



DU PAGE COUNTY POLICE ASSOCIATION

P.O. BOX 22 • GLEN ELLYN, ILLINOIS 60138

TO: All DuPage County Police Association Members

FROM: Stephen W. Cogger
DuPage County Police Association
Chairman, Scholarship Committee

DATE: March 1, 2010

SUBJECT: Availability of College Scholarships

The DuPage County Police Association (DPA) is awarding four (4) five hundred dollar scholarships to children of active DPA members. To apply, your child must be a high school senior who is planning to attend an accredited college, university or junior college.

These awards shall be made with the understanding that in the event the student should leave college for any reason, the balance of the award will be returned to the DPA. The monies will be placed in escrow at the college the student will attend and shall only be applied to tuition, books or other academic fees.

Applications must be filled in with all categories answered. Failure to answer all categories will invalidate the application. A photograph of the applicant, a high school transcript and a letter or proof of acceptance from the college to be attended shall accompany each application.

The Scholarship Committee has been authorized by the DPA to apply the following criteria in choosing the recipients:

- I. **Need** - Our primary concern is need, based on parents' occupation, number of children in the family, any other siblings who are presently attending college, and any other financial aid the applicant will be receiving (scholarships, grants, etc.)
- II. **Academics** - Academic standing is important, however, it is not necessary that the applicant be in the top ten percent of his/her class. The applicant should have a good academic and extracurricular record throughout his/her high school career, enabling the applicant to succeed in a college environment.

Application Deadline

This committee must receive all applications by 6:00 PM, Friday, April 30, 2010. Applications should be sent to:

Sgt. Stephen Cogger
Hinsdale Police Department
121 Symonds Dr.
Hinsdale, IL 60521

Scholarship recipients will be announced during the week of May 3, 2010. Winners will be presented to the association at the May 11, 2010 meeting.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Stephen Cogger at the Hinsdale Police Department at 630-789-7070.