

The American Legion

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For God and Country

TO: VERMONT HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE COUNSELORS

FROM: THE AMERICAN LEGION OF VERMONT SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

The year 2011 will be the 54th consecutive year of The American Legion Department Scholarship Program. Our application form is enclosed and may be duplicated as needed.

This year, we are offering the following scholarships.

(1)	CHARLES N. BARBER SCHOLARSHIP	\$1,000
(1)	RAY GREENWOOD SCHOLARSHIP	\$1,500
(10)	\$500 SCHOLARSHIP	\$5,000

We also have the Vermont State Oratorical Contest, sponsored by The American Legion, where the winner will receive a \$2,000.00 award and the four (4) runner-up contestants will each receive \$100.00. The Oratorical awards are considered separate from the above scholarships and are outlined in a separate letter.

TOTAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE AWARDED FOR THE YEAR 2011 WILL BE \$9,900.00.

We hope you will acquaint yourself with these programs and bring them to the attention of each senior who is interested in obtaining scholarship aid.

You may be interested to know that the funds for these awards are derived from each member of the 71 American Legion Posts in Vermont as part of his or her yearly dues. In addition, many of the Posts sponsor local scholarship programs in their communities.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH for helping us reach the students in your school. We are looking forward to hearing from them before the **DEADLINE DATE OF APRIL 1ST**.

The revised edition of The National American Legion's "Need A Lift", that lists most of the available scholarships in the nation, has been forwarded directly to your High School from The American Legion National Headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana. If you have not received your copy, please let us know.

You may also access our scholarship application and information on other programs on our web-site **legionvthq.com**

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