2017 Community Scholarships

Please note that the scholarship amounts and/or number of scholarships may be subject to change after the review process. All scholarships are worth at least \$500.

American Legion Citizenship Scholarship, awarded by Park City American Legion Post 14 - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Citizenship and community service
- Include recommendation letter

Bill Brown Service Above Self, awarded by Park City Sunrise Rotary - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Leadership
 - o Involvement with civic organizations and/or clubs
 - o Top 1/3 of class
- Include recommendation letter

Bill Hunke Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Must have an interest in pursuing studies and a career in music
 - o 3.0 GPA or higher

Bob Wells/ Mountainlands Community Housing Trust Award - 3 scholarships for \$1,000 each

"Celebrating the spirit of Bob Wells' vision of an inclusionary community and expanding its future through the next generation"

- Criteria:
 - Special preference is given to students living in affordable housing built by Mountainlands Community Housing Trust, including: Washington Mills, Holiday Village Apartments, The Line Condominiums, Parkside Apartments, Woods of Parley's Lane or in the alternative living in affordable apartments or deed restricted units.
 - Please list what affordable or deed-restricted property you live in
 - Has at least one year community or extracurricular involvement
 - o Have a 2.0 or higher GPA
- Include recommendation letter

Chris Maddux Award, awarded by the PTSO - 1 scholarship for \$750

- Criteria:
 - Major in a branch of film studies
 - o Top 25% of class
- Include recommendation letter

David Chaplin Memorial Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - o Plan on pursuing art in college and going into the art field
 - o Include portfolio of artwork

Debbie Bessembinder Scholarship, awarded by Booster Club – 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Involved in the same activity for two for more years (PCHS extracurricular activities or performing art); shows commitment
 - Must indicate on essay what extracurricular participation has done for them and what they hope to attain with education after high school in pursuing their passion in sports, the arts or comment professions and how \$500 would help them.
 - o Include any experience outside high school relating to your activities
- Include recommendation letter.

Delta Families Scholarship - Number of scholarships and amount awarded (TBD)

- Criteria:
 - o Family member must work for Delta Airlines

Der Forst Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$2,000

"Outstanding Community Service"

- Criteria:
 - Active participation in faith
 - Outstanding community service
 - o GPA at least 2.5 un-weighted or 3.13 weighted
 - An essay which describes a demonstration of integrity, sacrifice, forgiveness, responsibility, virtue, respect, compassion, volunteerism, and grown in character

Future Educator Award, awarded by the PTSO - 1 scholarship for \$750

- Criteria:
 - Student going on to a teaching career
 - o Top 50% of class
- Include recommendation letter

Gallery MAR Scholarship- 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Attending art school
 - This scholarship cannot be deferred, must be attending college fall
 2017
- Include recommendation letter

Hal Smith Award, awarded by the PTSO - 1 scholarship for \$750

- Criteria:
 - Well rounded student
 - o Top 25% of class
 - o Involved in a sport/community service

Halsey Family Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - o For a male student

I love Boston Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

"For a student attending school in the Boston area"

- Criteria:
 - o Explain why you think you will love Boston

IBI Group Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - For a student pursuing a degree in architecture, landscape architecture or urban planning.
 - o Interest in sustainability
 - Financial need

Jeremy Ranch Golf and CC Ladies Golf Association Scholarship – 2 scholarships for \$1,500 each

- Criteria:
 - o Short Essay: "How has golf made a difference in my life?"
 - o 3.0 GPA
 - o Participation on the PCHS Girls Golf Team
- Include recommendation letter

John Provines and Family Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Financial need
 - Involved in athletics (prefer skiing or tennis)

Kurt "Buzz" Peterson Memorial Scholarship Fund- 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Interested in pursing career in the field (firefighter, paramedic, taken EMT class etc.)
 - Financial Need

Lala G. Martinez Memorial Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Speaks a language other than English at home
 - o Future teacher
 - o Interested in a 4 year degree
 - Has completed at least two years in an LIA program

Leadership Class XX Creative Writing Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

"Scholarship to a student who has demonstrated a proficiency in creative writing"

- Criteria:
 - o GPA over 3.5
 - o Provide a sample of student's creative writing
- Include recommendation letter (letter from past or present teacher affirming creative writing ability)

Live PC Give PC - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria: (Flexible)
 - Please explain how you are involved in the local community and how you plan to get involved in your college campus community.

Maak Miliken Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Student must speak English as alternative language
 - o Financial need
 - Working hard in school

Mountain Valley Stone Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - o First generation college or trade student
 - A student who plans to pursue education in a construction management or a construction related field (for example: engineering or architecture) or acquire construction skills in a trade program (masonry, plumbing, electrical, framing, etc.)
- Include recommendation letter

National Honor Society Scholarship - Number of scholarships and amount awarded (TBD)

Criteria: (Flexible)

- Students that have worked hard in school
- o Give back to the community in some way
- o Possibly someone who has turned their life around

On Top Roofing Business Scholarship - 3 scholarships for \$1000 each

- Criteria:
 - o 3.5 GPA (Flexible)
 - o Pursue Business as major
 - Involved in sports
- Include recommendation letter

On Top Solar Sustainability Scholarship - 3 scholarships for \$1,000 each

"For students that can demonstrate an interest in a sustainable future"

- Criteria
 - o 3.5 GPA
 - o Attending college with interest in renewable energy and sustainability
- Include recommendation letter

Oscar Wedegaertner Memorial Scholarship - 3 scholarships for \$1,000 each

"Named for a man who volunteered in all levels of public education: K-college level. To reward outstanding academic achievement"

- Criteria: You can apply for this scholarship if you meet one or more of the following criteria.
 - The Thomas family will award a \$1,000 scholarship for each of the following:
 - 1. **Music Scholarship-** A student who participated in HS band, orchestra or choir for at least 3 years
 - 2. **Public School-** A student attending a public school in Utah
 - 3. **First Generation-** A first generation college attendee (can apply even if a cousin or sibling attended college).

Painters Scholarship - Number of scholarships and amount awarded (TBD)

- Criteria: (Flexible)
 - Possibly pursuing working in the trades
 - Individuals who have had to overcome physical, emotional or learning obstacles.

Park City Area Restaurant Association Culinary Arts Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Explain how you became interested in pursuing a career in the culinary arts field
- Include recommendation letter

Park City Artists Memorial Scholarship, awarded by Park City Professional Artists Association (PCPAA) - 1 scholarship for \$3,000

- Criteria:
 - o Must be entering into an art school or college art degree program
 - o Provide 5 images of your work on a disc for review
 - Answer the question, "why do you want to become an artist?"
- Include recommendation letter

Park City Bar Association - 2 scholarships for \$1,000 each

- Criteria:
 - o Will pursue law as a career or in related field
 - Upper one-half of class
 - Extracurricular activities in debate or mock trial

Park City Board of Education Award - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Upper ½ of class
 - Well-rounded student

Park City Board of Realtors Philanthropic Foundation – 3 scholarships for \$2,500 each

- Criteria:
 - A student who has not received a scholarship (or enough) for the schools they are applying for to date
 - Good grade point average and involved in the community
 - Well-rounded student
 - Demonstrate unique efforts and abilities and possibly not recognized for those efforts and abilities
 - May have family struggles that could keep them from not being able to attend a college or trade school, i.e. single parent, etc.
- Include recommendation letter

Park City Book Club Scholarship for Life-long Readers - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Student should have a strong passion for books and a commitment to keep reading as a vital part of their life-long education.

Park City Education Association (PCEA) Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Awarded to a the child of a current or former PCEA member in good standing
- Include recommendation letter

Park City Education Foundation School and Community Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - A student that has volunteer or service experiences in the community or schools.

Park City High School Alumni Entrepreneur Scholarship - 3 scholarships for \$500 each

- Criteria/ Description:
 - This scholarship is meant for students who take ideas and turn them into action. We are seeking applicants who demonstrate leadership, creativity and hard work through their personal and community interactions.

Park City Rotary Club Scholarship - 1-10 scholarships worth a total of \$10,000

- Criteria:
 - Preferably a member of Interact Club, but will also look at member in other civic organizations/ clubs if no Interact Club member applies or fits the criteria
 - Meaningful community service/ volunteer work and show a desire to continuing service
 - o GPA over 3.4

Park City Women's Business Network – 8-10 scholarships worth a total of \$18,000

- Criteria:
 - For a female student who displays leadership qualities in their studies or sports
 - Has financial need to pay for college
 - o Participates in part-time work
 - Has participated in community service or volunteer activities
 - An in person interview may be part of this selection process (Ms. Briley will contact you if selected to interview)
- Include recommendation letter

Pilzer Social Entrepreneurship Scholarship, awarded by the Pilzer Family – 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Plans to pursue a career involving Social Entrepreneurship –Doing Well by Doing Good
 - o GPA 3.5 or higher
 - Essay describing why you are seeking a career with both purpose and profit and are the best qualified to receive this award.

Prettner Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Interested in space science or aviation career

Resilience Award, awarded by the PTSO - 1 scholarship for \$750

- Criteria:
 - o A student who has experienced hardship or obstacles in their life

RJ Masonry Scholarship Award - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - o First generation college or trade student
 - A student who plans to pursue education in a construction management or a construction related field (for example: engineering or architecture) or acquire construction skills in a trade program (masonry, plumbing, electrical, framing, etc.)
- Include recommendation letter

Salem Family Scholarship - 1-2 scholarships for a total of \$1,800

- Criteria:
 - o Financial Need
 - o 1st generation (Parents were not born in the US)
 - Excellence in and focus on STEM fields
- Include recommendation letter.

School Mission, awarded by the Counseling Department - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Student must hold the values of the school mission (Practice integrity, strive for academic excellence, and build an inclusive community)

Sea to Ski Properties Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - o Minimum GPA 3.2
 - Must plan to attend college in the fall 2017
 - Must have financial need
- Include recommendation letter

Swire Coca Cola Scholarship - 2 scholarships for \$500 each

- Criteria: (Flexible)
 - o Preference given to students involved in community service

Teri Whitney Hospitality and Tourism Scholarship Opportunity Fund, awarded by Park City Area Lodging Association - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Critieria:
 - Student pursuing hospitality and or tourism
- Include recommendation letter

The Carolyn Rebholz Counselor Impact Award - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - o Hispanic
 - o Attending any college, community college or trade school
 - Short Essay: Write an essay detailing your relationship and how your counselor or teacher made an impact on your high school career.
- Include recommendation letter

The Gribbin Social Justice Award - 1 scholarship for \$500

"A contribution to social, environmental, economic or racial issues"

- Criteria:
 - o Helped promote social, environmental, economic or racial justice
 - o Priority given to non-traditional, artistic, other centered students
- Include recommendation letter

The Park City UPS Stores - 2 scholarships for \$1,000 each

- Criteria: (Flexible)
 - General application

The Patti Volla Excellence in Art Scholarship, awarded by friends, family and past students - Scholarship amount TBD

- Criteria:
 - Current PCHS art students interested in pursuing art in college
- Include recommendation letter

The Ryan Mitchell Memorial Music Scholarship - Scholarship amount TBD

"Established to honor Ryan's memory and his love of music"

Tom DeLeone Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

"Mr. DeLeone was an individual who achieved significant accomplishments in his life to include sport, public service, family and community; and gave selflessly of his time and energy to the Park City High School Sports Program."

- Criteria:
 - Participation in a Park City interscholastic sports program at the varsity level.
 - o Demonstrate dedication to the concept of Teamwork.
 - Demonstrate commitment to the ideals of Sportsmanship and Fair Play.
 - Demonstrate dedication and determination to their sport regardless of their level of competency and notoriety.

Trailside Elementary PTO Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria:
 - Student graduated from Trailside Elementary
 - Write an essay (minimum 500 words) about a teacher or experience at Trailside Elementary School that made a difference in your life. Use specific examples and describe how that Trailside person or event changed your life for the better. Make sure to edit your work carefully. Judges will not give consideration to essays with excessive grammar, spelling or punctuation errors.
- Include recommendation letter

Ultimate Miner, awarded by the Booster Club – 1 scholarship for \$1,000 This award also includes a brick paver and the winner's name engraved on a trophy.

- Criteria:
 - For the student athlete that have lettered in three or more sports including but not limited to those sanctioned by UHSAA
 - Involved in same sport for 2 or more years (they do not need to be consecutive years)
 - o Maintained 3.0 GPA
 - Include any experience outside of high school relating to your activities
 - Brief essay addressing the above criteria and why you are best qualified to receive this scholarship
- Letter of recommendation

Ultimate Renaissance Award, awarded by the Booster Club – 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Geared towards the more well-rounded student
 - Recipient receives \$1,000 scholarship plus name engraved on a trophy and on a brick pave placed on the "Pathway to Excellence"
 - Applicant must demonstrate Academic achievement (GPA, test scores, Honors/AP Classes etc.)
 - Applicant must demonstrate participant in extracurricular activities i.e. athletics, performing arts, student body etc. and community service
 - Applicant must maintain above a 3.0 GPA
 - Brief Essay: Addressing the above criteria and why you are best qualified to receive this scholarship
- Letter of recommendation

Walsh Photographic Design Award – 2 scholarships for \$500 each (1 for a female student and 1 for a male student)

- Criteria:
 - o GPA 3.0 or higher (un-weighted)
 - o Varsity sport participation in at least their junior and senior years
 - o Community Service involvement
 - Leadership in school, church or civic or academic extracurricular activity
 - Essay: Balancing activity and school and the benefits you see being engaged in high school
- Letter of recommendation

Wasatch Pediatrics Summit Office Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$500

- Criteria: (flexible)
 - Please complete the general scholarship application

Will Lovell III Memorial Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$2,000

- Criteria:
 - o A Jazz Band student interested in studying music, specifically jazz
 - This student should exhibit a passion for jazz music as observed by band director/s.
- Include Recommendation letter

Wrona DuBois Scholarship - 1 scholarship for \$1,000

- Criteria:
 - Show financial need for assistance
 - o Preference given to a diverse student
- Include Recommendation letter

Youth Sports Alliance (YSA) Scholar Athlete Award - 2 scholarships for \$3,000 each

- Criteria:
 - o 3.5 GPA or higher
 - 3 of the last 4 years in a YSA member program (Figure Skating Club of Park City, Park City Ice Miners, Park City Ski Team, Park City Skating Club, Summit Ski Team, Team Park City United, G-Force Bobsled and Skeleton, Fly Freestyle, Park City Nordic Club, Wasatch Luge Club)
 - An in person interview will be part of this selection process (Ms. Briley will contact you if selected to interview)
- Include 2 Recommendation letters (1 teacher and 1 coach)