



GREINER/ROOF MEMORIAL LAW SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

THIS SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE AWARDED TO AN APPLICANT WHO HAS BEEN ACCEPTED TO OR IS IN ATTENDANCE OF AN ACCREDITED LAW SCHOOL. CANDIDATE MUST MAINTAIN THEIR PRIMARY RESIDENCE IN ELK OR CAMERON COUNTY OR BE A GRADUATE OF ONE OF THE FIVE HIGH SCHOOLS LOCATED IN THE TWO COUNTIES. A PROPOSED RECIPIENT'S ACADEMIC STANDING AND ACHIEVEMENT, PARTICIPATION IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND GENERAL LIFE EXPERIENCE WILL BE CONSIDERED.

*All scholarship applications must be received at the Elk County Community Foundation office no later than **March 1**. Please mail, fax or email your application to the Elk County Community Foundation. There will be no exceptions. The Scholarship Selection Committee, appointed by the Board of Directors of the Elk County Community Foundation, will select the scholarship recipient.*

THE GREINER/ROOF SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Greiner/Roof Memorial Law Scholarship was created in memory of the Honorable Paul B. Greiner and the Honorable Vernon D. Roof, past President Judges of the 59th Judicial District of Pennsylvania. Judge Greiner served as President Judge from 1964 until 1986, after which he served as a senior judge until his death at age 83 in 1999. Judge Roof's tenure on the bench was much shorter, as he served as President Judge from 1996 until 2002, when he died at age 51. Both Judge Greiner and Judge Roof were respected and renowned as fair and impartial jurists not only in Elk and Cameron Counties, but throughout the Commonwealth.

TERMS FOR SCHOLARSHIP

The committee will grant the **GREINER/ROOF MEMORIAL LAW scholarship** as instructed. The selection of students to receive scholarship grants shall be made by the committee without regard to race, religion or sex of the applicants or their political perspectives. The committee will not place restrictions upon a candidate's choice of college or university.

The committee shall require, prior to the disbursement of any scholarship, proof that the scholarship recipient is actually enrolled as a student at the educational institution for which the grant is made, and all scholarship grants shall be paid only to the education institution attended by the recipient and never directly to the recipient. This grant covers tuition, fees, and books for the applicable Fall, Winter, or Spring quarter. If you have any questions contact the Foundation at 814-834-2125.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE:

*Elk County Community Foundation
Box 934, St. Marys PA 15857
eccf@elkcountyfoundation.org or Fax 814 834-2126*

Educational Information:

High School _____
Name Year Graduated

Undergraduate College or University you attended.

Name of college or university

Major Field of Study _____ G.P.A. _____ Year Graduated _____

Law School:

Have you applied to law school? Y N

Have you been accepted? Y N

Semester of law school next fall? _____

Intended Enrollment Status: Full Time Part Time

FIRST YEAR LAW STUDENTS, PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR ACCEPTANCE LETTER. IF ACCEPTANCE LETTER IS RECEIVED AFTER APPLICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED, MAIL OR FAX A COPY OF THE ACCEPTANCE LETTER TO THE ELK COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION.

Name of Law School you are attending or will attended.

Anticipated or Graduation Date: _____
MM / YYYY

ATTACHMENTS:

- Include an official law school or undergraduate transcript with this application.
- Include a short essay (200-250 words) discussing why you have chosen the field of law. The essay should be written with 1 ½ inch spacing, margins justified, and 12-point font in Times New Roman. Check for neatness, spelling and structure.
- Provide a letter of recommendation from an educator, community or business leader with personal familiarity of the applicant.
- Please attach an activity resume that highlights all of your activities in the sectors of school and community and any honors and/or awards you have received.

**Please enter your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) number that can be found on the top of your Student Aid Report (SAR), which is generated after completing your Free Application for Federal Student Aid Form (FAFSA) on the line provided:

I attest that all personal data included within this application is truthful and in no way misleading. All contents have been completed entirely by myself to the best of my knowledge.

If I am selected as a recipient of an Elk County Community Foundation scholarship, I agree to permit the Foundation to confer with my school to verify my continuing enrollment during the term of my scholarship. I also agree that my name and photograph can be used in announcements made by the Elk County Community Foundation regarding the particular scholarship(s) for which I have been awarded.

Awards may be used at any accredited, nonprofit college or university within the United States.

Signature of Applicant

Date