

# Rudy and Patti Hein Memorial Scholarship - 2022

Presented by The Shoemaker Foundation

The Rudy and Patti Hein Memorial Scholarship was created to encourage students to seek and achieve continuing education at any university, college or vocational/technical school. This scholarship will be awarded on a competitive (merit) and need basis to eligible applicants.

#### Amount and Distribution of Award

The maximum scholarship award is \$10,000 per student, distributed equally over four years or as a one-time distribution (depending on the amount of the award) and distributed as long as the recipient is working toward the successful completion of a qualified program or for four years, whichever is shorter. Scholarship funds can be used only for tuition and other expenses paid directly to the university, college, or school.

# Scholarship Match and "Full Ride" Opportunity for Students Attending CWU

The Shoemaker Foundation has entered into an agreement under which Central Washington University will match scholarship dollars awarded to local students. The Rudy and Patti Hein Memorial Scholarship is matched by CWU up to \$2,500 per year.

In addition, in partnership with Upper Kittitas County Rotary and Central Washington University, a graduating senior may be awarded a "full ride" scholarship covering tuition for four years. All applicants will be considered for this award, and no additional application is necessary.

### **Eligibility Requirements**

- 1. Graduating in 2022 from an Upper Kittitas County high school. Home-schooled students also eligible.
- 2. Must meet admission requirements of college or vocational/technical school in order for scholarship funds to be disbursed.
- 3. Must plan to complete a program leading to a terminal degree, a certificate, or a professionally recognized designation in a field of study.
- 4. Must plan to enroll in a qualified program on a full-time basis.
- 5. Must demonstrate the following qualities: character, citizenship, academic ability, leadership and self-reliance.

### **How to Apply**

1. Turn in a completed application (including all supporting materials) at Shoemaker Manufacturing no later than **Wednesday**, **April 6**, **2022**. If the application is mailed, it must be post marked by this deadline in order to qualify for the scholarship. Please mail to:

Shoemaker Foundation Attn: Claire Nicholls 104 Montgomery Avenue Cle Elum, WA 98922

- 2. A completed application and supporting materials will include the following:
  - a. Copy of completed "CERHS General Scholarship Application Form"



- b. Copy of high school transcript
- c. Three letters of recommendation:
  - i. Educational (example: a teacher or other professional at school)
  - ii. Personal (examples: a current or former employer; a parent of a friend)
  - iii. Extracurricular (examples: a current or former coach; a current or former employer; someone from your church employer)
- d. Essay #1 A copy of the Personal Essay as requested in the "CERHS General Scholarship Application Form"
- e. Essay #2 In a page or less, please tell us how the scholarship would help you meet your goals and why we should invest in you.
- f. Essay #3 The Shoemaker values are Integrity, Dedication, Respect, Team and Solution-Oriented. Please visit our website to learn more about each value:

  http://www.shoemakermfg.com/About-Us/Values. In approximately one to three pages, tell us how you've demonstrated these values in your life. Be specific. Give examples. If you started your own company, what would your core values be? Why?
- 3. Easton, home-schooled, and other Upper Kittitas County graduates should also use the "CERHS General Scholarship Application Form," and will be given equal consideration for scholarships. Your transcript will identify you as graduating from a high school other than Cle Elum-Roslyn.

#### **Selection Process**

Upon receipt of application, the selection committee will review applications and may request a live interview. Candidates will be notified of a request for interview in a timely manner. All applicants will be notified of the selection committee's decision regarding their application in late April to mid-May.

## **Terms and Conditions of Scholarship**

- 1. Recipient must continually meet eligibility requirements of university, college, or vocational/technical school in order to receive scholarship funds.
- 2. For renewable scholarships (scholarships for more than one year), recipient must provide a copy of transcript after each academic year completed and a proposed course schedule for the following quarter or semester. This information can be emailed to <a href="mailto:melissabecker@shoemakermfg.com">melissabecker@shoemakermfg.com</a> or mailed to the following address:

The Shoemaker Foundation Attn: Claire Nicholls 104 Montgomery Avenue Cle Elum, WA 98922

### **Payment of Award**

Shoemaker Foundation scholarship awards should not be used to replace any state or federal grants (e.g., Pell grants) a student receives. Students who are eligible for Pell grants or similar awards must apply and must notify Shoemaker Foundation if such grant is awarded.

Payments will be made directly to the educational institution and will be prorated by the institution according to the guarter or semester schedule.