About The Fund



The Francis Ouimet Scholarship Fund was founded as a non-profit organization in 1949, and is thought of as, The Golf Charity of Massachusetts. The Fund is a 501 (c) (3) organization. Its purpose is to help deserving young men and women who have worked at golf courses in Massachusetts obtain a college education. We provide need based undergraduate scholarships. The scholarship is renewable and can be worth up to \$10,000 - \$40,000 (or more) for four years. The Ouimet Fund is the largest independent scholarship in New England.

Scholarship Facts:

- 5,121 individuals helped since 1949
- \$26.5 Million awarded since 1949
- 313 individuals helped in 2013-2014
- \$1.5 Million in scholarships awarded in 2013-2014
- 109 colleges represented by scholars in 2013-2014
- 122 clubs represented by scholars in 2013-2014

Eligible Employees:

- Caddies
- Course Superintendent Ops
- Pro Shop Ops
 (Bag Room, Practice Range
 & Cart Storage Area)
- "On-Course" Snack Shack

Clubs:

- Private
- Public/Semi-Private

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

All Ouimet Scholarship candidates must have performed at least two years service to golf as caddies, or in golf professional or course superintendent operations at any golf course in Massachusetts. The candidate must also plan to attend an accredited institution of undergraduate higher education full-time. Students may apply as seniors in high school or during their college career. Request for applications can be made at our web site, www.ouimet.org, or by contacting the Director of Scholarship at the Ouimet office.

Scholar status is judged on academic achievement and potential leadership, including school and community activities, interviews, essays, motivation, character, integrity, golf service and various recommendations. The Scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship. The Fund is an equal opportunity scholarship program and does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, religion or ethnic origin.



DEADLINES

December 1

The postmark deadline for a completed application and club recommendations.

February 1

High school seniors must send a transcript with SAT scores and final grades for Terms 1 and 2. College students must send an official Fall Transcript.

March 1 - June 30

Applicant is required to attend a scheduled interview. Applicant will be notified of his/her interview date, time, and location provided their application is up to date.

The College Scholarship Service (CSS) will forward your CSS/PROFILE directly to us once you complete the registration form. Our CSS code is 0467.

Completing the FAFSA form generates the Student Aid Report (SAR) which will be sent directly to you. Send the complete report to us, making a copy for your files.

August/September

Applicants are notified and scholarships are awarded.