

\$1,500* SCHOLARSHIP

THE HANOVER AREA MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC. 2022 CHARLES KIDDER (ADULT) ESSAY CONTEST

THE SCHOLARSHIP

The Hanover Area Management Association, Inc., a non-profit organization, has established a \$1500* scholarship to help finance continuing education for an adult of its member companies. The scholarship committee judges will select the winning entry. The decisions of the judges are final. The scholarship winner is announced **April 2022**, with the monetary award dispersed through **December 2022**. The association reserves the right to present no awards or to split the award between equally qualified eligible recipients. Information is distributed to member companies and individual members.

The scholarship is awarded without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, disability, or national origin or another protected category. The scholarship committee votes on numbered essays with all identifying individual information deleted. No member or officer will play a part in the selection if they have a relative entered in the contest.

**The amount of the scholarship is determined each year by the HAMA board of directors.
The award will be up to \$1500 for a course(s) of study (not reimbursed by your company) through December 2022. (It could be more than one class.)*

ELIGIBILITY: Contestants must be adults who are planning to enroll in a course of study (full or part-time) at an accredited post-secondary education program (including a technical institution or certificate program) and be a resident of South Central PA or Northern Maryland. Eligible contestants must also meet the following qualifications:

- ✓ The student must be a member of Hanover Area Management Association or employed by Member Company
- ✓ The student must provide a document from their company showing that none of the requested funds (up to \$1500) will be reimbursed.
- ✓ NOTE: If you have applied for this previously, you ARE eligible to apply again.

If the first-place winner defaults, the 2nd place winner will be awarded the scholarship, providing the same documentation is presented. The decision of the scholarship committee is final.

TOPIC

Contestant must submit an application of a **minimum of 500 to maximum 1,000** words on the topic –

Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth, and a new understanding of yourself or others.

RULES

Contestants must follow the Format Rules of this form to be eligible to win the scholarship. Contestants who do not follow the rules will be disqualified. Judges will use the selection criteria for judging entries.

DEADLINE

Essays must be received or postmarked no later than **March 25, 2022**. E-mail or mail applications to:

Alesia Reese, HAMA Executive Director
Hanover Area Management Association
14 Chinkapin Dr.
New Oxford 17350

Alesiareese@comcast.net (submitted as an attached Microsoft Word document, with return receipt)

HANOVER AREA MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION MEMBER COMPANIES

(Membership is limited to the address listed in the official membership roster)

Aerotek Staffing
Brown's Orchards
Elsner Engineering Works
Frock Bros. Trucking, Inc.
Gerard Daniel Worldwide-Hanover
Hillandale Farms
Knouse Foods Cooperative (PG, Biglerville, Chambersburg, OR)
Legacy Athletic
Leisters Furniture
Littlestown Foundry, Inc.
Performance Group
Plainville
rabbittransit - York
Sheppard-A WABCO Co., Hanover
Snyder's-Lance Inc.,
Swam Electric Co.
The Sheridan Press, Hanover
Utz Quality Foods, Inc., Hanover.
VNA of Hanover & Spring Grove
Yazoo Mills

FORMAT RULES:

- ✓ **A title page must be provided separately** showing the author's name, telephone number, home address, contestant's place of employment.
- ✓ **Do NOT place identifying information** within the essay such as name, school, or company, etc.
- ✓ Applications should be submitted **without** staples, binders or covers for ease of copying.
- ✓ Applications must be submitted **typed, double spaced, and minimum 500 to maximum 1,000 words.**
- ✓ **Applications that are emailed must be submitted as an attached Microsoft Word document.**