March 5, 2024

Dear Student Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in applying for the Leonard H.A. Franz Scholarship offered by the Plumas Association of REALTORS®.

Following are the criteria on which the Plumas Association of REALTORS® Scholarship Committee will evaluate your application:

- 40% on academic record
- 10% on school activities
- 10% on community service
- 10% on work experience (paid or unpaid)
- 15% on personal statement
- 15% on member of a PAR REALTOR® family

Six monetary awards will be given to a six **graduating seniors planning to attend a two-year or four-year college or vocational/technical school**.

NEW THIS YEAR: One scholarship will be dedicated to an applicant (from any of the five high schools) that will be attending a **trade/technical or vocational school.** The other five scholarships will be awarded to one student from each of five schools/community areas. Applicants must have attended **Quincy, Portola, Chester, Greenville, or Loyalton High School**, or the affiliated Charter or Christian schools in those communities for at least four (4) semesters (junior and senior year). Applicants must have a 3.0 or above grade point for their high school average. Applicants should provide a log of hours and activities to support their community service and work experience (paid or unpaid) activities.

In an effort to be totally impartial, the Scholarship Committee wishes to review all qualifications of applicants without associating names with the applications. Therefore, you are requested to indicate your name, address, and other pertinent information on the last page of the Scholarship Application where indicated. (If needed, our staff will amend your parts of your application to hide your name.)

Please return the Scholarship Application **as a PDF or Word Doc only** to the Plumas Association of REALTORS® via email to ae@plumasrealtors.com. **Applications must be received by email by May 1, 2024. Do not mail applications; no late applications will be accepted.**

If you have any questions with regard to any of the above information, please contact Suzi Brakken, Association Executive, at 283-2961 or ae@plumasrealtors.com.

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1. Name and location of school you will attend and date you plan to enroll:

   _____

2. Indicate the type of school by checking one of the following:

   ____Private University   ____State University   ____Community College

   ____Vocational/Technical/Trade School or Other _____)

3. What course of study do you plan to pursue? _____

4. Submit a copy of your most recent transcript *including grades 9 through first semester of senior year* with grade point average. (Transcripts do not need to be signed.)

5. Please submit one letter of recommendation from a member of the community or employer. *Do not use school personnel.*

6. **Using three (3) separate pages** headed **Community Service**, **Work Experience**, and **School Activities**, please list and include a log of these activities with dates and time spent (hours) as appropriate. Please list employer name, job title and duties. School Activities should include a list of offices held and/or awards received.

7. Check box and complete, if applicable.

   ☐ I am related to a REALTOR® or staff member of the Plumas Association of REALTORS® or an employee of a PAR member brokerage.

   Name/relation of REALTOR® or employee: _____

8. On a separate page headed **Personal Statement**, please provide a brief (250-500 words) personal statement/profile of your background and a statement about your goals and future plans. Please double-space this document. Activities might include student government, clubs and athletics, work experience, etc.

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1. Name, email address, phone number and mail address of applicant:

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2. Name, email address, phone number and mail address of parent or guardian:

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3. Name of attended high school: _____

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The scholarship funds will be paid in full upon verification of college/technical school enrollment.