

Black Swamp Safety Council Scholarship Guidelines

The Black Swamp Safety Council will sponsor two (2) scholarships this year for individuals, and/ or their children (including step-, adopted, or foster children), who work in Defiance, Fulton, Henry, Paulding or Williams County, and whose employer is a member of the Black Swamp Safety Council. Please note that eligibility is not limited to high school seniors!

Two (2) \$750 Scholarships will be awarded. Timetable:

March 26, 2010	Applications due (application form on reverse side)
May 7, 2010	Selection of winners – notification
May 18, 2010	Awards presented during the monthly meeting

Scholarships will be awarded to two individuals who are enrolled, or plan to enroll, in a certificate- or degree-conferring program of at least one year in a technical school, college, or university, and who plan to pursue health, safety, or environmental studies; however, he or she does not necessarily have to major in these fields. **If in doubt, please apply!**

Scholarship applicants must:

Submit completed application form (on reverse side of these guidelines) to the Manager of the Safety Council by Friday, March 26, 2010, to be reviewed by Steering Committee.

State that he/she plans to pursue health, safety, or environmental studies in a certificate- or degree-conferring program of at least one year. If field of study is not in one of these specific categories, applicant should be prepared to explain how his/her choice may be related to safety.

Submit an essay of not less than 300, nor exceeding 500, words on a health, safety, or environmental topic and related to applicant's field of study.

Additional information:

An alternate will be chosen in the event that one of the original scholarship recipients fails to enroll in qualified program.

Scholarship winners must provide proof of registration in a qualified program before funds will be disbursed.

Black Swamp Safety Council will make award payable to the educational institution chosen by the scholarship winner.

BLACK SWAMP SAFETY COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Date _____
Name of Company (must be a member of Black Swamp Safety Council) _____
Name of Employee _____
Name of Applicant (if child of Employee) _____
Address _____
_____ Home Phone _____

High School Attended _____
Address _____
Phone number _____
College Planning to Attend _____
Address _____
Name of certificate- or degree-conferring program _____

Extra-curricular (outside of work or school) activities/interests

On separate sheet of paper, write an essay (300 to 500 words) describing your educational plans and goals relating to health, safety and/or environmental concerns. Attach it to this application.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____
Parent's signature (if applicable) _____ Date _____
Company representative signature _____ Date _____

This application and accompanying essay must be received by Judy Preston, at the following address, no later than Friday, March 26, 2010.

**Judy Preston, Manager
Black Swamp Safety Council
Northwest State Community College
22600 State Route 34
Archbold, OH 43502**