

## **Fox Cities Chapter of Credit Unions 2008 Scholarship Contest**

The Fox Cities Chapter of Credit Unions will award a \$1,000 scholarship to four graduating high school seniors who are active members of participating credit unions.

*The scholarship awards will be based on the following criteria:*

### **A. Essay Question (70 points)**

“You’ve just been elected President of the New Millennium Credit Union. Your target membership is young adults between 16-28 years of age. Tell us what your plan will be to attract new members and meet their needs.”

(Essay should be typed and between 750 and 1,000 words in length)

### **B. Volunteerism/Community Involvement (30 points)**

On the attached form, please list volunteer/community involvement activities you have been involved in throughout your high school years.

In a short paragraph, explain your most rewarding experience and why.

*All entries must be received on or before **March 24, 2008**  
and must follow all guidelines and contest rules.*

*Winners will be notified by April 11, 2008 and scholarships will be presented during the Fox Cities Credit Union Chapter meeting at the **Darboy Club, Appleton** the evening of April 28, 2008.  
(See attached for entry form and guidelines)*

# Fox Cities Chapter of Credit Unions 2008 Scholarship Contest Entry Form

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|-----------------|-------------------|-------|
| Name:           | _____             |       |
| Address:        | _____             |       |
| E-mail Address: | _____             |       |
| Home Phone:     | _____ Cell Phone: | _____ |

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|------------------------|-------------|-------|
| High School Attending: | _____ City: | _____ |
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| Credit Union Membership: | _____                                 |                                                                    |
|                          | <small>(Name of Credit Union)</small> |                                                                    |
| Since:                   | _____ Verified By:                    | _____                                                              |
|                          | <small>(Date)</small>                 | <small>(Signature of Credit Union Representative/Employee)</small> |

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|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Fall 2008 Post Secondary Education: | _____                                            |
|                                     | <small>(Name of educational institution)</small> |
| Elected Major:                      | _____                                            |

*I have answered these questions truthfully and to the best of my ability and do accept and understand the terms and conditions of this scholarship contest. I recognize that all entries and essays become the property of the Fox Cities Chapter of Credit Unions and that the Chapter may publish and share these entries as deemed appropriate.*

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please submit the following documents as part of the application\*\***

- 1. Entry Form**
- 2. Essay**
- 3. Volunteerism/Community Involvement Form with short paragraph**



## Contest Guidelines

- ❖ The essay and paragraph on volunteerism must be an original work of the applicant and should reflect subjects within the general scope of the essay questions.
- ❖ The essay and paragraph must be typed. The essay cannot be less than 750 words or more than 1,000 words in length. The paragraph on volunteerism must be one short paragraph.
- ❖ The essay and volunteerism form must be submitted with a completed contest entry form included within this information packet.
- ❖ Applicant must be a graduating high school senior and an active member of one of the following credit unions:

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Badger Globe                  | Best Advantage          |
| Capital                       | Community First         |
| CONE                          | Evergreen               |
| Fox Communities               | Lakeview                |
| Members United                | Menasha Corp. Employees |
| Menasha Employees             | Miller Electric         |
| Neenah Foundry                | Prospera                |
| Shawano Paper Mills Employees | St. Elizabeth Employees |
| The Labor                     | Unison                  |
- ❖ The applicant must be a member of one of the above credit unions by December 31, 2007. The applicant must obtain verification of membership date by a representative or employee of the credit union of membership (see entry form for signature area). Examples of credit union representatives are tellers, member service representatives, loan representatives, etc.
- ❖ Members of the Scholarship Award Committee and their families are not eligible.
- ❖ The Scholarship Award Committee will consist of employees selected from the above participant credit unions.
- ❖ All entries are subject to disqualification if they do not meet the above guidelines and requirements. School and membership requirements will be verified before selection.
- ❖ Entries must be received or postmarked by the required deadline. Entries received after or postmarked after the required deadline will not be eligible for consideration.

**Please send completed entry form and attachments by March 24, 2008 to:**

Sue Bedor  
Chapter Scholarship Contest  
Badger Globe Credit Union  
260 N. Green Bay Rd.  
Neenah, WI 54956

**Or**

Fax to: (920) 722-5742      Attn: Sue Bedor