

2008 Local 1103 Scholarship Program



We are proud to announce the opening of our 35th Annual Local 1103 Scholarship Program. Since its inception in 1973, \$200,751.00 in cash grants have been awarded to the sons and daughters of Local 1103 Members in good standing to help enable the continuance of their education. The eight scholarships offered are as follows:

19th Annual E.Gerald Horgan Memorial Scholarship - \$2,000.00

Honoring the memory of our late Brother, and Chief Steward, Edward "Gerry" Horgan who made the supreme sacrifice on the picket line fighting for us.

30th Annual Daniel L.Keenan Memorial Scholarship - \$2,000.00

Respecting the memory of our late President, who served in that office from 1964 to 1979.

35th Annual Eugene J. Mays Memorial Scholarship - \$1,500.00

In remembrance of our late District One A.V.P., who served as Defense Fund Director during the 1971-72 N.Y. Telephone strike.

25th Annual Howard T. Miles Memorial Scholarship - \$1,500.00

In tribute to our late Brother who helped found the local 1103 Substance Abuse Committee.

Local 1103 Executive Board Scholarships - \$1,000.00

Two additional \$1,000 scholarships authorized by the members of your Executive Board.

Thomas J. Wonsor Memorial Scholarships - \$500.00

Two \$500.00 awards are presented by the Local in Memory of the 1103 Life Members Club first President Tom Wonsor. These two scholarships are only for students currently in their first, second or third year of college and who will be continuing on.

PURPOSE

These grants are intended to give the first-year college student an extra helping hand during those crucial first months in a new academic world. There are no restrictions upon expenditure. The money may be applied toward tuition, books, clothing, or whatever else best helps the student to embark upon his/her academic new life.

ELIGIBILITY

All high school seniors who are the son or daughter of a Member, Retired Member or deceased Member in good standing of Local 1103 and who are proceeding to an institution of higher academic or professional training.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Complete and return the Scholarship application below to Local 1103 Headquarters on or before May 31, 2008.

METHOD OF SELECTION

The eight winners will be determined by random drawing at the June 2008 General Membership meeting. The checks will be presented to the Scholarship winners at Local 1103's Annual Picnic on Sunday, June 22, 2008 at Ridge Road Park in Hartsdale, New York. We wish everyone good luck in the drawings and hope you all do well in your scholastic endeavors.

Douglas Sheahan, Secretary/Treasurer

C.W.A. LOCAL 1103 - 2008 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Please Print)

Applicant's Name _____

Address _____

Local Member's Name _____

Soc. Sec. # _____ Job Title (if active Member) _____

Work Location (if active Member) _____

I herewith apply for inclusion in the June 2008 drawing of the Local 1103 Scholarship Program. I certify that I meet the eligibility requirements set forth by the Local Executive Board as follows: I am the ___ son ___ daughter of a Member, retired Member or deceased Member in good standing of Local 1103 and either:

(1) ___ A High School senior intending to continue my education at _____

(2) ___ A College Student entering my _____ year at _____

(Please Note: If your son or daughter is a 1st, 2nd or 3rd year college student and is applying for one of the Thomas J. Wonsor Memorial Scholarship awards, a transcript of last semester's grades must be attached to confirm eligibility.) Applicant's Signature: _____

(Scholarship applications must be returned to Local 1103 headquarters no later than May 31, 2008)



CWA Joseph Beirne Scholarship

The Joe Beirne Foundation was established in 1974 to honor the name and memory of CWA's founding President who served for more than 30 years. In 1999, the CWA Executive Board combined the Beirne and Hackney scholarship programs into today's CWA Joe Beirne Foundation. There are 30 partial scholarships of up to \$3,000 each, and the winners also will receive second-year scholarships for the same amount, contingent upon satisfactory academic achievement of the first year.

*CWA Members in good standing, their spouses, children and grandchildren (including dependents of laid-off, retired or deceased CWA Members) may apply. No specific studies are required. Scholarship winners may pursue whatever courses they wish. The funding for the CWA Joe Beirne Foundation has been built up by voluntary contributions and is self-perpetuating from contributions and pledges received from CWA Local, Members and Officers. **Applications must be submitted by March 31, 2008** and should only be submitted online at www.cwa-union.org/members/beirne.*

DOUGLAS SHEAHAN
Secretary/Treasurer