

DeWitt Business Scholarship 2010

The DeWitt business scholarship fund will award 2 separate \$500 scholarships to college bound students from the greater DeWitt area. This award is being made to help promote the pursuit of higher education for students concentrating on business and entrepreneurship. The scholarship has been created by local business people who donated product and services that were auctioned off during DeWitt's Annual Christmas Market. The men and women that generously donated in good faith knowing that this would enable a deserving student to pursue a dream of owning and operating his/her own business one day. It is our desire as a group that we give back to the community which we do business in. Thus enabling growth and prosperity to a youth project such as this.

The following businesses & civic groups contributed making this scholarship possible.

Twiggies, Santorini Salon, DeWitt Millennium Garden Club, Inspired Home, Biggby, Panther Pause, True Value, P.J.'s Automotive, National City (PNC) Bank, Hair Drop, DeWitt Computer Center, DeWitt Auto Body, DeWitt Pharmacy, Bridge St. Hair Co., Sam's Kitchen, Madar Law, Old Country Caters, DeWitt Therapeutic.

Eligibility Criteria

College bound student for the fall of 2010

2.5 GPA or better

Must want to pursue business and entrepreneurship.

Must have demonstrated outstanding achievements in school and community activities, with meaningful work and experiences.

Must have acceptance from college. (please include where you will be going to school)

A concept of business practice with work experience.

DeWitt Business Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Reference: _____

Title: _____

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School Activities

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Work Experience

- _____
- _____
- _____
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Please address the following topics in a typewritten essay not less than 500 words.

- Why are you applying for this award?
- Why do you feel you meet the criteria?
- What are your business aspirations?
- What makes you feel that you are going to make a good entrepreneur & business person?
- How will you give back to the community that you do business in?
- What type of business do you want to pursue?
- Business is about how you think and being creative to solve problems quickly and efficiently, how you think is what will enable you to resolve problems that may arise in business, what life experiences might have contributed to your ability to do so?
- Please include any other information that may help to determine you are the best candidate for this scholarship.

Submit your information no later than March 1, 2010. You may mail the application and information or drop it off during business hours of Monday – Friday 10 am to 5 pm and Saturday 10 am to 2 pm.

Twiggies
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