



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF TRUCKEE MEADOWS

### **College Scholarship Opportunities**

The Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows (BGCTM) annually awards scholarships to college-bound Club members. Each scholarship requires completion of the “BGCTM 2020-2021 Scholarship Application” and, in some cases, an additional Foundation-specific application is required. The various scholarships listed below are administered through BGCTM. Applications are screened by the BGCTM Scholarship committee and scholarships are assigned to members based on need, academic performance and club involvement.

This application simplifies the scholarship award process for our donors, corporations and philanthropists as the BGCTM has established long term relationships with our Club members. Our donors can feel confident that the scholarships are provided to deserving members. This strong relationship with our applicant pool, donors, corporations, and philanthropists in the Truckee Meadows community donate generously allows us to provide scholarships to deserving college bound members.

The scholarship award process is commenced beginning early May. Therefore, the application deadline must be adhered to and all applications must be received no later than **June 1st**. Scholarship applications can be found on our website at BGCTM.org or by contacting the Teen Services Director at the number and email listed below.

If a scholarship is awarded, to continue to receive their scholarship students must submit their grades along with next semester’s class schedule to the Boys & Girls Club immediately after grades are posted to their student account. they must earn (complete with a passing grade) 67% of all attempted (enrolled) credits with a 2.0 or better cumulative G.P.A. Funding may be delayed withheld or reduced due to unsatisfactory academic performance.

#### **Jack Reviglio Service Scholarship\***

Jack Reviglio was a founder of the Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows and gave boundless energy to the Club and its members. Upon his death, the Reviglio family wished to ensure a scholarship in Jack’s name would be available to a deserving BGCTM college-bound member. The Jack Reviglio scholarship is awarded to one student per year. Each scholarship is a four year scholarship in the amount of \$5,000 per year (\$2,500 per semester) totaling \$20,000 per student over four years. As a requirement of the scholarship the awardee is required to develop and maintain a service project of their choice, giving back to the community and the Club in an appropriate manner...to Give Back like Jack!

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**Eligibility:** BGCTM member and Youth of the Year applicant bound for college in a subject of choice. Applicants must have been a member for a minimum of four years prior to applying. Upon receipt of the award, the student must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA.

*\*Reviglio scholarship recipients are selected and awarded in November of the prior year.*

*The following scholarships are selected directly by the scholarship committee. Each applicant must complete the BGCTM scholarship application.*

### **Hot August Nights Scholarship**

Hot August Nights Foundation has been a continuing supporter of the BGCTM for many years. In that time, they supported many college-bound Club members with scholarships. The Hot August Nights Foundation awards four students per year. Each scholarship is a *four-year scholarship* in the amount of \$2,500 per year totaling \$10,000 per student over four years. Each applicant must complete the scholarship application and complete the question portion of the application. Through a competitive screening process performed by the BGCTM scholarship committee, the committee proposes a limited group of applicants whereupon the winning applicant is selected by the Foundation.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of their choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA.

### **Thomas Bahan Scholarship**

The Thomas Bahan scholarship is a *four-year scholarship* awarded to one member per year. Each scholarship is a four-year scholarship in the amount of \$2,500 per year totaling \$10,000 per student over four years.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA.

### **John Raffealli Scholarship**

John Raffealli was a member of VISTA (Volunteers in Service to America) during college. After moving to Reno and later leading the Bill Pearce franchises, he continued the VISTA philosophy by giving and encouraging others to give back to the community. The Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows was one of these community organizations. The John Raffealli scholarship is a *one-year \$2500 scholarship* for one Education student. The student must be an upper division student (Junior or Senior) or in a Master's

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program in the field of Education. Applicants must apply annually to be considered for this scholarship and the scholarship is not renewable.

**Eligibility:** Former BGCTM member in good standing to an upper class level (Junior or Senior) or Master's Student in the field of Education. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA.

### **Bill & Doris Pearce Memorial Scholarship**

Bill Pearce, the founder and successful businessman of Bill Pearce Motors in Reno, experienced hardships as he grew up, but learned that through hard work and perseverance good things could happen. He wanted to ensure today's youth who have experienced hardships or are experiencing hardships should have new opportunities through education. The Bill Pearce scholarship is offered as a *one-year scholarship* to students who may not otherwise qualify for scholarships due to academic performance in the amount of \$1,000/year. This scholarship can be used for tuition, books, certification or licensing in trades or similar pursuits. This scholarship is awarded on an annual basis and if the awardee is successful in the program of choice, it may be renewed for one year. Otherwise, this scholarship requires an annual application.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for trade school or college in a subject of choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA.

### **Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows Scholarship**

The Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows has been serving Truckee Meadows youth for nearly 40 years. During this time, donors, corporations and philanthropists in the Reno area have donated generously to provide scholarships to deserving college bound members. Four scholarships are awarded each year through a competitive process. Each scholarship is a *four-year scholarship* in the amount of \$2,500 per year totaling \$10,000 per student over four years. It is renewable as long as the student can demonstrate continued **eligibility** semester to semester. If a student is unable to meet the full-time enrollment requirement, their scholarship will be reduced by an amount proportional to credits taken. For example, a student taking only nine out of the required twelve credits would receive 67% of their scholarship for that semester. The balance does not carry forward to subsequent semesters, so we encourage students to enroll full time to maximize the dollar value of their award.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA throughout the course of the scholarship period.

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### **Dean and Gloria Smith Foundation Scholarship**

As a successful local land developer, Dean founded the Dean and Gloria Smith Foundation. In this capacity, the Foundation has been a strong supporter of the Boys & Girls Club. Over the years, they have supported many BGCTM college-bound members with scholarships. The Dean and Gloria Smith Foundation awards one scholarship per year. Each scholarship is a *four-year scholarship* in the amount of \$1,000 per year totaling \$4,000 per student over four years. This scholarship is renewable on a semester by semester basis, based on maintaining **eligibility** criteria. To apply, each BGCTM member must complete the BGCTM scholarship application. Through a competitive screening process performed by the BGCTM scholarship committee, the committee proposes a limited group of applicants whereupon the winning applicant is selected by the Foundation.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of their choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA throughout the course of the scholarship period.

### **Jack Stanko Scholarship**

Jack Stanko led the Champion Chevrolet dealership for many years. He was also a very strong supporter of the Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows. The Jack Stanko scholarship is a *one-time scholarship* not to exceed \$5,000.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of their choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA throughout the course of the scholarship period

### **Dr. James and Caroline Lynch Spine Nevada Scholarship**

James J. Lynch MD has been a long-time supporter of the Truckee Meadows community and believes strongly in the education of our youth. In 2004 he founded a multi-disciplinary private practice called Spine Nevada. As a proud supporter, Dr. Lynch is donating a *four-year scholarship* in the amount of \$2,500 per year totaling \$10,000 over four years.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of their choice. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA throughout the course of the scholarship period

### **The Clyde and Gail Bativa Scholarship**

Brief description of Clyde and Gail's club involvement. Clyde and Gail Bativa are donating a *four-year scholarship* in the amount of \$2,500 per year totaling \$10,000 over four years.

**Eligibility:** High School graduate who shows promise and fits the criteria of "underdog." GPA is not a criteria for this scholarship. Must be an active club member and agree to be mentored by club staff

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through their course of study. Must enroll in a course load of 12 credits per semester, complete 67% of their attempted credits, and maintain a cumulative 2.0 or better GPA throughout the course of the scholarship period

**\*\*\*\*\*Bookworm Scholarship**

The Silva Family donates funds to support our Bookworm Scholarship. This is used to subsidize books, lab fees, supplies etc., rather than direct tuition.

**Eligibility:** BGCTM member in good standing bound for college in a subject of their choice. This student has tuition covered but needs help paying for college supplies.



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