

West Shore Chamber of Commerce Education Committee
“Student Achievement Award”

Recognition for outstanding or exemplary work or volunteer performance

The West Shore Chamber of Commerce will present the “Student Achievement Award” at its **May 11, 2010** luncheon at Lakewood Country Club. The “Student Achievement Award” recognizes two (2) students for their outstanding job or volunteer performance in the work place.

Initiated through the Chamber’s Education Committee, all members are encouraged to nominate a Bay High School or Westlake High School student employee or volunteer who has shown exemplary work performance.

These two students who are selected will be recognized at the **May 11th** luncheon and receive their award consisting of: a Certificate of Achievement and \$ 50.00 ea. Donated by First Federal of Lakewood.

The Chamber members who nominated the winning students are recognized by all fellow Chamber members and a news release with pictures is issued to the press.

West Shore Chamber members need to submit their student employee or volunteer candidate nomination to the chamber office by mail or fax (440) 892-9107, by **April 23, 2010**. Use the submission form found in the newsletter, on the West Shore Chamber web site (www.westshorechamber.org), or call the West Shore Chamber office (440-835-8787) to request copies.

Other questions call Harry W. Applegate, Jr. (440) 835-2333

Thank You,

The West Shore Chamber of Commerce Education Committee

NOMINATING FORM ON REVERSE SIDE

The West Shore Chamber of Commerce
Student Achievement Award

Sponsored by:

The West Shore Chamber of Commerce Education Committee and Westlake / Bay City Schools

The West Shore Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize our business members and their **student employees or volunteers** that show exemplary work ethic. By completing this form you are entering your student employee or volunteer into a nomination process. Those chosen will receive recognition and lunch with The West Shore Chamber of Commerce on **May 11, 2010**

EMPLOYER or VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR NOMINATING FORM

Nomination of _____ Phone # _____ Grade _____

Address _____

School Attending _____

The student and the nominating business must meet the following criteria:

STUDENT CRITERIA:

- Westlake/Bay Village Resident
- High School student
- 2.0 GPA or higher

**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE
HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT**

____ 2.0 GPA

BUSINESS CRITERIA:

- Business must be a member of The West Shore Chamber of Commerce
- Employer may not nominate a family member
- Average number of hours worked Per week _____ Per month, _____ Date nominee Started _____
- Length of employment or service _____ Months _____ Years _____
- Rate employee attitude from 1 to 5, 5 being excellent. 1 being needs improvement. ___5 ___4 ___3 ___2 ___1

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE EMPLOYER or VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR

Please provide a detailed explanation of why you are nominating this student for the West Shore Chamber of Commerce student Achievement Award. Also, include a description of this student's duties or responsibilities, and any special work related qualities that make this student outstanding. **PLEASE PRINT** (use additional paper if necessary)

Signed: _____ Date: _____

ATTENTION: EMPLOYER:

Please fax this form to: 440-835-8798

Or mail it to: The West Shore Chamber of Commerce

Attn: John Sobolewski

1100 Crocker Road

Westlake, Ohio 44145

Any questions please call: Harry W. Applegate, Jr. 440-835-2333

NOMINATED BY: (Please print)

Business Name _____

Your Name _____

Title/Position _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

This form must be returned by April 23, 2010

The West Shore Chamber of Commerce

24600 Center Ridge Road
Westlake, Ohio 44145
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West Shore Chamber of Commerce

Education Committee Scholarship

(Revised 10/09/2009)

Two (2) scholarships of \$ 1,000.00 each will be awarded to two high school seniors that are employed or **volunteer** for a West Shore Chamber of Commerce business member. The high school that the seniors attend must be a **(active)** member of the West Shore Chamber of Commerce Education Committee. The student must be planning to attend an accredited 2-4 year college, university or technical school after graduation from high school. A West Shore Chamber member at the designated high school award ceremonies program will present the scholarships in 2010.

Student Criteria:

1. ___ Must be an employee or **volunteer** working for a **West Shore Chamber Business Member** (family members of Chamber members are **not excluded**). Please consult the West Shore Chamber web site for member reference (www.westshorechamber.org)
Note: Westlake High School & Bay High School are members of West Shore Chamber
2. ___ A letter of recommendation from a teacher, guidance counselor, coach, club advisor or administrator.
3. ___ Must have a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.5 or above in the fall of 2009, include a high school transcript (permission in writing from a parent is necessary)
4. ___ A letter of recommendation from employer or volunteer coordinator is required including approximate hours employed or **volunteered** per week and length of employment.
6. ___ Must be planning to attend a 2 or 4 year accredited college, university or technical school in fall of 2010. A statement of 200 words or less describing your future goals, career expectations, field of study.
7. ___ Your resume
8. ___ **Describe how you are planning on funding your college education, 100 words or less.**
9. ___ Points are awarded for all criteria, failure to submit all necessary information will result in a loss of points.

Payment of Scholarship:

Upon the announcement of the scholarship recipients at the awards ceremony, the student is to provide to the West Shore Chamber of Commerce, in writing, within ten (10) days; their acceptance of the scholarship; the attending college, university, or technical school name, address and telephone number. A student ID# is required before payment can be sent. The student must be registered as a full-time student for the fall term of 2010.

The scholarship award in the amount of \$ 1,000.00 will be issued directly to the appropriate institution under the student's ID # in August 2010.