



# *Casa Italiana*

ITALIAN COMMUNITY HALL, INC.

P.O. BOX 84131

SEATTLE, WA 98124

## *2018-2019 SCHOLARSHIP*

### *ELIGIBILITY:*

- Applicant must be a graduating high school senior, or student in 2 or 4- year college/university or trade school.
- Applicant must be a child or grandchild of a member or members of a club participating in Casa.
- Member(s) must be in good standing for at least the 2 prior calendar years.
- Applicant if receiving an award one year may then apply every other following year.
- Application packet must be completed, signed and dated by the applicant.
- Minimum GPA 3.0

### *AWARD:*

- One \$1000 scholarship will be awarded for each academic year.
- The award money is for tuition expenses toward an undergraduate degree and will be deposited in the student's name directly with the university, college, vocational or trade school selected by the student for on campus schools only.
- The Scholarship Award will be given in June at sponsoring club by Casa President and/or a representative from Casa Italiana

### *APPLICATION PROCESS:*

- Applications will be available in December through the sponsoring club's Casa representative.
- Applications must be received by Casa scholarship committee no later than May 18.
- At least 2 letters of recommendation/reference are required. The person of reference may be teacher, coach, or employer but not an immediate family member. They must have some connection to work, school, church or extracurricular activity on the part of the applicant.
  - Extracurricular activities consist of: Class/school office; Art (music, dance, drama, design); Clubs/organizations; Sports; Community Service; Work
- Please write 3 paragraphs each addressing the following:
  - What positive contributions do you plan to make toward society?
  - What impact has your Italian heritage and or the Italian culture had on you?
  - What are your academic and/or career goals?
- Submission will be judged on spelling, punctuation, grammar, clarity, composition, and ability to communicate between 350- 500 WORDS typed and double-spaced.
- The applicant's most recent transcript must be mailed to:

Casa Italiana Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 84131  
Seattle, WA 98124
- Extra consideration given for involvement in Italian Community.
  - (i.e. serving or volunteering at club functions/ events/ festivals)



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## 2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Amount: \$1000

**DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN May 18, 2018**

Please send entries to:

**Casa Italiana Scholarship Committee**

**P.O. Box 84131**

**Seattle, WA 98124**

Name (Last, First, Middle): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsoring Club(s) \_\_\_\_\_

### Attachments:

Two Letters of Recommendations

Three short essays (see required topics)

Attachment or Separate Submission to the address above:

Most Recent Transcript

I affirm that the information included with my application is true and accurate in all respects and that I intend to pursue a degree in higher education or a vocational certificate. I understand that if selected, the awarding of funds is contingent upon my enrollment in an accredited institution and that funds will be paid directly to the institution and used toward the cost of my education.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_