

William (Bill) Kilmer Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$3,000 (2) Due Date: April 29, 2025

Guidelines

- **Open to Lewiston-Porter Seniors who will be pursuing Higher Education including College, University or Trade School.**

Requirements

Follow Instructions to complete.

- 1. Fill out the application form.**
- 2. List of Extracurricular activities and service/volunteer activities**
- 3. Essay in 250 words or less**
- 4. Two Letters of Reference: can be from teachers, community organizations, or personal/professional references.**
- 5. A Letter of Acceptance from your Higher Education Institution or Trade School.**
- 6. Official High School Transcript (Guidance will attach)**

ALL REQUIREMENTS in GOOD ORDER Due to Guidance Office: April 29, 2025

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**Lower Niagara Moose Lodge #584
112 South Water St. Lewiston, NY 14092**

William (Bill) Kilmer Memorial Scholarship - 2025

The William (Bill) Kilmer Scholarship is awarded in the amount of \$3,000.00 to two (2) Lewiston-Porter Graduating Students pursuing Higher Education including College, University or Trade School.

Bill graduated from the Lewiston-Porter Class of 1967. Bill served in the United States Army from 1969-1972 as a dog handler in the K-9 unit in Tan Sanut, Vietnam. He also was stationed in Camranh Bay from 1970-1971 in which he was responsible for securing ammo dumps and heli pads at the hospital. Bill returned to General Motors where he was previously employed before deployment and remained there for the next 38 years. He was active with the Lewiston # 1 Fire Department, for 25 years, during his course of duty he served as Chief for 3 years and President for 7. Bill served as a police officer with the Lewiston Police force between 1973 and 1979.

Bill was an active member of the Lower Niagara Moose Lodge 584 where he was an administrator and took on the duties as Treasure for NYS District 7 Moose Association. Bill was also a member of the Wheatfield Legion Riders with the Wheatfield POST 1451 as well as a member of the Patriot Guard Riders up until his illness.

Bill was a pillar in his community, always giving back, and always willing to help and mentor others.

In honor of Bill, Lower Niagara Moose Lodge 584, is looking to award students who exemplify many of Bill's attributes of Service to Community and Country.

- **Applications are due to Guidance Office on: Tuesday, April 29th, 2025**

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APPLICATION FORM

- Name: _____
- Home Address: _____

- Email Address: _____
- Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____
- Gender: Male Female
- **Do you have any immediate family members that are Active Moose Members? (this is not a requirement) YES / NO**

If YES, please include their Name, Relationship and Lodge Name:

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- Current GPA: _____ * Please attach Official HS Transcript
 - Higher Education Plans/Career Path:

*Please attach acceptance letter.

Institution: _____ Date
of Enrollment: _____

Degree Pursuing: _____

Extracurricular and Community Activities:

Please attach a list of extracurricular, service-learning, volunteer or community activities in which you have participated.

Essay (required)

Carefully read Bill's history on the first page.

On a separate sheet - Essay in 250 Words or less

- ❖ **Write and tell us about how you feel that your career aspirations, your experience/thoughts, or your history mirror or reflect Bill's attributes of *Service to Community and Country*.**

With this completed application, please attach a copy of the following documents:

- ✓ **List of Extracurricular activities and service/volunteer activities**
- ✓ **Essay in 250 words or less**
- ✓ **Two Letters of Reference:** can be from teachers, community organizations, or personal/professional references.
- ✓ **A Letter of Acceptance** from your Higher Education Institution or Trade School.
- ✓ **Official High School Transcript**

Please return the completed application to:
Lewiston Porter High School Guidance Office

by Tuesday, April 29th, 2025