

MILL CITY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT  
CLYDE E. GOLDEN  
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

The Mill City Volunteer Fire Department has established a college scholarship fund to encourage further education in the fire and medical field. The fund was established in memory of Clyde E. Golden, a Mill City Volunteer who died in the line of duty on June 27, 1982.

Clyde was a Charter Member who joined the department in 1939 and served 43 years as a fire fighter. Positions held during his 43-year membership were chief, assistant chief, captain, volunteer president, vice-president, treasurer, secretary, public information officer and was a noted drillmaster that devoted much of his time working with young volunteers.

The annual \$600.00 scholarship will be supplied through the Mill City Volunteer Fire Department. The scholarship will be available to Santiam High School seniors and alumni attending college. Selection of scholarship winners will be based on scholarship, leadership, participation in school activities, service to the community, attitude towards education, an interview, essay, resourcefulness, financial need and fire department cadet status.

Anyone interested in applying for this scholarship may pick up an application at Santiam High School or the Mill City Fire Hall. The Mill City Fire Hall office hours are 9 a.m. until noon, Monday through Thursday. All applications should be placed in a sealed envelope and addressed to the Mill City Volunteer Fire Department Scholarship Committee. All applications must be completed and turned in by May 31. The Clyde E. Golden Scholarship winner will be notified by mail and an award certificate will be presented at the Senior Graduation ceremonies. Any questions should be directed to the Mill City Volunteer Fire Department Scholarship Committee Chairman by calling the Mill City Fire Hall at 503-897-2390.

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### **I. ORIGIN AND HISTORY**

The Clyde E. Golden Scholarship award was established in memory of Clyde E. Golden, a Mill City Volunteer Fireman, who died in the line of duty. Clyde was a noted Drill Master who devoted much of his time to Fire Training.

### **II. PURPOSE**

To encourage further education in the Fire and Medical Field is the purpose of this scholarship.

### **III. ELECTION COMMITTEE CRITERIA**

- A. This scholarship is an annual scholarship and will be awarded at the graduation ceremonies.
- B. Scholarship amount to a single individual is \$600.00 per year.
- C. The committee consists of a panel of five volunteers, and their selection will be final.
- D. The election committee should base their preliminary selection on scholarship application information. Graduating seniors and individuals who are in a Fire Department Cadet Program will have priority.

### **IV. FUND ALLOWANCE AND DISPERSAL**

- A. This fund is supplied through the Mill City Volunteer Fire Department General Fund.
- B. Dispersal will be \$200.00 first term, \$200.00 second term, \$200.00 third term. Recipient must provide a copy of paid enrollment for each term to receive the \$200.00 payment.

### **V. UPDATES AND CHANGES TO THE SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS**

- A. All changes should be researched and proposed by the selection committee.
- B. Changes to the scholarship process will be made by majority vote of volunteers at a general meeting.

### **VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- A. Scholarship is available to graduating Santiam High School Seniors and Alumni attending college.
- B. If no applications are received, funds are reserved until the next year. The following year, during a regular general meeting, the volunteers have the option to have a larger scholarship or multiple scholarships.