria: Sponsored by Prudential Financial, the ROTC student who receives this prestigious award exemplifies the following: Unwavering and relentless commitment to duty, honor, and country through future military service, the pursuit of higher academic achievement, and to improve our country as a future leader.

The recipient will be chosen from the applicants of the ROTC submitted scholarships.

If there are no applicants that fit all requirements of this award, none will be awarded. Commanding Officer and staff endorsements are highly encouraged.

Date due: Application must be received by May 1st .

- Past recipients of a MilVets scholarship are not eligible for additional scholarship awards
- The award is paid as a one-time lump sum to the school for the benefit of the recipient
- JROTC Scholarship recipients who begin college must contact MilVets upon school acceptance in order to provide bursar/college enrollment information

Any applications submitted without the appropriate supporting documentation will not be considered.

Submit Application to: MILVETS Scholarship Committee
Post Office Box 311
Worthington, Ohio 43085
Or
(614)785-9002 FAX or ohiomilvets@gmail.org

Scholarship Application

Name (First, Middle, Last): _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____

County, State & Zip: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

ROTC/JROTC Program School: _____

Commander: _____

JROTC - College/University You Plan to Attend: _____

Major: _____

Student ID (funds will be sent to bursar to be placed in your account): _____

Bursar Contact: _____

List Other Scholarships You Have Been Awarded (source, amount): _____

GPA: _____

School counselor or ROTC Commander: _____

Signature _____

Phone Number _____

Date _____

All applications submitted without the appropriate supporting documentation will not be considered. Review the requirements for the scholarship you are applying.

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