



**Colorado Professional Fire Fighters Foundation**  
12 Lakeside Ln, Denver, CO 80212

To: Colorado Professional Fire Fighters

From: Mike Frainier, CPFF Foundation President

Date: August 28, 2020

Re: 2020 – 2021 Randy Atkinson Memorial Scholarship

The CPFF Foundation will be offering ten one-time scholarships of \$1500 each for the 2020 - 2021 academic school year.

The scholarship program is designated for the children and grandchildren of all active members of the CPFF.

The deadline for applications is by midnight September 20, 2020.

Please review the pages following for specific information regarding the application.

Thank you!



## **Randy Atkinson Memorial Scholarship Information**

**What:** Ten Scholarships - \$1500 each

### **Qualifications:**

- 1) Applicant's parent/guardian or grandparent (or active retired) must be a member in good standing of the Colorado Professional Fire Fighters.
- 2) Applicants must be entering an institution of higher learning (Junior College, College, University or Technical/Trade School) in the Fall of 2020 or Spring of 2021. The applicant may also be a current student of an institution of higher learning.
- 3) Applicants must-
  - a. Submit this application
  - b. Resume
  - c. His/Her transcripts
  - d. Two letters of recommendation
  - e. A 1-2 page essay answering the question (should be between 500 to 1000 words)
    - i. "2020 has been a challenging year for everyone. An international pandemic, a broad range of social issues, and financial concerns have created obstacles in all facets of life. Please discuss one of these challenges that you see your community facing and how you believe firefighters in your community could provide support in these challenging times".
- 4) The application, resume, transcripts, letters of recommendation, and essay must be combined into a single .pdf document and submitted electronically to [cpfffoundation@cpff.org](mailto:cpfffoundation@cpff.org). **Applications not submitted on a single .pdf document will be disqualified.**

**Deadline:** Midnight of September 20, 2020

**Scholarship Committee** – The Board of Directors of the CPFF Foundation.

[www.CPFFFoundation.org](http://www.CPFFFoundation.org)



**2020-2021 Randy Atkinson Memorial Scholarship Application**

Please complete the following:

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian/Grandparent Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian/Grandparent CPFF Local Affiliation Name and Local #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current School Name and Location:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade Point Average (GPA) and Scale:** \_\_\_\_\_

**List Extracurricular Activities and Community Service you have participated in:**  
(Or attach a resume)

**List all High School or Community Awards or Honors you have received:**  
(Or attach a resume)

**Junior Colleges/Colleges/Universities you have applied to:** \_\_\_\_\_

**College/University you are planning to attend:** \_\_\_\_\_

**When do you plan to enter (Select One)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fall 2020** \_\_\_\_\_ **Spring 2021**

**Have you applied for admission?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No**

**Have you been accepted?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No**

**What will be your intended major or area of study?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you received and/or accepted other scholarships? What kind and how much?**

**Number of persons dependent upon family income. Please include: parents, dependent children, aged relatives, or others reported on tax returns:** \_\_\_\_\_

**State your need/plan for financial assistance for your post high school area of study:**

**Have you ever been suspended or expelled from school or charged in accordance with the law for an act of vandalism, assault, possession of narcotics, alcoholic beverages, a controlled drug, or possession of a dangerous weapon on a school campus?**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_ **I decline to answer**

**If you answered "Yes" please explain:**

**Signature of Applicant verifying the above information and submitted information is true and accurate:**

**Student Signature Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant must submit an electronic copy of this application, resume, transcripts, two letters of recommendation from teachers and/or community members and a one/two-page, single spaced essay answering the question "How do you see yourself contributing to the community in the future?" in a single pdf document. Applications not submitted in a single .pdf document will be disqualified.

Applications are due by midnight September 20, 2020  
Emailed to CPFFFoundation@cpff.org

[www.CPFFFoundation.org](http://www.CPFFFoundation.org)

The CPFF Foundation is proud to announce that the Randy Atkinson Scholarship is now open. The Foundation was started under his presidency and his impact on Colorado's Firefighters and their families will never be forgotten. The Foundation each year offers ten \$1500 scholarships that are available to the children/dependents or grandchildren of all active and active retired members of the Colorado Professional Fire Fighters.

Please visit [cpfffoundation.com](https://cpfffoundation.com) and go to programs -> scholarships or [https://cpfffoundation.com/?page\\_id=23](https://cpfffoundation.com/?page_id=23)