



### **Scholarship Funds of Coastal Community Foundation 2012**

On the following pages are all the scholarships made available to the community in 2012 including a description of the eligibility criteria for each one. Please review this document to determine your eligibility before creating an online account. In completing one application, a student will be considered for any award for which s/he is eligible.

#### **Amanda's Scholarship Fund**

Established in 2010 in memory of Amanda Welling Dykes. To honor Amanda's life, her mother used money that she had set aside to pay for Amanda's college to award an annual scholarship to a student in Berkeley, Charleston and Dorchester counties. Awards total \$2,000.

#### **Banks-Williams-Banks Fund**

This Fund accepts applications from high school seniors who are students at Summerville High School. The Banks-Williams-Banks Award looks particularly for students who deserve support, but who may not be an obvious candidate for other scholarship assistance. To quote the founders, "We would favor a student who is well-rounded and likeable, with interests not limited to one or two primary areas. A healthy balance is encouraged." One award of \$1,000 will be made for each of four years of college.

#### **Burke Promise Fund**

Established in 2008 by donors who want to provide scholarship support for a graduating senior from Burke High School. One award of \$450.

#### **Charleston First Responders Scholarship**

Established by donors to honor all first responders who put their lives at risk to protect the lives and property of the people of our community. Applications are accepted from first responders (or their children, step-children, spouse or other living dependent) who have served for at least one year with a fire, police or EMS unit based in and serving Berkeley, Charleston or Dorchester County. Up to five awards totaling \$5,000.

#### **DeCosta/Pinckney Scholarship**

Awarded to a student with plans to pursue a career as a craftsman and with a focus on the building trades critical to historic architectural restoration and preservation. Preference for but not restricted to African-Americans. This award is possible thanks to combined income from the DeCosta Scholarship Endowment (Emily & Herbert DeCosta) and the Pinckney Family Fund (William L. Pinckney). One award of \$1,000.

#### **Esther Lorine Bailey Rivers Scholarship Fund**

Established in 1998, this Fund provides annual scholarships to high school seniors who are members of, or who attend, Mount Carmel A.M.E. church in Moncks Corner and who are pursuing a college education. One award of \$500.

### **Future Military Officer's Scholarship Fund**

Established in 1997 through hundreds of gifts from members of the Charleston Chapter of the Military Officers' Association of America, this Fund provides an annual scholarship to a college-bound (or in-college) student living in the 294\_\_ zip code area. Applicants must be (or plan to be) enrolled in an R.O.T.C. program or other military officer candidate program, and intend to become a military officer. One award of \$1,000. (Available if present winner does not renew.)

### **Gadsden Family Fund**

Established in 1983 through the 1963 Will of Miss Jeanne Gadsden, and subsequently strengthened by her family. This Fund provides scholarships to help residents of Berkeley or Dorchester Counties, with a preference for those going to either Winthrop or Clemson. One award of \$600.

### **Isaiah Bennett Memorial Scholarship**

Established in 2003 by family and friends in memory of Mr. Bennett, civil rights activist and labor organizer. The Fund provides scholarship support to help an African-American student with financial need who lives in the Awendaw-McClellanville area and is graduating from a public high school to attend a four-year college. One award of \$400.

### **J. C. and Alberta Long Fund**

Originally established in 1982 by the children and grandchildren of Mr. Long in his honor and subsequently honoring Mrs. Long, also. This Fund accepts applications from any high school senior who has lived in the Tri-county for at least the past four years, 3-5 awards will be made, totaling \$6,400.

### **Jasiri L.K. Whipper Scholarship Endowment**

Established in 2009 in memory of Jasiri Whipper by his parents to award an annual scholarship to a student to attend a historically black college or university or a South Carolina state-supported college. One award of \$1,000 will be given, renewable with conditions throughout four years of college, if current recipient does not reapply.

### **Jack Muller Scholarship Fund**

Established in 1980 and transferred to the Foundation in 1993. This Fund provides a four-year scholarship annually to a high school senior about to enter a four-year college. Applicants must be residents of public housing properties owned by and/or managed by the Housing Authority of the City of Charleston. One award of \$400, renewable throughout college.

### **Jefferson Scholarship Endowment**

Established to provide scholarships for students from Berkeley, Charleston or Dorchester counties working toward a baccalaureate or higher degree in nursing at any college or university. Based primarily on academic record, career plans, and financial need, 2-3 awards will be given totaling \$2,500.

### **Lawrence A. Holt Scholarship Fund**

Created in 2000 in memory of Lawrence Holt by his parents to award an annual scholarship to an African-American senior at Garrett Academy of Technology, with a preference for those who are seeking to study architecture or engineering through two- or four-year college programs and who reflect a passion for sports and community service. One award of \$600.

### **Morris D. Finkelstein Scholarship**

Established by family, friends, and former students in 1994 in memory of the highly-respected coach at the High School of Charleston. This Fund provides a scholarship, which is renewable for up to four years to help a deserving athlete to receive a college degree. Open to any student athlete from Berkeley, Charleston or Dorchester counties to go to any college in the State of South Carolina. One award of \$500, renewable for four years, if current recipient does not reapply.

### **P&B Music Scholarship**

Established by the Board of Directors of the Catfish Row Company from proceeds of local theatrical productions of Porgy and Bess. This Fund accepts applications from African-American students who have lived in the Tri-county area for five years or more, and who wish to pursue a four-year college major related to music or music education. All applicants must be talented with musical instrument or in voice. Awards generally range from \$1,000-\$2,000.

### **Phillip O'Neill Hanvey Memorial Scholarship Fund**

Established in 1963; transferred to the Foundation in 1990. This Fund provides scholarships to help Charleston County students to attend college. Two awards of \$500 - \$1,000.

### **Rufus C. Barkley, Jr. Leadership Scholarship Fund**

Created by friends of Rufus Barkley in 2000, the fund accepts applications from students who are residents of Charleston, Berkeley, Dorchester or Colleton counties. Financial need may be considered in making the award, but academic merit and character are the principal criteria. We will look for evidence of well-rounded interests and demonstrated concern for those less fortunate. One award of \$10,000 will be made for each of 4 years of college.

### **Santee Club Fund**

Established in 2001 by members of the Santee Club, a hunting preserve north of McClellanville. The Fund accepts applications from students who live in the area between McClellanville, SC and the South Santee River. One or two awards to total \$2,000.

### **Seymour I. Barkowitz Fund**

Established by family and friends of Mr. Barkowitz in his memory, in 1988. This Fund accepts applications from Tri-county students intending to pursue a 4-year degree at the College of Charleston. One award of \$700.

### **T. C. Drayton Scholarship Fund**

Established by the City of Charleston in memory of T. C. Drayton. This fund accepts applications from residents who live on the East Side community in the city of Charleston and who are seniors in high school, about to begin studies at a two- or four-year college; preference will be given to students who participate in the community through school activities or volunteer work, demonstrate financial need, and rank in the top 50% of his/her class. One award of \$500.

### **Thaddeus J. Bell, II Memorial Scholarship**

Created in 1992 and transferred to the Foundation in 1997. This Fund accepts applications from students who are pursuing or who intend to pursue a Bachelor's degree at Morehouse College, in Atlanta, Georgia. Applicant's permanent residence must be South Carolina. One award of \$2,000 for each of four years at Morehouse.

### **Warren O. Pinckney Scholarship Fund**

Created in 1973 through the will of Mr. Pinckney and transferred to the Foundation in 2001, this Fund has provided scholarships for decades, to help students with financial need from Berkeley, Charleston or Dorchester County to pursue a college degree. Multiple awards ranging from \$500-\$2000.

**William Ferguson Seabrook Scholarship Endowment for Morris Brown AME Youth**

Established in 2000, this Fund accepts applications from high school seniors who are members of Morris Brown A.M.E. Church, attended Title I schools throughout K-12, and plan to enroll as a full-time college student for the fall semester. Financial need is a priority. One award of \$1,000.

**William Melvin & Juanita W. Brown Scholarship**

Established in 1995 by Ms. Juanita Brown, in memory of her husband. This Fund accepts applications from African-Americans who live in Charleston County, who are members of the Roman Catholic Church, and who are about to begin studies at a four-year college. One award of \$2,000 will be given, renewable with conditions throughout four years of college.

**William and Prudence Finn Scholarship Fund**

Established in 2008 to provide scholarship support for graduating high school seniors who are children or step-children of AstenJohnson employees (employed with AstenJohnson at least five years), to help pay fees for 2-year or 4-year colleges. Each award is expected to be for \$2,000, and may be renewed throughout college if certain conditions are met.

**Wofford College Fund**

Established by the Samuel Freeman Charitable Trust (William E. Murray, Esq., Trustee). This Fund accepts applications from Tri-county students intending to pursue a four-year degree at Wofford College. One award of \$1,000.