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Exciting News!

LPG LAUNCHES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM!

The newly announced LPG Scholarship will annually be presented to the winners during the Spring Expo. The inaugural scholarship will be \$500.

TO BE CONSIDERED, SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- » A high school senior in good standing who will be **attending any secondary education that relates to the industries represented within Luxury Products Group**, or a student already engaged in a secondary education program—this includes colleges and universities, design programs, trade schools, etc. To be considered, applicants must be currently taking or intend to take a minimum of 12 course hours per semester and current GPA must be 2.5 or above.
- » Applicants should be **children and grandchildren of members/vendor employees** and their employees.
- » Each applicant must show a **proven interest in the decorative bath and kitchen industry**, and intend on remaining in the industry following secondary education completion.
- » Applications must be accompanied by a **1,000- to 1,500-word essay on the future of luxury showrooms**. Essays should be submitted as an email attachment in Word or PDF format. All application materials must be submitted to **jeff@luxuryproductsgroup.com** by January 31, 2020.
- » Winners will be selected by the LPG Advisory Committee, along with Director Jeff MacDowell.
- » The cover letter to be submitted with the application must include the following information: **applicant's name, age, address, phone number**. (If an applicant is under the age of 18, the parents' contact information must be included.) Also, the cover letter should include the name of the member or vendor the applicant is affiliated with, identify how they are connected, the name of the school an applicant currently attends, as well as the name of the post-secondary school and course of study being planned.
- » Each applicant must also include **two letters of reference** from teachers or members of the community.
- » Any leadership and service opportunities that applicants have been involved with should also be noted in the cover letter. Further consideration will be given for **documented community service, working/volunteering for charitable causes and leadership traits** that have been exhibited.
- » **Academic achievements and other accomplishments will weigh heavily**. However, the committee will also closely consider the desire, passion and motivation of each candidate.
- » Please note: Applications received after December 1, 2019 will not be able to be considered. At this time, scholarships are only available for applicants affiliated with wholesalers, decorative showrooms and vendors; manufacturers' rep firms are not eligible.



APPLICATION FOR LUXURY PRODUCTS GROUP SCHOLARSHIP

Intended course of study: _____

Student's name: _____

Street address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Phone number: _____

School presently attending: _____

Mother's name: _____ Occupation: _____

Father's name: _____ Occupation: _____

Student's Email: _____ Parent's Email: _____

Name of relative & business name of affiliated with Luxury Products Group: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Current grade point average: _____

Please list any scholarships you have been awarded: _____

Please list any extracurricular school activities or organizations (you may also attach a resume): _____

Please describe your community service involvement: _____

Please record any honors, recognitions or awards you have received: _____

Are you currently employed? _____ Where? _____

Please write a 1,000-1,500 essay on "The Future of Luxury Showrooms." Include paragraphs on why you want to attend college, how the LPG Scholarship would benefit you, and your career goals in the luxury showrooms industry. Attach the essay to this application.

Attach a written recommendation from both a teacher and your high school counselor, along with a copy of your high school transcript including STAAR, ACT, and SAT scores.

All required documents are attached.

Verified by: _____

(Administrator, Principal, Counselor or Registrar)

School: _____ Date: _____