

**Tracy Historical Museum/
West Side Pioneer Association**

Community History Scholarships

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Museum Scholarships and Judith Ann Lee Memorial Scholarship

Museum Scholarships – Two (2) \$500 Awards: Graduating students/seniors planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college, or a vocational trade school with a demonstrated interest in local Tracy History

Judith Ann Lee Memorial Scholarship – One (1) \$500 Award: Graduating student/senior planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college, or a vocational trade school with a demonstrated interest in local Tracy History

Application Deadline: **March 31, 2022**

a. General Purpose of Scholarships –

To recognize Tracy area graduating high school students/seniors who have demonstrated an interest or involvement with the history of the Tracy community.

b. Eligibility Requirements

1. Senior (or high school student on accelerated schedule) eligible to graduate with a high school diploma in May/June of current school year;
2. Enrolled in a public high school located within Tracy Unified School District (TUSD) High School boundaries
3. Lives within the TUSD High School District boundaries;
4. Plans to attend accredited 2-year, 4-year college, or a vocational trade school as a full-time student in Fall following graduation;
5. Demonstrated interest in Local Tracy History.

c. Application Process - Submission Deadline - March 31, 2022

1. Submit complete hard copy of application for with Local History volunteer statement, or paper/essay, or project by deadline;
2. Email copy of volunteer statement, or paper/essay, or project summary by deadline;
3. Submit complete applications to:

Tracy Historical Museum Scholarship Committee
1141 Adams Street, Tracy, CA 95376
tracymuseum@sbcglobal.net, tagsca@sbcglobal.net, 209-832-7278.

d. Award Selection Factors

1. Extent of demonstrated interest in local history;
2. Uniqueness and originality of the history documented;
3. Quality of the presentation.

Papers/essays/projects will be placed in the Museum archives and portions may be reprinted in the Museum Newsletter.

e. Scholarship Award Distribution Guidelines and Conditions of Award

All applicants will be notified in writing of the determinations by the end of the school year. It is the target to announce award recipients before high school Awards Night ceremonies.

Please see Application Form for more information.