

**LEIF ERIKSON LODGE 2-001, SONS OF NORWAY  
SUMMARY AND GUIDELINES FOR LEIF ERIKSON LODGE 2-001  
YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARD**

Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 Scholarship Committee will each year award scholarships to young persons planning on attending an institution of higher learning or trade school. The amount of the award is \$1,000 and is determined by the Scholarship Committee each year.

**Instructions of the applicant:** (Please type or print clearly in black ink)

To be eligible for the Youth Leadership Award:

The applicant must be a member in good standing of Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway; or a close relative of a member in good standing.

The applicant must be a United States citizen not younger than 18 and not older than 22 on the date the award application is submitted.

The applicant must not have previously received this award.

Submit an essay, not to exceed 250 words, describing your accomplishments to date; your involvement in Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001, Sons of Norway, interest in Scandinavia, youth, community or other activities; and your educational or career goals.

The criteria by which candidates are evaluated:

Academic performance and evidence of ability to succeed.

Willingness to represent and participate in a variety of events at Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001

Two letters of recommendation giving specific evidence of good character, accomplishments and abilities

Financial need or means tests shall not be considered

Content of the essay

Ability to follow the instructions on the application

Mail completed application form to:

Youth Leadership Awards

Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 Scholarship Committee

2245 NW 57<sup>th</sup> Street

Seattle, WA 98107

206-783-1274 (Leif Erikson Hall Office)

To be eligible for consideration, the application must be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than March 31, 2009. The Committee cannot accept applications by e-mail or fax.

Applicant's Last Name, First and Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Date/Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address:

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone incl. Area Code \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address to which correspondence should be sent, if different from above:

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone incl. Area Code \_\_\_\_\_

Sons of Norway Membership: Self (\_\_\_\_)

Relative(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Membership since: \_\_\_\_\_

Full address of school now attending: \_\_\_\_\_

High school/university/college/trade school: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone incl. Area Code \_\_\_\_\_ Major subject of interest: \_\_\_\_\_

If applicable, candidate for what degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Completed: \_\_\_\_ (terms, semesters, quarters) (circle one) \_\_\_\_\_ semester/quarter total hours

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum grade point value possible: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of expected graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Have your school send a copy of your latest grade transcript directly to:  
Youth Leadership Awards  
Leif Erikson Lodge 2-001 Scholarship Committee  
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Seattle, WA 98107

List the name and address of the two persons, who are writing letters of recommendation for you. Such persons may include teachers, coaches, youth leaders or someone else not related to you, but who knows you well. They should describe your character, accomplishments, and abilities. Recommendation letters must be received in the office by March 31.

1 Recommendation Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone incl. Area Code \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

2 Recommendation Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone incl. Area Code \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

I accept taking an active role in two of the following events, which I have circled below:

- Bazaar in October
- Children's *juletefest* in December
- Crab feed scholarship fundraising dinner in January
- Heritage Day Camp in June with the Nordic Museum
- A weekend at one of the District 2 Summer Youth Camps (counts as 2 events)

In addition, I will represent Leif Erikson Lodge at one of the following events I have circled below:

- Heritage Day in March
- Norwegian Seventeenth of May Parade

I hereby certify the above statements are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions, contact:

- Lorie Lind, 206-789-6533, [markolind@aol.com](mailto:markolind@aol.com)
- Heidi Ludeman (Larsen), 360-927-1194 or [heidi.ludeman@gmail.com](mailto:heidi.ludeman@gmail.com)
- Jessica Olsen, 425-770-5200 or [olsenjp@msn.com](mailto:olsenjp@msn.com)
- Gail Engler, [cody24gracie@hotmail.com](mailto:cody24gracie@hotmail.com), Cultural Director/LEL Board Rep