



LITPC YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM GUIDELINES FOR PIN TRADING CLUBS



1. Application forms and information will be posted on the LITPC website. Identical information will be published in the first LITPC bulletin of the year. Successive bulletins will contain directions to download the Scholarship Application from the LITPC website.
2. It is recommended that each pin trading club establish a Scholarship Committee of at least three members in addition to a chairperson.
3. In areas or multiple districts without a pin trading club, members are encouraged to establish a Scholarship Committee of at least three members and a chairperson. When the Committee is established, please inform LITPC Secretary Lana McCaulley at: lanakmccaulley@gmail.com
4. Guidelines will be released or can be downloaded from the LITPC website.
5. All pin trading clubs will be encouraged to post applications and scholarship information in their bulletins and on their websites. Also, please post scholarship information in your various sub-district bulletins and websites.
6. It will be the responsibility of pin trading clubs to share scholarship information with Leo Clubs in their states/multiple districts.
7. Completed applications will be processed through state and/or multiple district pin trading clubs. In states/areas that do not establish a Scholarship Committee, applications should be sent to the nearest pin trading club as listed on the LITPC website. <http://www.litpc.org/PinTradingClubsPins.html>
8. Each pin trading club may submit two applications to LITPC from their area and two applications from a state/area that does not have a pin trading club.
9. Each pin trading club may designate its own deadline date for the acceptance of applications. A deadline of March 1, 2018 is recommended.
10. Scholarship Chairpersons are encouraged NOT to wait until the last minute to submit scholarship applications to their committee for judging. When 20 or more applications are received, send an equal number of applications to committee members to start prioritizing those they feel are the best applications. Immediately after your deadline EACH committee member can submit their top application to the chairperson. The committee then can select the top two applications to be sent to Lion Lana McCaulley, LITPC Secretary, 12 Fieldstone Drive, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050-1725 by April 15, 2018.
11. Scholarship applications may be duplicated; however, applications which have been altered in any way will not be accepted by the LITPC.
12. The Secretary of the LITPC Scholarship Committee will accept applications postmarked on or before April 15, 2018. The Secretary will select an LITPC Board Member to review all applications for compliance.
13. The LITPC Scholarship Committee will evaluate all applications. Each Scholarship Committee member will evaluate all applications using a point system to determine the scholarship winner.
14. The scholarship winner will be announced at the Annual Meeting of the LITPC.



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**EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
APPLICATION 2017-2018 ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR**



Name of Applicant _____

List name and address of the college or institution of higher learning you will be attending. Attach a copy of the letter of acceptance if available.

Name of Institution _____

Address: _____

Number/Street	City	State	Zip
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Phone No. _____

I acknowledge that the information I have provided is truthful, honest, and is to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any misrepresentation of the information provided in this form constitutes complete and unconditional rejection of this scholarship application.

I am willing to write a brief report of my academic progress at the end of the school year upon request. I understand this scholarship will be used for tuition, fees, and books only and I agree to this use.

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

The completed application should be sent to the local pin trading club or scholarship committee by March 1 for regional evaluation.

The winning regional applications for the 2017-2018 school year must be postmarked on or before April 15, 2018 and mailed to **Lion Lana McCaulley, LITPC Secretary, 12 Fieldstone Drive, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050-1725.**

A scholarship in the amount of \$2,500 (US funds) will be awarded . A check in this amount will be issued in the name of the student at completion of the their first semester

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⇒ In 350 words or less write a personal essay of introduction stating your present and future goals.

⇒ In 350 words or less tell how your participation in a community service activity affected you.



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⇒ In 350 words or less briefly describe reasons for applying for this scholarship including, but not limited to financial need and extraordinary circumstance in family finances.

⇒ In 350 words or less list any awards, achievements, sports activities or positions held during high schools years.



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⇒ What scholarships have you been offered ? (Name, Amount and Duration).