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RE: WCISA Scholarship; 2008-2009 Academic Year

WCISA is pleased to announce a Scholarship Program for the 2008-2009 Academic Year:

Purpose: To improve educational opportunities for academically qualified college students who have financial need and are a child or stepchild of an employee at a WCISA member company.

Availability: Two \$1000 scholarships will be available and awarded to two high school seniors for use in the 2008-2009 academic year.

Eligibility:

- Applicants must be a high school senior in good-standing, and they must plan on enrolling in an accredited two or four-year college or university in the fall of the application year.
- Any planned field of study is acceptable.
- The student must be the child or stepchild of an employee of a WCISA-member company in good-standing at the time of the application.

Criteria: The student must have a GPA (cumulative through high school) of 3.0 or higher at the time of application. Determination of financial need will be based on the student's personal statement. Participation in extracurricular activities throughout high school, community service and special family circumstances will be given special consideration. Application materials will be submitted to WCSA, c/o Michael McNulty, Executive Director. The WCISA Board will review the applications and select the winners.

Materials to Submit:

- Personal statement in essay form (300-500 words).
- An official high school transcript.
- A personal resume summarizing education performance, work experience, extra-curricular activities and community service.

Timetable: Applications must be postmarked by April 30, 2008.

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