

**Maricopa Area Labor Federation  
2010 Andy Ward Memorial Scholarship**

To: MALF Scholarship Applicants  
From: MALF Education Committee  
Re: 2010 Andy Ward Memorial Scholarship

The Maricopa Area Labor Federation is pleased to again be sponsoring the Andy Ward Memorial Scholarship. Three scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 will be offered in 2010. The scholarships are made possible by the generosity of the family of Andy Ward and American Income Life.

This letter includes an application form and a 2010 scholarship information sheet that sets out the specific criteria for applicants to follow.

The submission deadline is Friday, July 16, 2010. Applications must be submitted or postmarked by that date to:

**Sheri Van Horsen, Chairperson  
Maricopa Area Labor Federation  
AFSCME Local 3111  
420 North 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007**

The applications will be evaluated by the Education Committee of the Maricopa Area Labor Federation. The winners will be invited to the July 28, 2010, delegate meeting of the Maricopa Area Labor Federation to receive their awards.

Thank you in advance for your participation.

**Maricopa Area Labor Federation  
2010 Andy Ward Memorial Scholarship  
Information Sheet**

There will be three (3) \$1,000 Scholarships awarded in 2010.

**Eligibility Criteria:** Eligible applicants must be a *union member* or a *dependent of a union member* in good standing affiliated with the Maricopa Area Labor Federation who will be pursuing post secondary education in 2010. Previous winners are not eligible.

It is understood that the successful applicant must submit a letter of acceptance or similar documentation from the school they plan to attend or are attending.

Applicants will be asked to write and submit a 750 to 1,000-word research paper on the following topic:

- How has Organized Labor contributed to the welfare of American Society? In developing an answer to this question, cite statistical data and research to defend your position. Do not rely on opinion.

Applicants may use any source available to them for this paper, but the paper must be their own work and should be in a standard research paper style. Errors in spelling, sentence structure, punctuation, or grammar will reduce the paper's evaluation.

The submitted copy should be typed and double-spaced. The applicant must submit a cover letter that identifies the applicant with the research paper. **DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME, ADDRESS OR UNION AFFILIATION ON YOUR COMPLETED RESEARCH PAPER.**

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**Maricopa Area Labor Federation  
Andy Ward Memorial Scholarship  
2010 Application**

**Please  
Print**

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ High School \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_ Year you plan to start post secondary education \_\_\_\_\_

Post secondary program(s) that has/have given a letter of acceptance \_\_\_\_\_

Course of study you plan to pursue \_\_\_\_\_

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**PARENT, GUARDIAN OR MEMBER MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION**

**Please  
Print**

Name of Parent, Guardian or Member \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Union Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_ How Long \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

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We, the undersigned, certify that the above information is true and correct to best of our knowledge.

Parent or Member's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please Note: All information contained herein will be held in confidence by the Maricopa Area Labor Federation Education Committee and will not be discussed outside of regular committee meetings without written consent of all parties.