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The Labor Advisory Committee of **UNITED COMMUNITY SERVICES** sponsors two **Ronald Lorah Memorial Scholarship** awards each year.

To be eligible for the Ron Lorah Scholarships a person must be a union member or a member of the immediate family of a union member in the state of Pennsylvania.

This scholarship was named for a man who dedicated several decades of his life to the labor movement as President of the United Steelworkers of America Local 6996, a leader in the United Labor Council of Reading and Berks County and as a founder of the Worker's Memorial of Berks County.

Two Scholarships are available:

Academic – \$1,000

Vo-Tech - \$750

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION
JULY 31, 2013**

The Community Services Committee of the **UNITED LABOR COUNCIL** sponsors the **Ted Bricker Scholarship Award Program**.

To be eligible for the Ted Bricker Scholarship a person must be a member of the immediate family of a union member in the state of Pennsylvania and be a high school senior going to college and majoring in a social science. A student may follow any curriculum on social or human services that normally lead to an associate or bachelor degree.

SAT Scores are not required, but transcripts must be submitted along with application.

This scholarship was named after a man who dedicated his life to assisting union members to access community services. As an active steelworker and member of the United Labor Council, Bricker represented the labor movement in our community for many years.

One Scholarship available - \$500

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION
JULY 31, 2013**

All scholarship winners will be announced at the Annual Labor Day Celebration at First Energy Stadium on Monday, September 2, 2013

*To obtain application forms, call or stop by:
UNITED COMMUNITY SERVICES
601 Hiesters Ln. Reading, Pa. 19605
Tele: 610 374-3319*

**RONALD LORAH MEMORIAL
Scholarship Application**

Instructions:

1. Please type or print all information.
2. Complete every item on this application.
3. If more space is needed to complete any item, attach a sheet of paper.
4. This application and all other documents must be returned
by: 7-31-13
United Community Services for Working Families/LAC
601 Hiesters Ln.
Reading, Pa. 19605
5. All information you provide will be considered confidential and will be used only for the purpose of selecting Scholarship recipients.

I. Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

II. Address _____
(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

III. Birth Date _____ Gender M () F () Telephone _____
(Mo) (Day) (Year) Area Code + number

IV. Name of member, parent, guardian or spouse who is a member in good standing of a
Union, Local No. _____ International Affiliation _____
Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

V. Address _____
(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

VI. Working () Retired () Deceased ()

VII. Provide the Name of the current high school, college or technical school you are currently attending and enclose a transcript from that institution.

(Name) (Location) Graduation Date

VIII. List the extra-curricular activities in which you have been engaged. Include the jobs and/or volunteer positions you held.

Activity	Position Held
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

IX. What is your professional goal? _____

X. Financial Need is a criteria for this award. Please provide the following information:

- **What is the annual cost of tuition of the institution in which you are enrolled or intend to enroll? \$ _____ . Enclose a copy of your financial award letter.**
- **How do you currently pay this cost?** _____

- **Identify any monetary awards or scholarships you received** _____

- **Provide us with any other financial information you believe we should know.**

XII. In what college, university, or technical school do you plan to enroll?

1st Choice _____

2nd Choice _____

XII. What course of study will you pursue in college or technical school?

XIV. The *Ronald Lorah Memorial Scholarship* is named for a man who devoted his life to the labor movement. His work helped his sisters and brothers, his union, and the Labor Council to represent the interests of all working people. This Scholarship honors the man and his values. Please write a clear, concise and persuasive essay that includes the following: (Please attach the essay to this application)

- (1) Talk about the need for unions at the worksite, community, and the country.**
- (2) Give personal examples of how you and/or your family have been affected by the labor movement.**
- (3) How do your personal and professional goals enhance the understanding of unions.**

CERTIFICATION

We certify all the above information to be true to the best of our knowledge. We hereby agree that the decisions of the Selections committee (independent external evaluators) shall be final and all matters concerning the scholarship program shall be governed by and subject to the rules thereto made by United Community Services for Working Families.

Signed _____ Date _____
Applicant/Member

Signed _____ Date _____
Parent, Spouse, Guardian

We certify that _____
Name of Applicant

is a member, spouse, child, or legal ward of _____
Member's Name

who is in good standing of Local Union No. _____

International Union Affiliation _____

Please Affix the Local Union Seal

We certify that Local Union No. _____

International Union Affiliation _____

is affiliated with the United Labor Council of Reading and Berks County.

Signed _____