

# 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Gene Moore Scholarships

## 1<sup>st</sup> Annual TucsonLGBT.com School Books Scholarship

### 2010-2011 Scholarship Information and Application Process

**Application deadline is March 31, 2010 for FALL 2010**

It is that time of year again...time to apply for the Gene Moore Scholarship. This year a new scholarship funded by TucsonLGBT.com for a Tucson gay male high school senior is also being offered.

PFLAG Tucson will again award several scholarships to LGBT persons to attend an institution of higher education. Applicants can be either a graduating high school senior, undergraduate student, or graduate student. PFLAG will be awarding up to three or four \$1000 scholarships or several \$500 scholarships to accommodate more students. In addition, TucsonLGBT.com will award its first scholarship through the PFLAG application process in the amount of \$250 for textbooks to a Tucson low-income gay male high school senior who plans to attend Pima College. The application deadline is March 31, 2010.

The requirements for application are:

- Must be a Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual or Transgender person for a PFLAG scholarship;
- Must be a Tucson gay male high school senior for a TucsonLGBT.com scholarship; and
- Must be accepted to an institution of higher education (Pima College for TucsonLGBT.com) for the period for which the scholarship is requested.

A complete application packet shall consist of:

1. The application (personal information page);
2. An essay detailing the applicant's plan for higher education, activities within the community, and why PFLAG Tucson or TucsonLGBT.com should award a scholarship to them;
3. Two letters of recommendation (one must be from someone other than a family member); and,
4. A copy of the student's admission acceptance letter (if the applicant is a current student, then a copy of the most recent grade report).

The essay should be typed, double-spaced, no longer than two one-sided pages or one page front-to-back and detailed enough to describe the applicant and his/her situation to the committee. Remember, any information that is provided will be used only to select the most **worthy candidates** and will be kept in the **strictest confidence**. If you have any questions, please contact us at [pflagtuc@pflagtucson.org](mailto:pflagtuc@pflagtucson.org) or call us at (520) 360-3795.

All needed information must be submitted in one envelope and postmarked by March 31, 2010 to:

PFLAG Tucson Scholarship Application  
P O Box 36264  
Tucson AZ 85740-6264

The applications for the PFLAG Tucson scholarships are reviewed by the PFLAG Board of Directors, or by a committee established by the Board. TucsonLGBT.com will also evaluate applications from gay male graduating seniors. Applications will be judged on an individual basis using only the information provided by the applicant. All applicants will be notified by mail of the committee's decisions by April 30, 2010.

The board of directors of PFLAG Tucson and their families are excluded from receiving or applying for this scholarship.

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**Application and Personal Information 2010-2011**

Personal Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Can we contact you at the above mailing address, email address or phone number?      Yes    No

If no, how can you be reached? \_\_\_\_\_

Cum. Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ on a 4.0 scale. If not 4.0 scale, please state scale \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Higher Education Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of school: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Application packet checklist:

- \_\_\_\_\_ completed and signed application (this page)
- \_\_\_\_\_ detailed personal essay
- \_\_\_\_\_ two letters of recommendation (one must be from someone other than a family member)
- \_\_\_\_\_ copy of your admission acceptance letter or most recent grade report if you are a current student in a higher education institution
- \_\_\_\_\_ envelope addressed to PFLAG Tucson Scholarship Application P O Box 36264 Tucson, AZ 85740-6264

I certify that all information provided here and in the attached forms is correct and true to the best of my knowledge. I also certify that I am currently accepted and/or enrolled at the above institution for the period for which I am requesting this scholarship.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date